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Senate

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Measures Introduced: Eleven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. Con. Res. 1-3, and S. Res. 1-8.

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Administration of Oath of Office: The Senators-elect were escorted by the sitting Senators from their respective States and were administered the oath of office by the Vice President.

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Measures Passed:

Notification to the President: Senate agreed to S. Res. 1, providing that a committee consisting of two Senators be appointed by the Vice President to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives to inform the President of the United States that a quorum of each House is assembled. Subsequently, Senators Mitchell and Dole were appointed by the Vice President.

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Notification to the House of Representatives: Senate agreed to S. Res. 2, informing the House of Representatives that a quorum of the Senate is assembled and that the Senate is ready to proceed to business.

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Election of President pro tempore: Senate agreed to S. Res. 3, electing the Honorable Robert C. Byrd, of West Virginia, as President pro tempore of the Senate.

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Notification to the President: Senate agreed to S. Res. 4, notifying the President of the United States of the election of Senator Byrd as President pro tempore of the Senate.

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Notification to the House of Representatives: Senate agreed to S. Res. 5, notifying the House of

Representatives of the election of Senator Byrd as President pro tempore of the Senate.

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Congratulations to Senator Byrd: Senate agreed to S. Res. 6, congratulating Senator Byrd on his election as President pro tempore of the Senate.

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Certification of Electoral Votes: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 1, providing for the counting on January 4, 1989, of the electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States.

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Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 2, extending the life of the Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies and the provisions of S. Con. Res. 141, of the 100th Congress.

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Hour of Daily Meeting: Senate agreed to S. Res. 7, fixing the hour of daily meeting of the Senate at 12 o'clock meridian, unless otherwise provided.

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Oath of Office to Senator Kennedy: Senate agreed to S. Res. 8, authorizing the President pro tempore of the Senate to administer the oath of office to the Honorable Edward M. Kennedy, of Massachusetts.

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Recess Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 3, providing for a recess of the Senate from January 3, 1989 to January 20, 1989, and an adjournment of the House from January 4, 1989 to January 19, 1989.

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Unanimous-Consent Agreements:

Select Committee on Ethics: Senate agreed that, for the duration of the 101st Congress, the Select Committee on Ethics be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate.

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Time for Rollcall Votes: Senate agreed that, for the duration of the 101st Congress, there be a limitation of 15 minutes each upon any rollcall vote, with the warning signal to be sounded at the midway point, beginning at the last 7½ minutes, and when rollcall votes are of 10-minute duration, the warning

signal be sounded at the beginning of the last 7½ minutes.

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Authority to Receive Reports: Senate agreed that, during the 101st Congress, it be in order for the Secretary of the Senate to receive reports at the desk when presented by a Senator at any time during the day of the session of the Senate.

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Recognition of Leadership: Senate agreed that the majority and minority leaders may daily have up to 10 minutes each on each calendar day following the prayer and the disposition of the reading of, or the approval of, the Journal.

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House Parliamentary Floor Privileges: Senate agreed that the Parliamentarian of the House of Representatives and his three assistants be given the privilege of the floor during the 101st Congress.

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Printing of Conference Reports: Senate agreed that, notwithstanding the provisions of rule XXVIII, conference reports and statements accompanying them may not be printed as Senate reports when such conference reports and statements have been printed as a House report, unless specific request is made in the Senate in each instance to have such a report printed.

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Authority for Appropriations Committee: Senate agreed that the Committee on Appropriations be authorized during the 101st Congress to file reports during adjournments or recesses of the Senate on appropriations bills, including joint resolutions, together with any accompanying notices of motions to suspend rule XVI, pursuant to rule V, for the purpose of offering certain amendments to such bills or joint resolutions, which proposed amendments shall be printed.

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Authority for Corrections in Engrossments: Senate agreed that, for the duration of the 101st Congress, the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to make technical and clerical corrections in the engrossments of all Senate-passed bills and resolutions, Senate amendments to House bills and resolutions, Senate amendments to House amendments to Senate bills and resolutions, and Senate amendments to House amendments to Senate amendments to House bills and resolutions.

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Authority to Receive Messages and Sign Enrolled Measures: Senate agreed that, for the duration of the 101st Congress, when the Senate is in recess or adjournment, the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to receive messages from the President of the United States, and—with the exception of House

bills, joint resolutions, and concurrent resolutions—messages from the House of Representatives, that they be appropriately referred, and that President of the Senate, the President pro tempore, and the Acting President pro tempore be authorized to sign duly enrolled bills and joint resolutions.

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Privileges of the Floor: Senate agreed that, for the duration of the 101st Congress, Senators be allowed to leave at the desk with the Journal Clerk the names of two staff members who will be granted the privileges of the floor during the consideration of the specific matters noted, and that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to rotate such staff members as space allows.

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Referral of Treaties and Nominations: Senate agreed that for the duration of the 101st Congress, it be in order to refer treaties and nominations on the day when they are received from the President, even when the Senate has no executive session that day.

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Authority to Introduce Measures: Senate agreed that no bills or further resolutions be in order prior to January 25, with the exception of resolutions to be adopted to establish the membership of Senate committees; and that, beginning January 25, for the remainder of the 101st Congress, Senators be allowed to bring to the desk bills, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, and simple resolutions, for referral to appropriate committees.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the Sixth Biennial National Urban Policy Report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-1)

(2) Transmitting the Ninth Annual Report of the Department of Energy; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-2)

(3) Transmitting the 18th Annual Report of the Department of Transportation, which covers Fiscal Year 1984; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation. (PM-3)

(4) Transmitting the 18th Annual Report on Hazardous Materials Transportation, for calendar Year 1987; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-4)

(5) Reporting determination with respect to the Department of Commerce's investigation into the effect of petroleum imports on the national security;

which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-5)

(6) Transmitting the 29th Annual Report on the Trade Agreements Program, for 1988; which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-6)

(7) Transmitting a report of the activities of the United States Government in the United Nations and its affiliated agencies during the calendar year 1987; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-7)

(8) Transmitting a draft of proposed legislation, entitled the "Whistleblower Protection Act of 1989," to strengthen the protections available to Federal employees against prohibited personnel practices, and for other purposes; which was referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM-8)

(9) Transmitting the 17th Annual Report on Federal Advisory Committees, for fiscal year 1988; which was referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM-9)

(10) Transmitting the eighth and final report of the Administration on the state of small business; which was referred to the Committee on Small Business. (PM-10)

(11) Transmitting the Seventh Annual Report on Alaska's Mineral Resources; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-11)

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Joseph R. Wright, Jr., of Oklahoma, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Jane A. Kenny, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the ACTION Agency.

Lew W. Cramer, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service.

William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

Lawrence L. Lamade, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy.

Patrick Pizzella, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Management, Department of Education.

Michelle Easton, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs, Department of Education.

Charles E. M. Kolb, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget, and Evaluation, Department of Education.

Kenneth D. Whitehead, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

John R. Berg, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Conservation and Renewable Energy).

Francis S. Ruddy, of Texas, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

Margot E. Machol, of the District of Columbia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner.

Larry K. Mellinger, of California, to be United States Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Becky N. Dunlop, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Janet J. McCoy, of Oregon, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Robert H. Gentile, of Ohio, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

David C. O'Neal, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health.

Francis J. Duggan, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Jerry D. Blakemore, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Jill H. Emergy, of New York, to be Director of the Women's Bureau, Department of Labor.

J. Blakeley Hall, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation.

Samuel W. Bogley, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Merit Systems Protection Board.

Dennis M. Devaney, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

Linda Lugenia Arey, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.

Thomas J. Simon, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Railroad Retirement Board.

Mary L. Schapiro, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Sonia Landau, of New York, to be Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador.

Keith L. Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark.

John R. Hubbard, of California, to be Ambassador to India.

William A. Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel.

Richard W. Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman.

Gregory S. Dole, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency.

Michael Ussery, of South Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco.

John C. Duncan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation.

George T. Harding, IV, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences.

Chandler L. van Orman, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Economic Regulatory Administration.

Patricia M. Hines, of South Carolina, to be Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, Department of Education.

William G. Goetz, of North Dakota, to be a Member of the National Advisory Council on Educational Research and Improvement.

Donald M. Clark, of New York, to be a Member of the National Advisory Council on Educational Research and Improvement.

Carl M. Kuttler, Jr., of Florida, to be a Member of the National Advisory Council on Educational Research and Improvement.

F. Clifton White, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Advisory Board for Radio Broadcasting to Cuba.

Arch Madsen, of Utah, to be a Member of the Board for International Broadcasting.

John F. Cogan, of California, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Mary F. Fuller, of California, to be a Member of the Boards of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund, the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund, and the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund.

Suzanne D. Jaffe, of New York, to be a Member of the Boards of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund, the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund, and the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund.

George J. Benston, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation.

Kathleen D. Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

Delba Winthrop, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Lance Banning, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Joan R. Challinor, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Elinor H. Swaim, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

The following-named persons to be Members of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science:

Wanda L. Forbes, of South Carolina;

Margaret Phelan, of Kansas; and

Charles E. Reid, of New Jersey.

Ewen M. Wilson, an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.

John A. Gannon, of Ohio, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability.

George H. Oberle, Jr., of Oklahoma, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability.

Margaret C. Hager, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability.

Earl R. Mandle, of Ohio, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts.

Gary L. McDowell, of Louisiana, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities.

Jeanne J. Smoot, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities.

Arden L. Bement, Jr., of Ohio, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation.

D. Allan Bromley, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation.

Clarence J. Brown, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Frederick N. Khedouri, of the District of Columbia, to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation.

Philip L. Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

The following-named persons to be Members of the Peace Corps National Advisory Council:

Peter L. Boynton, of Virginia;

Robert W. Hazlett, of the District of Columbia;

Creighton E. Mershon, Sr., of Kentucky;

John J. Petillo, of New Jersey;

Alice R. Thompson, of Virginia; and

Colleen T. White, of California.

The following-named persons to be Member of the Peace Corps National Advisory Council:

John Bigelow, of Idaho;

Marc L. Holtzman, of Pennsylvania;

Maureen O'Hara, of Florida;

Josephine K. Olsen, of Maryland;

Gary D. Robinson, of Washington; and

Sue Wagner, of Nevada.

Michael W. Farrell, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals.

John E. Higgins, Jr., of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

Wilford W. Johansen, of California, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

7 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

121 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

23 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

80 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Foreign Service, Coast Guard, Public Health Service, Air Force, Army, Navy, and Marine Corps nominations.

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Quorum Call: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—1)

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 2:36 p.m., until 12 noon on Wednesday, January 4, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 425 public bills, H.R. 1-425; 8 private bills, H.R. 426-433; and 124 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1-65, H. Con. Res. 1-25, and H. Res. 1-34 were introduced.

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Resignation: The Clerk announced receipt of a letter from Representative Coats wherein he announced his resignation as a Member of Congress, effective January 3, 1989.

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Election of Speaker: By a yea-and-nay vote of 253 yeas to 170 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 2, Jim Wright, of the State of Texas, was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives over Robert H. Michel of Illinois. Representatives Annunzio, Frenzel, Schroeder, and Smith of Nebraska acted as tellers. The Speaker was escorted to the Chair by Representatives Michel, Foley, Cheney,

Coelho, Gray of Pennsylvania, Lewis of California, Brooks, and Archer.

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Representative Whitten administered the oath of office to the Speaker, who subsequently administered the oath to Members-elect present en bloc.

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Party Leaders: It was announced that Representatives Foley and Michel had been elected majority and minority leaders, respectively, and that Representatives Coelho and Cheney had been elected majority and minority whips, respectively.

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House Officers: House agreed to H. Res. 1, electing the following officers of the House of Representatives:

Donald K. Anderson, Clerk;
Jack Russ, Sergeant at Arms;
James T. Molloy, Doorkeeper;
Robert V. Rota, Postmaster; and
Reverend James David Ford, Chaplain.

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On a division of the question, rejected an amendment that sought to name certain minority employees to the positions of Sergeant at Arms, Doorkeeper, and Postmaster.

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Notify Senate: House agreed to H. Res. 2, to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House had assembled and had elected Jim Wright, a Representative of the State of Texas, Speaker, and Donald K. Anderson, a citizen of the State of California, Clerk.

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Notify President: House agreed to H. Res. 3, authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee of three Members to join with a like committee of the Senate to notify the President that a quorum of each House has been assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communications he may be pleased to make. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Michel and Foley to the committee.

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Inform President: House agreed to H. Res. 4, authorizing the Clerk of the House to inform the President that the House of Representatives has elected Jim Wright, a Representative from the State of Texas, Speaker, and Donald K. Anderson, a citizen of the State of California, Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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House Rules: House agreed to H. Res. 5, adopting the Rules of the House for the 101st Congress. By a yea-and-nay vote of 231 yeas to 162 nays, Roll No. 3, ordered the previous question on the resolution.

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Rejected the Edwards of Oklahoma motion to commit the resolution to a select committee to be comprised of the majority leader and the minority leader with instructions to report it back to the House forthwith with only one amendment providing that the Chairman of the Committee on Rules orally announce in the House at least four days prior to scheduled consideration of any bill or resolution, that less than an open amendment process might be recommended by the Committee for consideration of such bill or resolution (rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 163 yeas to 239 nays, Roll No. 4).

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Minority Employees: House agreed to H. Res. 6, providing for the designation of certain minority employees.

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Meeting Hour 101st Congress: House agreed to H. Res. 7, fixing the daily hour of meeting for the 101st Congress.

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Oath of Office Authorization: House agreed to H. Res. 8, authorizing the Speaker or a deputy named by him to administer the oath of office to Representative-elect Howard Wolpe. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed the Honorable Richard Enslen, Federal District Court Judge, to administer the oath.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to the three following resolutions to designate committee membership:

H. Res. 9, designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House;

H. Res. 10, designating chairmen of certain standing committees of the House; and

H. Res. 11, designating minority membership on the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct of the House.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 3, providing for an adjournment of the Senate and the House of Representatives—clearing the measure.

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Rotunda Inaugural Use: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 2, to extend the life of the Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies and to continue in effect the authorization that the rotunda of the United States Capitol be used in connection with the proceedings and ceremonies for the inauguration of the President-elect and the Vice President-elect of the United States—clearing the measure.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Michel and Foley to serve with himself on the

Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies.

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Electoral Count: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 1, providing for the counting on January 4, 1989, of the electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States—clearing the measure.

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Impeachment of Judge Hastings: House agreed en bloc to the following three resolutions pertaining to the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida:

H. Res. 12, appointing managers for the trial of the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida;

H. Res. 13, providing certain authorities to the managers on the part of the House in the matter of the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida; and

H. Res. 14, providing that a message be sent to the Senate informing the Senate of the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida.

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House Fair Employment Practices: House agreed to H. Res. 15, providing that, effective January 3, 1989, the provisions of H. Res. 558, One Hundredth Congress, regarding fair employment practices in the House of Representatives, remain in effect for the duration of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Condolence Resolution: House agreed to H. Res. 16, expressing the condolences of the House on the death of Representative Nichols.

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House Building Commission: The Speaker appointed Representatives Foley and Michel to serve with him as members of the House Office Building Commission.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

Trade agreements: Message wherein he transmits the 29th Annual Report on the Trade Agreements Program, 1988—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means;

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Federal advisory committees: Message wherein he transmits the 17th Annual Report on Federal Advisory Committees for Fiscal Year 1988—referred to the Committee on Government Operations;

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Small business: Message wherein he transmits the eighth and final report on the state of small business—referred to the Committee on Small Business;

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Hazardous materials: Message wherein he transmits the Eighteenth Annual Report on Hazardous Materials Transportation for calendar year 1987—referred to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, and Public Works and Transportation;

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Whistleblower protection: Message wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled "Whistleblower Protection Act of 1989"—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service;

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Urban policy: Message wherein he transmits the sixth biennial National Urban Policy Report—referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs;

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Petroleum imports: Message wherein he transmits his determination with respect to the Department of Commerce's investigation into the effect of petroleum imports on the national security—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means;

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United Nations participation: Message wherein he transmits a report on the activities of the United States Government in the United Nations and its affiliated agencies during the calendar year 1987—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs;

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Transportation department: Message wherein he transmits the 18th Annual Report of the Department of Transportation for Fiscal Year 1984—referred to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, Public Works and Transportation, and Merchant Marine and Fisheries;

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Alaskan mineral resources: Message wherein he transmits the seventh annual report on Alaska's mineral resources—referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; and

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Energy Department: Message wherein he transmits the Ninth Annual Report of the Department of Energy—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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Authorization: Read a letter from the Clerk wherein he authorizes W. Raymond Colley, Dolores C. Snow, or Dallas L. Dendy, Jr., to act for the Clerk in his absence.

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Commission on Child and Youth Deaths: Read a letter from the minority leader wherein he appoints

Representative Lagomarsino to the National Commission on Child and Youth Deaths.

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John C. Stennis Center: Read a letter from the minority leader wherein he appoints Senator Lott for a 4-year term to the John C. Stennis Center for Public Service Training and Development.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call and three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 66, 68, 80, 81.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Wednesday, January 4, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: One resolution was introduced, as follows: S. Con. Res. 4.

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Measures Passed:

Recess Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 4, to provide that, notwithstanding the provisions of S. Con. Res. 3, the Senate may recess at the close of business on January 4, until 3 p.m. on January 20, as provided in S. Con. Res. 3.

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Electoral Count: Senate met in Joint Session with the House of Representatives, in the Hall of the House, to open and count the electoral ballots of the several States cast in the election of the President and Vice President of the United States.

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the following two treaties transmitted to the Senate on January 3, by the President of the United States:

Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation, with related Protocol (Treaty Doc. No. 101-1); and

ILO Convention (No. 160) Concerning Labor Statistics (Treaty Doc. No. 101-2).

The treaties were considered as having been read the first time, and were referred, with accompany-

ing papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

3 Air Force nominations in the rank of General.

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Messages From the President:

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and, in accordance with the provisions of S. Con. Res. 3 and S. Con. Res. 4, recessed at 3:18 p.m., until 3 p.m., on Friday, January 20, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 71 public bills, H.R. 434-504; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 66-72, H. Con. Res. 26-29, and H. Res. 35-38 were introduced today.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Kildee as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: House recessed at 12:10 p.m. and reconvened at 12:25 p.m.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 4, amending S. Con. Res. 3, which provided for an adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives—clearing the measure.

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Recess: House recessed at 12:26 p.m. and reconvened at 12:54 p.m.

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Members Sworn: Representatives-elect Lipinski, Staggers, and Foglietta presented themselves in the Well of the House and were administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Electoral Count: Pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 1, the House and the Senate met in joint session and counted the votes cast by the electors for President and Vice President of the United States of America. The count disclosed the following

votes cast for President: Michael Dukakis, 111; George Bush, 426; and Lloyd Bentsen, 1.

The count disclosed the following votes for Vice President: Lloyd Bentsen, 111; Dan Quayle, 426; and Michael Dukakis, 1.

Representatives Annunzio and Frenzel on the part of the House, and Senators Ford and Stevens on the part of the Senate, served as tellers.

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Recess: House recessed at 1:31 and reconvened at 2:00 p.m.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and, pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 3, adjourned at 2:03 p.m. until noon on Thursday, January 19.

Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ISSUES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Met to discuss international economic issues, lesser developed countries debt crisis and their impact on U.S. financial system. Testimony was heard from Allan Mendelowitz, Senior Associate Director, GAO; and public witnesses.

Will continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met for organizational purposes.

Thursday, January 19, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Friday, January 20, at 3 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION/COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of James A. Baker III, of Texas, to be Secretary of State; and

An original resolution requesting \$2,666,656 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989

through February 28, 1990, and \$2,721,004 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990 through February 28, 1991.

NOMINATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Richard G. Darman, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner and Robb, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue on Monday, January 23.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Elizabeth H. Dole, of Kansas, to be Secretary of Labor.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Elizabeth H. Dole, of Kansas, to be Secretary of Labor, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Helms, Kassebaum, Sanford, and Dole, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 63 public bills, H.R. 505-567; 2 private bills, H.R. 568 and 569; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 73-86, and H. Res. 39-44 were introduced.

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Member Sworn: Representative-elect Myers of Indiana presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 39, designating membership to certain standing House committees.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Speaker designated Representative Whitten to act as Speaker pro tempore on Friday, January 20, and to lead a procession of House members to the Inaugural ceremonies.

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Inaugural Ceremonies: House agreed to H. Res. 40, providing that the House shall proceed to the West Front of the Capitol for the purposes of attending the Inaugural ceremonies.

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Committee Elections: The Speaker appointed the following Members to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Representatives Beilenson, Chairman, McCurdy, Kastenmeier, Roe, McHugh,

Dwyer of New Jersey, Wilson, Kennelly, Glickman, Mavroules, Richardson, and Solarz.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Budget: Message wherein he transmits the Budget of the United States Government for 1990 and accompanying papers—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-3, Part I);

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Salary recommendations: Message wherein he transmits recommendations for executive, legislative, and judicial salaries to accompany the Budget message—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-21);

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Economic report: Message wherein he transmits his Economic Report, together with the annual report of the Council of Economic Advisors—referred to the Joint Economic Committee; and

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Rescission proposals: Message wherein he transmits six new rescission proposals affecting programs in the Departments of Housing and Urban Development, Interior, Justice, and Labor—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-20).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: On January 10, the Committee met on FSLIC assistance programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board: M. Danny Wall, Chairman; Lawrence J. White and Rodger F. Martin, both members of the Board.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ISSUES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: On January 5, the Committee concluded meetings on international economic issues, the LDC debt crisis and their impact on U.S. financial system. Testimony was heard from L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; Manuel H. Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Friday, January 20, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Inauguration Ceremonies: Senate assembled and proceeded as a body to the swearing-in ceremonies of the President-elect and the Vice President-elect.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on January 9, during the recess:

(1) Transmitting the Budget of the United States for Fiscal Year 1990; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations and the Committee on the Budget. (PM-12)

Received on November 29, 1988, during adjournment:

(2) Reporting four new deferrals of budget authority totaling \$4,635,275,000 and three revised deferrals of budget authority now totaling \$3,725,586,833, affecting programs in funds appropriated to the President and the Department of State and the Department of Transportation; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-13)

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

James A. Baker III, of Texas, to be Secretary of State.

John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

Manuel Lujan, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Secretary of the Interior.

Clayton Yeutter, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture.

Robert A. Mosbacher, of Texas, to be Secretary of Commerce.

Elizabeth Hanford Dole, of Kansas, to be Secretary of Labor.

Louis W. Sullivan, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Jack Kemp, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Samuel K. Skinner, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Transportation.

Admiral James D. Watkins, United States Navy (Retired), of California, to be Secretary of Energy.

Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Veterans' Affairs.

Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Richard G. Darman, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Carla A. Hills, of California, to be United States Trade Representative, with the Rank of Ambassador.

William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy.

Michael J. Boskin, of California, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be Representative of the United States to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador, and Representative of the United States in the Security Council of the United Nations.

William K. Reilly, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

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Recess: Senate convened at 3 p.m., and, in accordance with the provisions of S. Con. Res. 3, recessed at 3:11 p.m., until 12 noon, on Wednesday, January 25, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 570-611; 2 private bills, H.R. 612-613; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 87-90, H. Con. Res. 30-31, and H. Res. 45-49 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Whitten as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 45, designating minority membership on certain standing committees.

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Member Sworn: Read a letter from United States District Judge Richard A. Enslen from the Western District of Michigan wherein he reports that he ad-

ministered the oath of office to Representative-elect Wolpe, pursuant to H. Res. 8.

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Recess: Recessed at 10:05 a.m. and reconvened at 10:30 a.m.

Inaugural Ceremonies: Pursuant to H. Res. 40, the House proceeded in a body led by Speaker pro tempore Whitten to the inaugural ceremonies.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and, pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 40, adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Tuesday, January 24, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Wednesday, January 25, at 12 noon.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURE CREDIT ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit held oversight hearings on the Farmers Home Administration implementation of the Agriculture Credit Act of 1987 (P.L. 100-233), as it relates to borrowers, receiving testimony from Neil Johnson, Acting Administrator, Farmers Home Administration; Robert Henry, Oklahoma Attorney General, Oklahoma City; Lee Swenson and Dave Velde, both of the National Farmers Union, Washington, DC; Benny Bunting, National Save the Family Farm Coalition, Oak City, North Carolina; Leland Beatty, Texas Department of Agriculture, Austin; Don Schieber, Kildare, Oklahoma; and Ron Voth, Orienta, Oklahoma.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Robert A. Mosbacher, of Texas, to be Secretary of Commerce, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Bentsen and Gramm, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

LEVERAGED BUYOUTS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to review the recent trend in corporate restructurings, debt in the corporate sector, and the relationship of these trends to the tax law, receiving testimony from Nicholas Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHEMICAL WEAPONS USE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to review the results of the recent Paris Conference on chemical weapons use, and how to strengthen the norms against the use of chemical weapons in violation of international law, receiving testimony from William F. Burns, Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Committee recessed subject to call.

CHILD CARE QUALITY

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism concluded hearings on early childhood program quality, after receiving testimony from Senator Wilson; Maryland Governor William Donald Schaefer, Annapolis; Vermont Governor Madeleine Kunin, Montpelier; Wisconsin Lt. Governor Scott McCallum, Madison; M.A. Lucas, Chief, Child Development Services, United States Army; Richard Clifford, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Lawrence J. Schweinhart, High/Scope Foundation, Ypsilanti, Michigan; Marilyn King, Hallmark Cards, Inc., Kansas City, Missouri; Arthur Nielsen, Cigna Corporation, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Gary L. Bauer, Family Research Council of America, Washington, DC; Jane Snead, Springfield, Virginia; Linda Hartshorn, Seward, Nebraska; Cheri Robertson, Temecula, California; and Deanne Dixon, Montgomery County, Maryland.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 614-655; 2 private bills, H.R. 656-657; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 91-92, H. Con. Res. 32, and H. Res. 50 were introduced.

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Committee Appointments: The Speaker appointed the following minority Members of the House to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Representatives Hyde, Cheney, Livingston, Shuster, Combust, Bereuter, and Rowland of Connecticut.

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Joint Committee on Taxation: Read a letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means wherein he designates the following members of that committee to serve on the Joint Committee on Taxation: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Archer, and Vander Jagt.

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Members Sworn: Representatives-elect Hatcher and Schneider presented themselves in the well of the House and were administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Quorum Call—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the National Endowment for the Arts. Testimony was heard from Frank S.M. Hodsoll, Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on domestic economy. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CBO ECONOMIC FORECAST AND BUDGET PROJECTIONS; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on CBO Economic Forecast and Budget Projections. Testimony was heard from James L. Blum, Acting Director, CBO.

Prior to this action, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

IMPACT OF NEW EMPLOYEE BENEFIT RULES ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the impact of new employee benefit rules on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade met for organizational purposes.

Wednesday, January 25, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 379–1120

Measures Introduced: 279 bills and 56 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1–279, S.J. Res. 1–35, S. Con. Res. 5–9, and S. Res. 9–24.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 12, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 15, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Foreign Relations. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Measures Passed:

Authorizing Use of Rotunda: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 5, to provide for the use of the Rotunda of the Capitol to inaugurate the display of the POW/MIA flag.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 1), James Addison Baker III, of Texas, to be Secretary of State.

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By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 2), Elizabeth Hanford Dole, of Kansas, to be Secretary of Labor.

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By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 3), Richard G. Darman, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports during the recess of the Senate on Monday, January 30, from 12 noon until 3 p.m.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on January 9, during the recess:

Reporting six new rescission proposals totaling \$143,096,000, affecting programs in the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of the Interior, the Department of Justice, and the Department of Labor; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Environment and

Public Works, the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, the Committee on the Judiciary, and the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-14)

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—3)	Page 456

Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 7:10 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, January 27, 1989, in pro forma session. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 1120.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee began hearings on the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense, where the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Bentsen, Gramm, and Dole, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held an organizational business meeting where it adopted the committee rules and procedures for the 101st Congress.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Samuel K. Skinner, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Transportation, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Dixon and Simon, and Representatives Michel and Rostenkowski, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 12) requesting \$2,673,547 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989 through February 28, 1990, and \$2,727,832 in operating ex-

penses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

LEVERAGED BUYOUTS

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings to review the recent trend in corporate restructuring, debt in the corporate sector, and the relationship of these trends to the tax law, receiving testimony from David S. Ruder, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; C. Robert Kidder, Duracell, Inc., Bethel, Connecticut; Thomas H. Lee, ML-Lee Acquisition Fund, Boston, Massachusetts; Lawrence H. Summers, Harvard University, and William D. Andrews, Harvard University Law School, both of Cambridge, Massachusetts; Alan J. Auerbach, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and Michael J. Graetz, Yale University Law School, New Haven, Connecticut.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MODERNIZATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to review cleanup and modernization proposals of the Department of Energy's weapons production complex, receiving testimony from J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, and Keith O. Fultz, Associate Director, Resources and Community Economic Development Division, both of the General Accounting Office; Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs, Peter N. Brush, Acting Assistant Secretary for Environment, Safety and Health, and Richard Starostecki, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Safety, Health and Quality Assurance, all of the Department of Energy; and William R. Bibb, Assistant Manager for Defense Programs, Oak Ridge Operations Office, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held a business meeting, where it took the following action:

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress; and

Ordered favorably reported an original resolution requesting \$1,887,941 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989 through February 28, 1990, and \$1,021,116 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held a closed meeting on committee business, but made no announcements.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. It will next meet on Friday, January 27, at 11 a.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the National Endowment for the Humanities. Testimony was heard from Lynne V. Cheney, Chairperson, National Endowment for the Humanities.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Concluded hearings on the domestic economy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FEDERAL BUDGET DEFICITS

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on the Consequences for the Economy of Large Federal Budget Deficits. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMPACT OF NEW EMPLOYEE BENEFIT RULES ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Concluded hearings on the impact of new employee benefit rules on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. GATT OBLIGATIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on proposals to conform customs user fees and the superfund tax differential to U.S. GATT obligations. Testimony was heard from Judith H. Bello, General Counsel, Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; Harry W. Carnes, Director, User Fee Task Force, Office of Inspection and Control, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

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Friday, January 27, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Recess: Senate convened at 10 o'clock and 22 seconds a.m., in pro forma session, and recessed at 10 o'clock and 26 seconds a.m., until 2 p.m., on Tuesday, January 31, 1989.

Committee Meetings

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Appropriations: On Thursday, January 26, committee held an organizational business meeting where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported on original resolution requesting \$4,736,267 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$4,828,540 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991; and

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: On Thursday, January 26, committee continued hearings on the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense, where the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, January 31.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Jack Kemp, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Moynihan and D'Amato and Representative Michel, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: On Thursday, January 26, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Michael J. Boskin, of California, to be Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Cranston and Wilson, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Thursday, January 26, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Manuel Lujan, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Secretary of the Interior, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Bingaman and Domenici, and Representatives Skeen, Schiff, and Blaz, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Nick Benton, National Democratic Policy Committee, Thomas F. Donnelly, National Water Resources Association, Michael S. Clark, Environmental Policy Institute, Allan T. Howe, National Park Concessioners, and George T. Frampton, Jr., The Wilderness Society, all of Washington, D.C.; Barry Tindall, National Recreation and Park Association, Alexan-

dria, Virginia; and Jan Hartke, Global Tomorrow Coalition, Portland, Oregon.

TRANSPORTATION-INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: On Thursday, January 26, committee held hearings to review the Nation's transportation-infrastructure needs in the coming years, receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation-designate.

Committee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Carla Hills, of New York, to be United States Trade Representative.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Ms. Hills, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Cranston and Wilson, testified and answered questions in her own behalf. Testimony was also received from Robert S. Strauss, Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer and Feld, Dallas, Texas; James E. Burke, Johnson and Johnson, New Brunswick, New Jersey; and Anthony Harrigan, U.S. Business and Industrial Council, Washington, D.C.

LEVERAGED BUYOUTS

Committee on Finance: On Thursday, January 26, committee continued hearings to review the recent trend in corporate restructuring, debt in the corporate sector, and the relationship of these trends to the tax law, receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Kathleen P. Utgoff, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; Lane Kirkland, AFL-CIO, and John J. Creedon, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, both of Washington, D.C.; Bruce Smart, Upperville, Virginia, former Undersecretary of Commerce for International Trade; and Steven N. Kaplan, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MODERNIZATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Governmental Affairs: On Thursday, January 26, committee continued oversight hearings to review cleanup and modernization proposals of the Department of Energy's weapons production complex, receiving testimony from Senators Adams and Metzenbaum; Ohio Governor Richard F. Celeste and Ohio Attorney General Anthony J. Celebrezze, both of Columbus; Idaho Governor Cecil D. Andrus, Boise; Colorado Governor Roy Romer, Denver; J. Winston Porter, Assistant Administrator for Solid Wastes and Emergency Response, Environmental Protection Agency; John F. Ahearne, Chair-

man, Advisory Committee on Nuclear Facility Safety; Richard A. Meserve, Director, National Academy of Sciences; and Christine O. Gregoire, Washington State Department of Ecology, Olympia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings to review the education agenda for the 101st Congress, focusing on the quality of teaching, status of teachers, child care, and the decline in minorities' enrollment in post-secondary education, receiving testimony from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; Washington State Governor Booth Gardner, Olympia; Bettye Caldwell, University of Arkansas, Little Rock; Ernest Boyer, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, Princeton, New Jersey; Joseph Fernandez, Dade County Schools, Miami, Florida, on behalf of the Council of Great City Schools; Robert Atwell, American Council on Education, Washington, D.C.; and Harold Howe II, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LABOR SHORTAGE AND POVERTY SURPLUS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: On Thursday, January 26, committee held hearings to review labor shortages and poverty surplus, receiving testimony from Elizabeth Hanford Dole, Secretary of Labor; Marcia Townley, Dayton-Hudson Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Charles Atkins, Massachusetts Commissioner of Public Welfare, Boston; Wendy M. Dipilato, Worcester, Massachusetts; and Patricia Wright, Armstrong County Community Action Agency, and Taffie Lloyd and Renee Golder, all of Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Thursday, January 26, committee held an organizational business meeting where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported an original resolution requesting \$1,430,672 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$1,459,163 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991;

Adopted committee rules of procedures for the 101st Congress; and

Announced the following Joint Committee assignments:

Joint Committee on Printing: Senators Ford (Chairman), DeConcini, Gore, Stevens, and Hatfield.

Joint Committee on the Library: Senators Pell (Vice-Chairman), DeConcini, Moynihan, Hatfield, and Stevens.

SENATE RULES OF PROCEDURE— IMPEACHMENT TRIALS

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Thursday, January 26, committee concluded hearings on the appropriate use of Rule XI of the Senate Rules of Procedure and Practice when sitting on impeachment trails in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, U.S. District Court Judge for the Southern District of Florida, and other matters which may assist the Senate in the impending impeachment, after receiving testimony from Representatives Brooks, Conyers, Don Edwards, Bryant, Fish, and Gekas; Alan I. Baron, Special Counsel, House of Representatives' Committee on the Judiciary; and Terence J. Anderson, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida.

BUSINESS MEETING

Special Committee on Aging: On Thursday, January 26, committee held an organizational business meeting where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported an original resolution requesting \$1,200,008 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$1,213,792 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991; and

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 55 public bills, H.R. 658-713; 4 private bills, H.R. 713-716; 1 private resolution, H. Res. 55; and 27 resolutions, H.J. Res. 93-109, H. Con. Res. 33-38, and H. Res. 51-54 were introduced.

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Mineta, Whitten, and Conte.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 51, designating membership on certain standing House committees.

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Barry Goldwater Education Foundation: The Majority Leader appointed Representative Montgomery

as a member on the part of the House of the Board of Trustees to the Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation; and the Minority Leader appointed Representative Martin of New York to the Board of Trustees of that Foundation.

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State of the Union Message: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 33, providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a message from the President on the State of the Union.

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Recesses: It was made in order for the Speaker to declare recesses at any time on Thursday, February 9, subject to the call of the Chair.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 12:26 p.m.

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Committee Meetings

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On January 26, the Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation and the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. Testimony was heard from Robert O. Johns, Vice Chairman, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and Charles Biltzer, Director, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

THRIFT INSTITUTION CRISIS

Committee on the Budget: On January 26, the Committee held a hearing on The Thrift Institution Crisis and Its Potential Impact on the Federal Budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board: M. Danny Wall, Chairman; Roger F. Martin and Lawrence J. White, both members of the Board; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, GAO; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On January 26, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

Tuesday, January 31, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1207-1351

Measures Introduced: 42 bills and 20 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 280-321, S.J. Res. 36-45, S. Con. Res. 10-11, and S. Res. 25-32.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 25, authorizing expenditures by the Special Committee on Aging. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 26, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Budget. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 28, authorizing expenditures by the Select Committee on Indian Affairs. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 29, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 30, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Measures Passed:

Commending Bailey Guard: Senate agreed to S. Res. 27, commending Bailey Guard for his exemplary service to the Senate and the Nation, and expressing deep appreciation and gratitude for his long, faithful, and outstanding service.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 4), Carla Anderson Hills, of California, to be United States Trade Representative.

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By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 5), Robert Adam Mosbacher, of Texas, to be Secretary of Commerce.

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By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 6), Samuel Knox Skinner, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Transportation.

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Deputy Senate Legal Counsel: By unanimous consent, the President pro tempore is to have 90 days in which to announce the appointment of the Deputy Senate Legal Counsel.

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Announcements:

Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276(h)-276(k), as amended, appointed Senator Dodd (as Chairman) and Senator Gramm (as Vice Chairman) of the Senate Delegation to the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the 101st Congress.

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North Atlantic Assembly: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 1928(a)-1928(d), as amended, appointed Senator Roth (as Vice Chairman) of the Senate Delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly during the 101st Congress.

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U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to sec. 403(a)(2) of Public Law 100-360, appointed Senators Pryor and Rockefeller to the U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care.

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Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to sec. 1505(B)(ii) of Public Law 99-498, appointed Senator Bingaman to the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development.

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Smithsonian Institution: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to the provisions of 20 U.S.C., sections 42 and 43, reappointed Senator Moynihan as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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National Commission to Prevent Infant Mortality: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 99-660, as amended by Public Law 100-436, announced the appointment of Senator Bradley to the National Commission to Prevent Infant Mortality.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—6)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and recessed at 6 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Thursday, February 2, 1989.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings in open and closed session on the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense, where the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from William E. Jackson, Jr., University of Arkansas, Little Rock; and William G. Phillips, National Council for Industrial Defense, and Paul M. Weyrich Coalitions for America, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Lowell L. Bryan, McKinsey & Company, and Andrew S. Carron, First Boston Corporation, both of New York, New York; and Paul M. Horvitz, University of Houston, Houston, Texas.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 2.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 26), requesting \$3,313,130 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$3,382,402 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

An original resolution (S. Res. 29), requesting \$3,694,395 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$3,769,571 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991;

The nomination of Samuel K. Skinner, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Transportation;

The nomination of Robert A. Mosbacher, of Texas, to be Secretary of Commerce; and

Routine lists of Coast Guard nominations received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Also, the committee adopted its rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Wil-

liam K. Reilly, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner, Robb, Graham, Wilson, and Wallop, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on Sec. 25(a) of the Arms Export Control Act, the Annual Estimate and Justification for Proposed Arms Sales ("Javits Report" on prospective arms sales), from Vladimir Lehovitch, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Richard L. Baltimore III, Director, Office of Regional Affairs, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; and Diehl McKalip, Director, Operations, Defense Security Assistance Agency.

Committee recessed subject to call.

FEDERAL PAY RAISE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to review the Report of the 1989 Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries, receiving testimony from Lloyd N. Cutler, Chairman, 1989 Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries; U.S. Circuit Judge Frank M. Coffin, on behalf of the United States Judicial Conference; A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr., Circuit Judge, Third Court of Appeals; and Fred Wertheimer, Common Cause, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Small Business: Committee held a business meeting, where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported an original bill to make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988 (P.L. 100-656);

An original resolution requesting \$1,012,941 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$1,025,734 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991; and

Adopted committee rules on procedure for the 101st Congress.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations held hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on problems arising from Federal Government representation of Indian interests, and alleged fraud and corruption in regulating contracting on Indian reservations, receiving testimony from Richard James Elroy, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigations, Department of Justice; Edward Danks, Eagle

Nest Construction, Mandan, North Dakota; on behalf of the National Indian Contractors' Association; Jefferson Begay, Amerind Construction, Inc., Tempe, Arizona; Geneve Savala and Louis Day, both of the Savala Asphalt and Construction Enterprise, Inc., Fredonia, Arizona; and William Aubrey, Blaze Construction, Yakima, Washington.

Hearings were also held on Monday, January 30, on the protection of Indian rights, receiving testimony from Wilma Mankiller, Cherokee Nation, Stillwell, Oklahoma; Twila Martin-Kekahbah, Turtle Mountain Tribal Council, Belcourt, North Dakota; Phillip Martin, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Philadelphia, Mississippi; Joe Flett, Spokane Tribe, Spokane, Washington; Russell Means, Chinle, Arizona, on behalf of the American Indian Movement; Leonard Garment, former Special Consultant to President Nixon; Bradley H. Patterson, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Special Consultant to President Nixon; Robert Robertson, former Executive Director, National Council on Indian Opportunity; Reid Payton Chambers, former Associate Solicitor for Indian Affairs; and Louis F. Claiborne, former Deputy Solicitor General.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 717-755; 2 private bills, H.R. 756-757; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 110-116, H. Con. Res. 39-42, and H. Res. 56-57 were introduced.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative held a hearing on Joint Economic Committee, Joint Committee on Taxation, and on the GAO. Testimony was heard from Senator Roth; Representatives Rostenkowski and Hamilton; and Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States.

On January 30, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the House of Representatives and Joint Items (including Joint Committees). Testimony was heard from the following officers and officials of the House of Representatives: Donald K. Anderson, Clerk; Jack Russ, Sergeant at Arms; James T.

Molloy, Doorkeeper; Robert V. Rota, Postmaster; Ray Smock, Office of the Historian; Edward F. Willett, Law Revision Counsel; Ward M. Hussey, Legislative Counsel; and Dr. William M. Narva, Attending Physician.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Commander-in-Chief, Transportation Command, and Commander-in-Chief, European Command. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. Duane H. Cassidy, USAF, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Transportation Command; and Gen. John Galvin, USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. European Command.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works) and the Chief of Engineers. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: Robert W. Page, Assistant Secretary (Civil Works); and Lt. Gen. Henry J. Hatch, Chief, Corps of Engineers.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Commission on Fine Arts and the National Gallery of Art. Testimony was heard from J. Carter Brown, Chairman, Commission of Fine Arts and Director, National Gallery of Art, Smithsonian Institution.

OVERSIGHT—WESTERN FOREST FIRE SEASON

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands and the Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy of the Committee on Agriculture held a joint hearing on the 1988 western forest fire season. Testimony was heard from George Dunlop, Assistant Secretary, USDA; from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Dean Stepanek, Assistant Director, Bureau of Land Management; and William Penn Mott, Director, National Park Service; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Rules: Met for organizational purposes.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the tax policy aspects of mergers and acquisitions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Nicholas F. Brady,

Secretary; and Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency; David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; Kathleen P. Utgoff, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings on the national economic outlook for 1989, receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 2.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-six bills and twenty-two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 322-347, S.J. Res. 46-49, S. Con. Res. 12, and S. Res. 33-49.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:
Reported on Tuesday, January 31:

S. Res. 32, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Environment and Public Works. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Reported today:

S. Res. 33, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Small Business. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 34, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Finance. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 35, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 36, providing for members on the part of the Senate of the Joint Committee on Printing and the Joint Committee on the Library.

S. Res. 38, to provide for the appointment of a Committee to receive and to report evidence with respect to articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings. (S. Rept. No. 101-1)

S. Res. 41, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Appropriations. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Con. Res. 12, to allow another member of the Committee on Rules and Administration of the

Senate to serve on the Joint Committee on the Library in place of the Chairman of the Committee.

S. Res. 39, to provide for the filing and argument of motions by Judge Alcee L. Hastings to dismiss articles of impeachment. (S. Rept. No. 101-1)

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Measures Passed:

Federal Pay Rate Recommendations: Senate passed S.J. Res. 7, disapproving the recommendations of the President relating to rates of pay of certain officers and employees of the Federal Government, after agreeing to an amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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By 95 yeas to 5 nays (Vote No. 11), Pressler Amendment No. 2, in the nature of a substitute.

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Prohibition of Honoraria: Senate agreed to S. Res. 40, to prohibit the receipt of honoraria by Members, officers, or employees of the Senate on or after the first day that there takes effect any increase in the salaries of Members, officers, or employees of the Senate as recommended by the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries and included in the budget transmitted by the President to the Congress.

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 42, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as amicus curiae in the name of the Senate in *American Foreign Service Association, et al. v. Steven Garfinkel, et al.*, No. 87-2127, pending in the Supreme Court of the United States.

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Impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings: Senate agreed to S. Res. 39, to provide for the filing and argument of motions by Judge Alcee L. Hastings to dismiss articles of impeachment.

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Providing for Joint Session: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 33, providing for a joint session of Congress, on Thursday, February 9, to receive a Message from the President on the State of the Union.

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Amendment of Senate Rules: Senate agreed to S. Res. 43, to amend paragraphs 2 and 3(a) of Rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate for the 101st Congress.

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Majority Committee Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 44, to make majority party appointments to Senate committees under paragraph 2 of Rule XXV for the 101st Congress, as follows:

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Senators Leahy (Chairman), Pryor, Boren,

Heflin, Harkin, Conrad, Fowler, Daschle, Baucus, and Kerrey.

Committee on Appropriations: Senators Byrd (Chairman), Inouye, Hollings, Johnston, Burdick, Leahy, Sasser, DeConcini, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Harkin, Mikulski, Reid, Adams, Fowler, and Kerrey.

Committee on Armed Services: Senators Nunn (Chairman), Exon, Levin, Kennedy, Bingaman, Dixon, Glenn, Gore, Wirth, Shelby, and Byrd.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Senators Riegle (Chairman), Cranston, Sarbanes, Dodd, Dixon, Sasser, Sanford, Shelby, Graham, Wirth, Kerry, and Bryan.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Senators Hollings (Chairman), Inouye, Ford, Exon, Gore, Rockefeller, Bentsen, Kerry, Breaux, Bryan, and Robb.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Senators Johnston (Chairman), Bumpers, Ford, Metzenbaum, Bradley, Bingaman, Wirth, Conrad, Heflin, and Rockefeller.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Senators Burdick (Chairman), Moynihan, Mitchell, Baucus, Lautenberg, Breaux, Reid, Graham, and Lieberman.

Committee on Finance: Senators Bentsen (Chairman), Matsunaga, Moynihan, Baucus, Boren, Bradley, Mitchell, Pryor, Riegle, Rockefeller, and Daschle.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Senators Pell (Chairman), Biden, Sarbanes, Cranston, Dodd, Kerry, Simon, Sanford, Moynihan, and Robb.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Senators Glenn (Chairman), Nunn, Levin, Sasser, Pryor, Bingaman, Kohl, and Lieberman.

Committee on the Judiciary: Senators Biden (Chairman), Kennedy, Metzenbaum, DeConcini, Leahy, Heflin, Simon, and Kohl.

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Senators Kennedy (Chairman), Pell, Metzenbaum, Matsunaga, Dodd, Simon, Harkin, Adams, and Mikulski.

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Minority Committee Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 45, making minority party appointments to Senate committees for the 101st Congress, as follows:

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Senators Lugar (ranking member), Dole, Helms, Cochran, Boschwitz, McConnell, Bond, Wilson, and Gorton.

Committee on Appropriations: Senators Hatfield (ranking member), Stevens, McClure, Garn, Cochran, Kasten, D'Amato, Rudman, Specter, Domenici, Grassley, Nickles, and Gramm.

Committee on Armed Services: Senators Warner (ranking member), Thurmond, Cohen, Wilson, McCain, Wallop, Gorton, Lott, and Coats.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Senators Garn (ranking member), Heinz, D'Amato, Gramm, Bond, Mack, Roth, Kassebaum, and Pressler.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Senators Danforth (ranking member), Packwood, Pressler, Stevens, Kasten, McCain, Burns, Gorton, and Lott.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Senators McClure (ranking member), Hatfield, Domenici, Wallop, Murkowski, Nickles, Burns, Garn, and McConnell.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Senators Chafee (ranking member), Simpson, Symms, Durenberger, Warner, Jeffords, and Humphrey.

Committee on Finance: Senators Packwood (ranking member), Dole, Roth, Danforth, Chafee, Heinz, Durenberger, Armstrong, and Symms.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Senators Helms (ranking member), Lugar, Kassebaum, Boschwitz, Pressler, Murkowski, McConnell, Humphrey, and Mack.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Senators Roth (ranking member), Stevens, Cohen, Rudman, Heinz, and Wilson.

Committee on the Judiciary: Senators Thurmond (ranking member), Hatch, Simpson, Grassley, Specter, and Humphrey.

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Senators Hatch (ranking member), Kassebaum, Jeffords, Coats, Thurmond, Durenberger, and Cochran.

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Majority Committee Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 46, to make majority party appointments to Senate committees under paragraphs 3(a), (b), and (c) of Rule XXV for the 101st Congress, as follows:

Committee on the Budget: Senators Sasser (Chairman), Hollings, Johnston, Riegle, Exon, Lautenberg, Simon, Sanford, Wirth, Fowler, Conrad, Dodd, and Robb.

Committee on Rules and Administration: Senators Ford (Chairman) Pell, Byrd, Inouye, DeConcini, Gore, Moynihan, Dodd, and Adams.

Committee on Small Business: Senators Bumpers (Chairman), Nunn, Baucus, Levin, Dixon, Boren, Harkin, Kerry, Mikulski, and Lieberman.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Senators Cranston (Chairman), Matsunaga, DeConcini, Mitchell, Rockefeller, and Graham.

Select Committee on Ethics: Senators Heflin, Pryor, and Sanford.

Special Committee on Aging: Senators Pryor (Chairman), Glenn, Bradley, Burdick, Johnston, Breaux, Shelby, Reid, Graham, and Kohl.

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Minority Committee Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 47 making minority party appointments to Senate committees for the 101st Congress, as follows;

Committee on the Budget: Senators Domenici, Armstrong, Boschwitz, Symms, Grassley, Kasten, Nickles, Rudman, Gramm, and Bond.

Committee on Rules and Administration: Senators Stevens, Hatfield, McClure, Helms, Dole, Garn, and McConnell.

Committee on Small Business: Senators Boschwitz, Kasten, Pressler, Wallop, Bond, Grassley, Lott, Burns, and Stevens.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Senators Murkowski, Simpson, Thurmond, Specter, and Jeffords.

Select Committee on Ethics: Senators Rudman, Helms, and Lott.

Special Committee on Aging: Senators Heinz, Cohen, Pressler, Grassley, Wilson, Domenici, Simpson, Warner, and Kassebaum.

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Amending Senate Rules: Senate agreed to S. Res. 48, to amend paragraph 4 of Rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

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Amending Senate Rules: Senate agreed to S. Res. 49, to amend paragraph 4 of Rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

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Committee Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 36, providing for members on the part of the Senate of the Joint Committee on Printing and the Joint Committee on the Library, as follows:

Joint Committee on Printing: Senators Ford, DeConcini, Gore, Stevens, and Hatfield.

Joint Committee of Congress on the Library: Senators Pell, DeConcini, Moynihan, Hatfield, and Stevens.

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Appointments:

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to S. Res. 4, 95th Congress, S. Res. 448, 96th Congress, and S. Res. 127, 98th Congress, as amended, appointed Senators Conrad, Murkowski, McCain, and Cochran to the Select Committee on Indian Affairs.

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Select Committee on Intelligence: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to S. Res. 400, 94th Congress, and S. Res. 4, 95th Congress, appointed Senators Boren (Chair-

man), Nunn, Hollings, Bradley, DeConcini, Cranston, Metzenbaum, Glenn, Cohen, Hatch, Murkowski, Specter, Warner, D'Amato, and Danforth to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

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Joint Economic Committee: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to sec. 1024 of title 15, U.S.C., appointed Senators Sarbanes, Bentsen, Kennedy, Bingaman, Gore, Bryan, Roth, Symms, Wilson, and Mack to the Joint Economic Committee.

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Joint Committee on Taxation: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance, pursuant to sec. 8002 of title 26, U.S.C., announced the designation of Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Packwood, and Dole to the Joint Committee on Taxation.

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Biomedical Ethics Board: The Presiding Officer, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 99-158, at the request of the Republican Leader, announced the appointment of Senator Nickles as a member of the Biomedical Ethics Board.

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United States Capitol Preservation Commission: The Presiding Officer, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 100-696, at the request of the Republican Leader, announced the appointment of Senator Hatfield as a member of the United States Capitol Preservation Commission.

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Advisory Committee of the White House Conference on Libraries and Information Services: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-382, appointed Carol L. Wohlford, of Kansas, and William Asp, of Minnesota, to the Advisory Committee of the White House Conference on Libraries and Information Services.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 7), Manuel Lujan, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Secretary of the Interior.

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By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 8), Michael J. Boskin, of California, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

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By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 9), Jack Kemp, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

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By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 10), William K. Reilly, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Edith E. Holiday, of Georgia, to be General Counsel for the Department of the Treasury.

William M. Diefenderfer III, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

One Coast Guard nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Foreign Service, Air Force and Navy nominations.

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—11)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and recessed at 9:09 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Friday, February 3, 1988, in pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Clayton Yeutter, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture, where the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Kerrey and Exon, and Representatives Virginia Smith and Bereuter, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: On Wednesday, February 1, committee held an organizational business meeting, where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported an original resolution requesting \$1,876,650 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$1,914,132 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991; and

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

DOE NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings to review safety, modernization, and environmental cleanup of Department of Energy nuclear weapons facilities, receiving testimony from Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs, Richard W. Starostecki, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Safety Health and Quality Assurance, John F. Ahearne, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Nuclear Facility Safety, Raymond P. Berube, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environment, and Ronald W. Cochran, Acting Director, Office of New Production Reactors, all of the Department of Energy; and James S. Moore, Westinghouse Savannah River Company, Aiken, South Carolina.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: On Wednesday, February 1, committee concluded hearings in open and closed sessions on the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense, after the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

Michael J. Boskin, of California, to be Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers; and

Jack Kemp, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to insurance fund protection of savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 7.

NOMINATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Wednesday, February 1, committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Manuel Lujan, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Secretary of the Interior.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee held a business meeting, where it took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported the nomination of William Kane Reilly, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency; and

Adopted committee rules of procedures for the 101st Congress.

On Tuesday, January 31, committee approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 32) requesting \$2,604,115 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$2,657,355 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Finance: On Wednesday, February 1, committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 34) requesting \$2,754,692 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$2,814,065 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

FEDERAL PAY RAISE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: On Wednesday, February 1, committee continued hearings to review the Report of the 1989 Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries, receiving testimony from Senators Humphrey, Pressler, Grassley, Helms, and Sanford; and Ralph Nader, Center for the Study for Responsible Laws, Joan Claybrook, Public Citizen, and James Davidson, National Taxpayers Union, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution requesting \$4,748,545 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$4,848,789 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

PARENTAL AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism concluded hearings on proposed legislation to grant employees parental and medical leave under certain circumstances, after receiving testimony from Esther Wender, American Academy of Pediatrics and Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, New York; Joe Kroll, North American Council on Adoptable Children, St. Paul, Minnesota; Barbara Hoffman, National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship, Princeton, New Jersey; Myra Guski, Seminole, Florida; Carol Ball, Ball Publishing Company, Arcanum, Ohio; Mary Wendy Roberts, Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries, Portland; Jeff Carter, Carter Communica-

tions, Liberty Corner, New Jersey; Susan Ditto Hamilton, Martha McCools Restaurant, Tucumari, New Mexico; John Motley, National Federation of Small Business, Washington, DC; Patricia Ashley, Methodist Hospital of Indiana, Indianapolis; and Dana Friedman, Families and Work Institute, New York, New York.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported the following resolutions:

An original resolution (S. Res. 39) to provide for the filing and argument of motions by Judge Alcee L. Hastings to dismiss articles of impeachment; and

An original resolution (S. Res. 38) to provide for the appointment of a committee to receive and to report evidence with respect to articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

Also, the committee adopted the report on the "Procedure for the Impeachment Trial of United States District Judge Alcee L. Hastings in the United States Senate," for submission to the Senate.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on problems arising from Federal Government representation of Indian interests, and alleged fraud and corruption in regulating contracting on Indian reservations, receiving testimony from Donald James, Native American Construction and Engineering, Fort Defiance, Arizona; John Paddock, FAITHCO, Ltd., Marana, Arizona; Pat Chee Miller, PC&M Construction Company Inc., Gallup, New Mexico; Franz Springer, Springer Construction Company, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Larry Ward, Inbanco Corp., Phoenix, Arizona; and Johnny Donaldson, Dineh Construction and Mechanical, Tse Bonito, New Mexico.

Hearings were also held on Wednesday, February 1, on the protection of Indian rights, receiving testimony from Donald Asbra, Chief, Contracting Division, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Steven N. Marica, Assistant Inspector-General for Investigations, Small Business Administration; Richard James Elroy, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; and Craig Kendall, Franklin, Tennessee; and in closed session from Richard Ramirez, former Head, Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization Program, U.S. Navy.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 6.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 78 public bills, H.R. 758-835; 2 private bills, H.R. 836-837; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 117-124, H. Con. Res. 43, and H. Res. 58-63 were introduced.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 12:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: On February 1, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Commander-in-Chief, Pacific Command. Testimony was heard from Adm. Huntington Hardisty, USN, Commander-in-Chief, Pacific Command.

On February 1, the Subcommittee met in executive session to hold a hearing on the Commander-in-Chief, Southern Command, and on the Commander-in-Chief, Special Operations Command. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: Gen. Frederick Woerner, Jr., USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Southern Command, and Gen. James Lindsay, USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Special Operations Command.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on Corps of Engineers: Lower Mississippi Valley Division; New England Division; and Pacific Ocean Division. Testimony was heard from the following Division Engineers, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army: Maj. Gen. Thomas A. Sands, Lower Mississippi Valley Division and President, Mississippi River Commission; Col. Daniel M. Wilson, New England Division; and Brig. Gen. Arthur E. Williams, Pacific Division.

On February 1, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Corps of Engineers: Ohio River Division; Missouri River Division; and on Southwestern Division. Testimony was heard from the following Division Engineers, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army: Col. Paul Y. Chinen, Ohio River Division; Brig. Gen. Robert H. Ryan, Missouri River

Division; and Brig. Gen. Robert C. Lee, Southwestern Division.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On February 1, the Subcommittee on Interior continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative held a hearing on the following: Biomedical Ethics Board; GPO; Architect of the Capitol; and Botanic Garden. Testimony was heard from Senator Gore; Representative Gradison; Joseph E. Jenifer, Acting Public Printer, GPO; and George M. White, Architect of the Capitol.

On February 1, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Library of Congress and on the CBO. Testimony was heard from James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress; and James H. Blum, Acting Director, CBO.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee of Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the Postal Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Postal Service: Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General; Michael S. Coughlin, Deputy Postmaster General; Louis A. Cox, General Counsel; and Comer S. Coppie, Senior Assistant Postmaster General, Finance Group.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING FOR A COMPETITIVE AMERICA ACT CORRECTION; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported H.R. 678, to make a correction in the Education and Training for a Competitive America Act of 1988.

Prior to this action, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On February 1, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget requests of the Bureau of Mines, the U.S. Geological Survey, Energy and Minerals Management Activity of the

Bureau of Land Management, and Minerals Management Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines; Dallas L. Peck, Director, Geological Survey; Roland G. Robinson, Deputy Director, Bureau of Land Management; and Robert E. Kallman, Director, Minerals Management Service.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on proposed fiscal year 1990 budget for the Bureau of Land Management. Testimony was heard from Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met for organizational purposes.

NASA BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space and Science and Applications held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget request for NASA. Testimony was heard from James C. Fletcher, Administrator, NASA.

On February 1, the Subcommittee met for organizational purposes.

VA CONSTRUCTION BUDGET

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On February 1, the Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on the proposed fiscal year 1990 construction budget for the Veterans Administration. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Kanjorski and Bilbray; Susan Livingstone, Associate Deputy Administrator, Logistics, VA; representa-

tives of veterans' organizations; and a public witness.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the tax policy aspects of mergers and acquisitions. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; David M. Walker, Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits, Department of Labor; and public witnesses.

On February 1, the Committee continued hearings on the tax policy aspects of mergers and acquisitions. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: On February 1, the Subcommittee on Social Security met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: On February 1, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

Joint Meeting

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued hearings on the national economic outlook for 1989, receiving testimony from Allen Sinai, The Boston Company Economic Advisers, Inc., Boston Massachusetts; Lawrence Chimarine, The WEFA Group, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Richard Rahn, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 9.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.
The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through January 31, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session	6	7	..
Time in session	14 hrs., 14'	11 hrs., 23'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	951	146	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	244	..
Public bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	14	25	39
Senate bills .....	..	..	..
House bills .....	..	..	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	5	4	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	1	..
Simple resolutions	9	20	..
Measures reported, total	*8	*..	8
Senate bills .....	..	..	..
House bills .....	..	..	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
Simple resolutions	8	..	..
Special reports .....	..	..	..
Conference reports .....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	..	..	..
Measures introduced, total	409	972	1,381
Bills	321	757	..
Joint resolutions	45	116	..
Concurrent resolutions	11	42	..
Simple resolutions	32	57	..
Quorum calls	1	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes	6	3	..
Recorded votes .....	..	..	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoed overridden .....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. No reports have been filed in the Senate, no reports have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through January 31, 1989

Civilian nominations, totaling 100, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	6
Unconfirmed	94

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 745, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed	745
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Air Force nominations, totaling 3,119, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed	3,119
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Army nominations, totaling 3,870, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed	3,870
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Navy nominations, totaling 2,784, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed	2,784
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Marine Corps nominations, totaling 959, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed	959
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Summary

Total nominations received this session	11,577
Total confirmed	6
Total unconfirmed	11,571

Friday, February 3, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Recess: Senate convened at 11 o'clock a.m., and recessed at 11 o'clock and 1:06 seconds a.m., until 2:15 p.m., on Tuesday, February 7, 1989.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Agriculture and Related Agencies: Senators Burdick (Chairman), Bumpers, Harkin, Adams, Fowler, Kerrey, Cochran, McClure, Kasten, Specter, and Grassley.

Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary: Senators Hollings (Chairman), Inouye, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Sasser, Adams, Rudman, Stevens, Hatfield, Kasten, and Gramm.

Defense: Senators Inouye (Chairman), Hollings, Johnston, Byrd, Leahy, Sasser, DeConcini, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Harkin, Stevens, Garn, McClure, Kasten, D'Amato, Rudman, Cochran and Specter.

District of Columbia: Senators Adams (Chairman), Fowler, Kerrey, Gramm and Domenici.

Energy and Water Development: Senators Johnston (Chairman), Byrd, Hollings, Burdick, Sasser, DeConcini, Reid, Hatfield, McClure, Garn, Cochran, Domenici and Specter.

Foreign Operations: Senators Leahy (Chairman), Inouye, Johnston, DeConcini, Lautenberg, Harkin, Mikulski, Kasten, Hatfield, D'Amato, Rudman, Specter, and Nickles.

Hud-Independent Agencies: Senators Mikulski (Chairman), Leahy, Johnston, Lautenberg, Fowler, Kerrey, Garn, D'Amato, Grassley, Nickles and Gramm.

Interior: Senators Byrd (Chairman), Johnston, Leahy, DeConcini, Burdick, Bumpers, Hollings, Reid, McClure, Stevens, Garn, Cochran, Rudman, Nickles and Domenici.

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education: Senators Harkin (Chairman), Byrd, Hollings, Burdick, Inouye, Bumpers, Reid, Adams, Specter, Hatfield, Stevens, Rudman, McClure, Cochran and Gramm.

Legislative Branch: Senators Reid (Chairman), Mikulski, Adams, Nickles and Hatfield.

Military Construction: Senators Sasser (Chairman), Inouye, Reid, Fowler, Grassley, Garn and Stevens.

Transportation: Senators Lautenberg (Chairman), Byrd, Harkin, Sasser, Mikulski, D'Amato, Kasten, Domenici and Grassley.

Treasury, Postal Service, General Government: Senators DeConcini (Chairman), Mikulski, Kerrey, Domenici and D'Amato.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Aviation: Senators Ford (Chairman), Exon, Inouye, Kerry, Bentsen, McCain, Stevens and Kasten.

Communications: Senators Inouye (Chairman), Hollings, Ford, Gore, Exon, Kerry, Bentsen, Breaux, Packwood, Pressler, Stevens, McCain, Burns and Gorton.

Consumer: Senators Bryan (Chairman), Gore, Ford, Robb, Gorton, McCain and Kasten.

Foreign Commerce and Tourism: Senators Rockefeller (Chairman), Hollings, Bryan, Burns and Packwood.

Merchant Marine: Senators Breaux (Chairman), Inouye, Bentsen, Lott and Stevens.

Science, Technology and Space: Senators Gore (Chairman), Rockefeller, Bentsen, Kerry, Bryan, Robb, Pressler, Stevens, Kasten and Lott.

Surface Transportation: Senators Exon (Chairman), Rockefeller, Hollings, Inouye, Gore, Breaux, Robb, Kasten, Packwood, Pressler, Burns, Gorton and Lott.

National Ocean Policy Study: Senators Hollings (Chairman), Kerry (Vice Chairman), Inouye, Ford, Gore, Bentsen, Breaux, Robb, Stevens, Danforth, Packwood, Kasten, Pressler, Gorton and Lott.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Energy Regulation and Conservation: Senators Metz-enbaum (Chairman), Bradley, Bingaman, Wirth, Nickles, Murkowski, and Domenici.

Energy Research and Development: Senators Ford (Chairman), Rockefeller (Vice Chairman), Bumpers, Metz-enbaum, Wirth, Heflin, Domenici, McConnell, Nickles, Burns, and Garn.

Mineral Resources Development and Production: Senators Bingaman (Chairman), Heflin (Vice Chairman), Bumpers, Ford, Conrad, Murkowski, McConnell, Wallop, and Nickles.

Public Lands, National Park and Forests: Senators Bumpers (Chairman), Wirth (Vice Chairman), Bradley, Bingaman, Conrad, Rockefeller, Wallop, Hatfield, Burns, Garn, and Domenici.

Water and Power: Senators Bradley (Chairman), Conrad (Vice Chairman), Ford, Metz-enbaum, Heflin, Burns, Hatfield, Garn, and Wallop.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS PROJECTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation, and Infrastructure held oversight hearings on certain public buildings projects, receiving testimony in behalf of the International Cultural and Trade Center and Federal Office Building from Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, General Services Administration; Richard A. Hauser, Chairman, and M.J. Brodie, Executive Director, both of the Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; and Charles H. Percy, Chairman, and Harry McPherson, Vice Chairman, both of the International Cultural and Trade Center Commission; in behalf of the Federal Judiciary Office Building from George M. White, Architect of the Capitol, William L. Ensign, Assistant Architect, and Elliott Carroll, Executive Assistant to the Architect, all of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol; and L. Ralph Mecham, Director, and Raymond A. Karam, Assistant Director for Administration, both of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and in behalf of the Foley Square Federal Office Building and Courthouse Annex from Charles L. Brieant, Jr., Chief Judge, Southern District of New York; William J. Diamond, Regional Administrator (New York City), General Services Administration; and Robert Esnard, Deputy Mayor for New York for Policy and Physical Development, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS:

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Water Resources, Transportation, and Infrastructure: Senators Moynihan (Chairman), Mitchell, Lautenberg, Breaux, Reid, Graham, Lieberman, Symms, Warner, Jeffords, Humphrey, Durenberger and Chafee.

Environmental Protection: Senators Baucus (Chairman), Moynihan, Mitchell, Lautenberg, Breaux, Graham, Lieberman, Chafee, Simpson, Durenberger, Warner, Jeffords and Humphrey.

Superfund, Ocean and Water Protection: Senators Lautenberg (Chairman), Mitchell, Baucus, Graham, Durenberger, Simpson and Symms.

Nuclear Regulation: Senators Breaux (Chairman), Moynihan, Reid, Simpson and Symms.

Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development: Senators Reid (Chairman), Baucus, Lieberman, Warner and Jeffords.

GOVERNMENT CONSULTANTS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings to examine the Environmental Protection Agency's use of consultants and contractors, focus-

ing on certain problems involving conflict of interest, consultants performing governmental functions, and wasteful consulting services products, receiving testimony from Joel Hirschorn, Project Director, Office of Technology Assessment; David O'Connor, Director, Procurement and Contract Management Division, and Henry Longest, Director, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; and Bernard L. Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resources Management, General Government Division, and Terry Draver, Evaluator-in-Charge, Ron J. Cormier, Assistant Manager, and Kevin Donahue, Assistant Director, all of the Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, all of the General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Immigration and Refugee Affairs: Senators Kennedy (Chairman), Simon and Simpson.

Antitrust, Monopolies and Business Rights: Senators Metzenbaum (Chairman), DeConcini, Heflin, Simon, Kohl, Thurmond, Specter, Humphrey, and Hatch.

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks: Senators DeConcini (Chairman), Kennedy, Leahy, Heflin, Hatch, Simpson, and Grassley.

Technology and the Law: Senators Leahy (Chairman), Kohl, and Humphrey.

Courts and Administrative Practice: Senators Heflin (Chairman), Metzenbaum, Kohl, Grassley, and Thurmond.

Constitution: Senators Simon (Chairman), Metzenbaum, DeConcini, Kennedy, Specter, and Hatch.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee has announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Labor: Senators Metzenbaum (Chairman), Matsunaga, Harkin, Mikulski, Jeffords, Cochran, and Thurmond.

Education, Arts and Humanities: Senators Pell (Chairman), Metzenbaum, Matsunaga, Dodd, Simon, Mikulski, Kassebaum, Cochran, Hatch, Jeffords, and Thurmond.

Employment and Productivity: Senators Simon (Chairman), Harkin, Adams, Mikulski, Thurmond, Durenberger, and Kassebaum.

Handicapped: Senators Harkin (Chairman), Metzenbaum, Simon, Adams, Durenberger, Hatch, and Jeffords.

Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism: Senators Dodd (Chairman), Pell, Harkin, Adams, Coats, Hatch, and Kassebaum.

Aging: Senators Matsunaga (Chairman), Pell, Metzenbaum, Dodd, Cochran, Durenberger, and Coats.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. It will meet next at 12 noon, Monday, February 6, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meeting

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for January, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Monday, February 6, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, February 7, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—NEA/NEH/BUREAU OF MINES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Francis S.M. Hodsoll, Chairman, Hugh Southern, Deputy Chairman for Programs, Peter J. Basso, Deputy Chairman for Management, and Adrian Hirsch, Deputy Chairman for Public Partnership, all of the National Endowment for the Arts; Lynne V. Cheney, Chairman, Solace Colgan, Deputy Chairman, John Agresto, Deputy Chairman,

and Stephen Cherington, Director, Office of Planning and Budget, all of the National Endowment for the Humanities; and T.S. Ary, Director, and James S. Donahue, Chief, Division of Budget, both of the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, February 9.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee approved for reporting an original resolution requesting \$4,981,973 in operating expenses for the period of March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$5,085,260 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On Friday, February 3, committee approved for reporting an original resolution requesting \$1,123,937 in operating expenses for the period of March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$1,148,131 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on alleged corruption among elected officials in tribal government, receiving testimony from Eugene Twardowicz, Staff Investigator, Special Committee on Investigations; Drex Hansen, American West Aircraft Corporation, Houston, Texas; and Peter MacDonald, Jr., Phoenix, Arizona.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 838-877; 1 private bill, H.R. 878; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 125-128, H. Con. Res. 44, and H. Res. 64-68 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Foley to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Motion to Adjourn: By a yea-and-nay vote of 88 yeas to 238 nays, Roll No. 5, the House rejected the Coelho motion to adjourn.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 1683. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 1:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Commission for the Study of International Migration; State Justice Institute; and Marine Mammal Commission. Testimony was heard from Diego C. Asencio, Chairman, Commission for the Study of International Migration; C.C. Torbert, Jr., Chairman, Board of Directors, State Justice Institute; and William W. Fox, Jr., Chairman, Marine Mammal Commission.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the Corps of Engineers: South Pacific Division; North Pacific Division; and North Atlantic Division. Testimony was heard from the following Division Engineers, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army: Gen. John F. Sobke, South Pacific Division; Brig. Gen. Pat M. Stevens, IV, North Pacific Division; and Maj. Gen. James W. van Loben Sels, North Atlantic Division.

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Tuesday, February 7, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1750–1861

Measures Introduced: Twenty-five bills and ten resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 348–372, S.J. Res. 50–55, and S. Res. 50–53.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 50, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry (S. Rept. No. 101–2). Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 51, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 52, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Measures Passed:

Federal Pay Rate Recommendations: By 94 yeas to 6 nays (Vote No. 12), Senate passed H.J. Res. 129, disapproving the increases in executive, legislative, and judicial salaries recommended by the President under section 225 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967.

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Authority for Committees: All Committees were authorized to file reports of legislative and executive calendar business on Thursday, February 16, 1989, between 12 noon and 3 p.m.

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Messages From the House:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—12)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:15 p.m., and recessed at 5:46 p.m., until 12 noon, on Wednesday, February 8, 1989.

Committee Meetings

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Paul A. Volcker, Chairman, James D. Wolfensohn Incorporated, New York, New York, and former Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 9.

DEFENSE MATERIALS PRODUCTION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held closed oversight hearings on Department of Energy facilities for defense materials production, receiving testimony from Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs, Raymond Berube, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environment, and Richard Starostecki, Deputy Assistant

Secretary for Safety, Health, and Quality Assurance, all of the Department of Energy.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 9.

VULNERABILITY OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY RESOURCES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the adequacy of government programs designed to prevent, or respond to, interruptions in the U.S. telecommunications network and energy supplies, caused either by terrorist acts or natural disasters, receiving testimony from Charles C. Lane, Staff Investigator, Committee on Governmental Affairs; Lt. Gen. Lee M. Paschall, USAF (Ret.), former Director, Defense Communications Agency; John C. McDonald, National Research Council, National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Engineering; Thomas A. Norman, United Telecommunications, Inc., representing the National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee; Benham E. Morriss, Deputy Manager, National Communications System; and Richard King, Illinois Commerce Commission, and Thomas W. Ortiger, Illinois Emergency Services and Disaster Agency, both of Springfield.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIDS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held oversight hearings on the adequacy of Federal Government efforts to combat AIDS with regard to education, care and drug development, receiving testimony from Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Samuel Matheny, Associate Administrator for AIDS, Health Resources and Services Administration, and Gary Noble, Deputy Director for AIDS, Centers for Disease Control, all of the Department of Health and Human Services; and Samuel Thier, Institute of Medicine, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on alleged corruption among elected officials in tribal government, receiving testimony from A. Melvin McDonald, and Byron T. Brown, John Hall & Associates, both of Phoenix, Arizona; and Annie D. Wauneka, Navajo Nation, Klagetoh, Arizona.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 45 public bills, H.R. 879-923; 3 private bills, H.R. 924-926; and 18 resolutions, H.J. Res. 129-135, H. Con. Res. 45-50, and H. Res. 69-73 were introduced.

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Federal Pay Increase: By a yea-and-nay vote of 380 yeas to 48 nays, Roll No. 6, the House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.J. Res. 129, disapproving the increases in executive, legislative, and judicial salaries recommended by the President under section 225 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967.

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Impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings: House agreed to the two following resolutions relating to the trial of Judge Hastings:

H. Res. 69, excusing Mr. Edwards of California from serving as manager for the trial of the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, and appointing Mr. Synar to serve as a manager in that trial; and

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H. Res. 70, informing the Senate that Mr. Edwards of California is excused from serving as a manager for the trial of the impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, and that Mr. Synar has been appointed to serve as a manager in that trial.

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Earlier, read a letter from Representative Edwards of California wherein he requested that he be excused as a manager of the Hastings Senate trial.

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National Historical Publications and Records Commission: The Speaker appointed Representative Boggs to the National Historical Publications and Records Commission on the part of the House.

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National Economic Commission: The Speaker appointed Representative Gray to the National Economic Commission on the part of the House.

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Subsequently, read a letter from the Minority Leader wherein he appointed Representative Frenzel to serve on the part of the House as a member of the National Economic Commission.

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Joint Economic Committee: The Speaker appointed as members of the Joint Economic Committee the following Members on the part of the House:

Representatives Hamilton, Hawkins, Obey, Scheuer, Stark, Solarz, Wylie, Snowe, Fish, and Upton.

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United States Military Academy: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Visitors of the United States Military Academy the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Hefner, Laughlin, Fish, and Lowery of California.

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United States Merchant Marine Academy: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Visitors of the United States Merchant Marine Academy Representatives Manton and Bunning on the part of the House.

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Subsequently, read a letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries wherein he appointed the following Members to serve on the Board of Visitors: Representatives Hochbrueckner, Lowey of New York, Lent, and Jones of North Carolina, ex officio.

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United States Coast Guard Academy: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Visitors of the United States Coast Guard Academy Representatives Gejdenson and Johnson of Connecticut on the part of the House.

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United States Air Force Academy: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Visitors of the United States Air Force Academy the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Dicks, Barnard, Hefley, and DeLay.

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United States Naval Academy: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Wilson, McMillen of Maryland, Skeen, and Bentley.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 1725. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 2:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Courts of Appeals, District Courts and Other Judicial Services; the Administrative Office of U.S. Courts; Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; Court of International Trade; and the

Federal Judicial Center. Testimony was heard from Richard S. Arnold, Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit; Owen M. Panner, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court, Oregon; from the following officials of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts: L. Ralph Mecham, Director; and Raymond A. Karam, Assistant Director for Administration; Howard T. Markey, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; Edward D. Re, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of International Trade; and John C. Godbold, Director, Federal Judicial Center.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on the Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Central Command and the Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Command. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Central Command; and Adm. Frank B. Kelso II, USN, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Command.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the Corps of Engineers: South Atlantic Division; and North Central Division. Testimony was heard from the following Division Engineers, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army: Maj. Gen. Robert M. Bunker, South Atlantic Division; and Brig. Gen. Theodore Vander Els, North Central Division.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the Middle East Human Rights Overview. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Robert W. Farrand, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs; and Paul J. Hare, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near East and South Asian Affairs.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Department of Energy: Energy Information Administration; Economic Regulatory Administration; Office of Hearings and Appeals; and Emergency Preparedness. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Helmut A. Merklein, Administrator, Energy Information Administration; Chandler L. van Orman, Administrator, Economic Regulatory Administration; George B. Breznay, Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals; and David B.

Waller, Assistant Secretary, International Affairs and Energy Emergency.

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative held a hearing on the following: Joint Committee on Printing; Copyright Royalty Tribunal; Capitol Police Board; and the OTA. Testimony was heard from Senators Ford and Kennedy; Edward W. Ray, Commissioner, Copyright Royalty Tribunal; and from the following officials of the Capitol Police Board; Henry K. Giugni, Senate Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper; Chairman; Jack Russ, House Sergeant at Arms; and George M. White, Architect of the Capitol, both members; and public witnesses.

LEVERAGED BUYOUT TRANSACTIONS AND CORPORATE TAKEOVERS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on leveraged buyout transactions and corporate takeovers and the implications of such transactions for the domestic economy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on H.R. 770, Family Medical Leave Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Schroeder; William J. Gainer, Director, Education and Employment Programs, Human Resources Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Met to consider Committee business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on U.S. Energy: Making Less and Using More. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on proposed fiscal year 1990 budget for the National Park Service, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, the Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation and the U.S. International Council on Monuments and Sites. Testimony was heard from William Penn Mott, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Robert D. Bush, Executive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; Richard A. Hauser, Chairman, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met for organizational purposes.

VA BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a hearing on the proposed fiscal year 1990 VA budget. Testimony was heard from Representative Marlenee; Thomas E. Harvey, Acting Administrator, Veterans' Affairs, Veterans' Administration; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

Hearings continue February 9.

BUDGET DEFICIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the budget deficit, the state of the economy and Federal budget policy for fiscal year 1990 and beyond. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

INDIAN PROGRAMS

Joint Hearing: Senate Select Committee on Indian Affairs concluded joint hearings with the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 1990 for programs of the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Indian Health Service, after receiving testimony from W. Patrick Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Everett Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.

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Wednesday, February 8, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1895–2019

Measures Introduced: Twenty bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 373–392, S.J. Res. 56–59, S. Res. 54–56, and S. Con. Res. 13 and 14.

Page 1934

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 54, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on the Judiciary. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Page 1933

Measures Passed:

Commending the Service of Mike Mansfield: Senate agreed to S. Res. 55, acknowledging the distinguished service that Michael J. (Mike) Mansfield has rendered on behalf of the people of the United States of America.

Page 1925

Joint Committee on the Library Membership: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 12, to allow another member of the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate to serve on the Joint Committee on the Library in place of the Chairman of the Committee.

Page 2015

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 56, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as amicus curiae in the name of the Senate in *David A. Clarke, et al. v. United States of America*.

Page 2015

Congressional Recess: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 14, providing for a conditional recess of the Senate from February 9, 1989, until February 21, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House from February 9, 1989, until February 21, 1989.

Page 2016

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 13), Clayton Yeutter, of Nebraska, to be Secretary of Agriculture.

Page 1916

Routine lists of Coast Guard nominations.

Page 2018

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert Michael Kimmitt, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

Margaret DeBardeleben Tutwiler, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Janet Gardner Mullins, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Robert B. Zoellick, of the District of Columbia, to be Counselor of the Department of State.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

8 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Coast Guard and Army nominations.

Page 2018

Measure Indefinitely Postponed:

Federal Pay Rate Recommendations: Senate indefinitely postponed S.J. Res. 6, disapproving the recommendations of the President relating to rates of pay of certain officers and employees of the Federal Government.

Page 2015

Appointments:

United States Holocaust Memorial Council: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 96-388, as amended by Public Law 97-84, appointed Senator Metz-enbaum to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council.

Page 2018

United States Alternative Fuels Council: The Presiding Officer announced, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-494, the appointment of Senator Rockefeller to the United States Alternative Fuels Council.

Page 2018

Committee to Escort the President of the United States: The President of the Senate was authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort the President of the United States into the House Chamber for the joint session to be held at 9 p.m., on Thursday, February 9, 1989.

Page 2015

Washington's Farewell Address: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to the order of the Senate of January 24, 1901, appointed Senator Warner to read Washington's Farewell Address on February 22, 1989.

Page 2018

Appointments by the President pro tempore, the Majority Leader, and the Minority Leader: The Presiding Officer announced the following appointments which were made by the President pro tempore, and the Majority and Minority Leaders, after the sine die adjournment of the 100th Congress, pursuant to S. Res. 508, adopted on October 19, 1988:

Page 2018

U.S. International Trade Policy and Negotiations with Regard to Issues on Intellectual Property: On October 21, 1988, the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-418, and upon the recommendation of the Chairmen and Ranking Members of the Committees on Finance and the Judiciary, appointed the following Senators to be Official Advisers for U.S. International Trade Policy and Negotiations with Regard to Issues on Intellectual Property: Senators Biden, DeConcini, and Hatch.

Page 2018

U.S. International Trade Policy and Negotiations with Regard to Issues on Agriculture: On October 21, 1988, the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-418, and upon the recommendations of the Chairmen and Ranking Members of the Committees on Finance and Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, appointed the following Senators to be Official Advisers for U.S. International Trade Policy

and Negotiations with Regard to Issues on Agriculture: Senators Leahy, Pryor, and Lugar.

Page 2018

Presidential Commission on Child and Youth Deaths: On November 16, 1988, the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-294, appointed Senator Dodd to the Presidential Commission on Child and Youth Deaths.

Page 2018

Presidential Commission on Child and Youth Deaths: On November 16, 1988, the Majority Leader, with the concurrence of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Public Law 100-294, appointed the following individuals as At-Large Members of the Presidential Commission on Child and Youth Deaths: Dr. Michael Durfee, of California; Una Clarke, of New York; Stacey Winkler, of California; Michael Petit, of Maine; Dr. Amy B. Wheaton, of Connecticut; and Dr. Anne Harris Cohn, of Illinois.

Page 2018

National Commission on Infant Mortality: On December 2, 1988, the Majority Leader and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Public Law 99-660, as amended by Public Law 100-436, appointed the Honorable Lawton Chiles as an At-Large Member of the National Commission on Infant Mortality.

Page 2018

Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

Page 2003

Authority for Committees:

Page 2005

Additional Statements:

Page 2005

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—13)

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 4:52 p.m., until 8:30 p.m., on Thursday, February 9, 1989.

Committee Meetings

THIRD WORLD DEBT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy concluded hearings to examine new approaches with respect to the debt problem of developing countries, after receiving testimony from John Williamson, Institute for International Economics, and Horst Schulmann, Institute of International Finance, both of Washington, DC; Rodney B. Wagner, Morgan Guaranty Trust Co., and the Economic Policy Council of the U.S. Association of the U.S.A., and Harry L. Freeman, American Express, representing the American Agenda, both of New York, New York; Rodrigo Botero, Harvard Center

for International Relations, and the Inter-American Dialogue, and Jeffrey Sachs, Harvard University, both of Boston, Massachusetts; and Steven Hanke, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee approved for reporting an original resolution requesting \$4,951,018 in operating expenses for the period of March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$5,501,556 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

VULNERABILITY OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY RESOURCES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee continued hearings to examine the adequacy of government programs designed to prevent, or respond to, interruptions in the U.S. telecommunications network and energy supplies, caused either by terrorist acts or natural disasters, receiving testimony from Edward V. Badolato, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Energy Emergencies, Department of Energy; Randall W. Hardy, Seattle City Light, Seattle, Washington; Charles H. White, National Electrical Manufacturers Association, Washington, DC; Michehl R. Gent, North American Electric Reliability Council, Princeton, New Jersey; and David B. Hinman, Alabama Power Company, Birmingham.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Senators, as indicated, in support of resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses of their respective committees for periods from March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991, as follows:

Foreign Relations: (S. Res. 15) Senators Pell and Helms;

Indian Affairs: (S. Res. 28) Senators Inouye and McCain;

Armed Services: (S. Res. 58) Senators Nunn and Warner;

Appropriations: (S. Res. 41) Senators Byrd and Hatfield;

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (S. Res. 30) Senators Riegle and Garn;

Budget: (S. Res. 26) Senators Sasser and Domenici;

Veterans' Affairs: (S. Res. 51) Senators Cranston and Murkowski;

Governmental Affairs: (S. Res. 60) Senators Glenn and Roth;

Energy and Natural Resources: (S. Res. 12) Senators Johnston and McClure.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on organized crime's infiltration into Indian gaming, and law enforcement on the reservations, receiving testimony from Richard J. Elroy, Special Agent, and Anthony Daniels, Deputy Assistant Director, Criminal Investigative Division, both of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Robert Morehouse, California State Attorney General's Office, Sacramento; Steve McNamee, Phoenix, Arizona; William Lutz, Albuquerque, New Mexico; William Price, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Phillip Hogen, Rapid City, South Dakota; Richard A. Stacy, Casper, Wyoming; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow

grams held a hearing on the following: Central America, Caribbean; Latin America Human Rights; Africa Human Rights Overview; and on Asia Human Rights Overview. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Paula J. Dobriansky; and Robert W. Farrand, both Deputy Assistant Secretaries, Bureau of Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs; Michael G. Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs; Kenneth L. Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs; and David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of East Asia and Pacific Affairs; and public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the following: National Capitol Planning Commission; Institute of Museum Services; Institute of American Indian and Alaskan Native Culture and Arts Development. Testimony was heard from Glen T. Urquhart, Chairman, National Capitol Planning Commission; Lois Burke Shepard, Director, Institute of Museum Services, National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities; and William Stewart Johnson, Chairman, Board of Trustees; Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the GSA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GSA; Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator; Raymond A. Fontaine, Comptroller; and William B. Early, Jr., Budget Officer.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met for organizational purposes.

LEVERAGED BUYOUT TRANSACTIONS AND CORPORATE TAKEOVERS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on leveraged buyout transactions and corporate takeovers and the implications of such transactions for the domestic economy. Testimony was heard from Donald L. Plusquellic, Mayor, Akron, Ohio; and public witnesses.

NUCLEAR FACILITIES CLEAN-UP

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on the Department of Energy defense nuclear facilities clean-up and modernization. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; John Ahearne, Chairman, Advisory Committee on

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, February 9.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Commission on the Bicentennial of the Constitution; Department of State—oversight hearing on household goods storage contract; Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe; and the Federal Trade Commission. Testimony was heard from Representative Hoyer; Sheldon Kryz, Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of State; Daniel Oliver, Chairman, FTC; and former Chief Justice Warren E. Burger, chairman, Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the Corps of Engineers: Remaining Items. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Patrick Kelly, USA, Director, Civil Works, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Pro-

Nuclear Facilities Safety, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

CHILD NUTRITION ACT AND NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such acts through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AFFORDABILITY AND AVAILABILITY OF AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on the affordability and availability of auto insurance, focusing on methods used by insurers to determine rate classifications and premium charges. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Insurance Department, State of Michigan: Dhiraj N. Shah, Acting Insurance Commissioner; and Jean Carlson, Deputy Commissioner; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held an oversight hearing on Medicaid infant mortality initiatives. Testimony was heard from Representative Hyde; former Senator Lawton M. Chiles of Florida, Chairman National Commission on Infant Mortality; and public witnesses.

INDOCHINESE REFUGEES AT RISK; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs hearing on Indochinese Refugees at Risk: The Boat People, Cambodians Under Khmer Rouge Control, and Re-education Camp Detainees. Testimony was heard from Representative Pelosi; from the following officials of the Department of State: David Lamberston, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Jonathan Moore, Ambassador at Large for Refugees; and public witnesses.

U.S. HUMAN RIGHTS POLICY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing on U.S. Human Rights Policy (Part I). Testimony was heard from Richard Schifter, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs, Department of State.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on House Administration: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Met for organizational purposes.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held an oversight hearing to review major space program studies and recommendations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials met for organizational purposes.

BUDGET DEFICIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the budget deficit, the state of the economy and federal budget policy for fiscal year 1990 and beyond. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

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Thursday, February 9, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2074-2159

Measures Introduced: Twenty bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 393-412, S.J. Res. 60-61, and S. Res. 57-61.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 57, authorizing expenditures by the Select Committee on Intelligence. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 58, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Armed Services. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S. Res. 60, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Governmental Affairs. Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Joint Session: Senate met in Joint Session with the House of Representatives and received the President's State of the Union Address.

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Appointments:

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 94-304 and Public Law 99-7, appointed Senators DeConcini (Chairman), Lautenberg, Fowler, Wirth, and Reid as members of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe.

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North Atlantic Assembly: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Majority Leader, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928(a)-1928(e), as amended, appointed Senator Biden as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly during the 101st Congress.

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National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-690, announced the appointment of Senators DeConcini, Boschwitz, and Coats, as members of the National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Message of the State of the Union; ordered to lie on the table. (PM-15)

(2) Message entitled "Building A Better America," in supplement to the State of the Union Message; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs; the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, the Committee on Environment and Public Works, the Committee on Finance, the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Committee on Governmental Affairs, the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Labor and Human Resources, the Committee on Rules and Administration, the Committee on Small Business, and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (PM-16)

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:30 p.m., and, pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 14, recessed at 10:07 p.m., until 2:15 p.m., on Tuesday, February 21, 1989, for a pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

GORBACHEV INITIATIVES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense concluded hearings to review the impact of Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's initiatives on policy and budget issues, after receiving testimony from John D. Steinbruner, The Brookings Institution, Washington, DC; James A. Thomson, The Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, California; and Donald S. Zagoria, Hunter College and the Graduate Center of City University of New York, New York.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOI/DOE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Department of the Interior and the Department of Energy, receiving testimony from former Senator John Melcher; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, February 15.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Armed Services: Committee approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 58) requesting \$2,728,969 in operating expenses for the period of March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$2,785,811 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States; Edward S.G. Dennis, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; H. Joe Selby, Insignia Company, and David W. Gleeson, Lincoln Asset Management Company, both of Dallas, Texas.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 22.

NASA BUDGET

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings to review the President's proposed budget request for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from James C. Fletcher, Administrator, Dale D. Myers, Deputy Administrator, Noel W. Hinners, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Adm. Richard H. Truly, Associate Administrator, and Thomas Campbell, Comptroller, all of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEFENSE MATERIALS PRODUCTION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded closed oversight hearings on Department of Energy facilities for defense materials production, after receiving testimony from Robert C. Duncan, Director, Defense Research & Engineering, and Gen. Robert T. Herres, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, both of the Department of Defense; Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Office of Defense Programs, and Richard Starostecki, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Safety, Health and Quality Assurance, both of the Department of Energy; and John Ahearne, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Nuclear Facility Safety.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to assess challenges and responses to the global spread of chemical and biological weapons, receiving testimony from William H. Webster, Director, Central Intelligence Agency; David Goldberg, Chemical Weapons Analyst, and Barry J. Erlick, Senior Biological Warfare Analyst, both of the Department of the Army; Robert M. Cook-Deegan, and Victor Sidel, both of Physicians for Human Rights, Somerville, Massachusetts; Deborah Lief-Dienstag, and Victor Burnett, both of St. John's Episcopal Hospital, Far Rockaway, Queens, New York; and W. Seth Carus, Washington Institute for Near East Policy, and Elisa Harris, Brookings Institution, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CHILDHOOD ACCIDENTS AND INJURIES

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism held hearings on the frequency, seriousness and prevention of childhood accidents and injuries, receiving testimony from C. Everett Koop, Surgeon General of the United States; Ann Graham, Commissioner, Consumer Product Safety Commission; Martin Eichelberger, Children's Hospital, Washington, DC; Mark Widome, American Academy of Pediatrics, Hershey, Pennsylvania; Susan Gallagher, Harvard

School of Public Health, Boston, Massachusetts; James Dunning, Alexandria, Virginia; Judith Randlett, Sandy Hook, Connecticut; Marilyn Adams, Earlham, Iowa; and Michael Kurgan, Herndon, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EMPLOYER ASSET REVERSIONS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings to review employer asset reversions from terminated pension plans, after receiving testimony from David M. Walker, Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Department of Labor; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Department of the Treasury; Zack Carter, Alabama Drydock and Shipbuilding Company, Mobile, on behalf of the Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America Local 18; C.W. Gilbert, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Bert Seidman, Department of Occupational Safety, Health and Social Security, AFL-CIO, and Frank Higgins, American Association of Retired Persons, both of Washington, DC; Peter M. Kelly, Bell, Boyd and Loyd, Chicago, Illinois, on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Vance Anderson, Mobil Oil Corporation, New York, New York, on behalf of the Association of Private Pension and Welfare Plans.

COMMITTEE BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings to receive testimony from Senators, as indicated, in support of resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses of their respective committees for periods from March 1, 1989 through February 28, 1990, and from March 1, 1990 through February 28, 1991, as follows:

Labor and Human Resources: (S. Res. 52) Senators Kennedy and Hatch;

Intelligence: (S. Res. 57) Senators Boren and Cohen;

Aging: (S. Res. 25) Senator Pryor;

Finance: (S. Res. 34) Senators Bentsen and Packwood;

Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: (S. Res. 50) Senators Leahy and Lugar;

Judiciary: (S. Res. 54) Senators Biden and Thurmond;

Environment and Public Works: (S. Res. 32) Senators Burdick and Chafee;

Commerce, Science, and Transportation: (S. Res. 29) Senators Hollings and Danforth;

Small Business: (S. Res. 33) Senators Bumpers and Kasten.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 57)

requesting \$2,305,816 in operating expenses for the period of March 1, 1989, through February 28, 1990, and \$2,353,721 in operating expenses for the period from March 1, 1990, through February 28, 1991.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, February 21.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on child sexual abuse, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 22.

Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding the adjournment of the House until Tuesday, February 21, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

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Recess: House recessed at 12:40 p.m. and reconvened at 8:43 p.m.

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Presidential Address: President Bush delivered his address to the joint session of Congress. He was escorted to and from the House Chamber by a committee composed of Senators Mitchell, Byrd, Cranston, Dixon, Breaux, Daschle, Fowler, Pryor, Dole, Simpson, Chafee, Armstrong, Cochran, Nickles, and Thurmond; and Representatives Foley, Coelho, Gray, Bonior, Brooks, Michel, Cheney, Lewis of California, Edwards of Oklahoma, and Archer.

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The address was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House Document (H. Doc. 101-1).

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Presidential Message—Building a Better America: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits a supplement to his address to the joint session of Congress entitled, "Building a Better America"—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-21).

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Referral: One Senate-passed message was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 10:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Met to consider pending committee business.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Space Command. Testi-

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 90 public bills, H.R. 927-1016; 6 private bills, H.R. 1017-1022; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 136-143, H. Con. Res. 51-52, and H. Res. 74-78 were introduced.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 14, providing for a conditional recess of the Senate from February 9, 1989, until February 21, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House from February 9, 1989, until February 21, 1989—clearing the measure.

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American Indian/Alaska Native Culture and Arts: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development Representatives Kildee and Young of Alaska on the part of the House.

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Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, the following members on the part of the House: Representatives Yates, Wilson, and McDade.

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Gallaudet University: The Speaker appointed as members of the Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University Representatives Bonior and Gunderson on the part of the House.

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mony was heard from Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander-in-Chief, North American Aerospace Defense Command and U.S. Space Command.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TREASURY—POSTAL SERVICE—GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury—Postal Service—General Government concluded hearings on GSA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GSA: William R. Barton, Inspector General; Raymond A. Fontaine, Comptroller; and William B. Early, Deputy Comptroller for Budget.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations met for organizational purposes.

SAVINGS AND LOAN INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance held a hearing on the other side of the S&L Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHILD CARE PROPOSALS

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on the following: H.R. 3, Child Development and Education Act of 1989; H.R. 30, Act for Better Child Care Services of 1989; and related child care proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CORPORATE TAKEOVERS, LEVERAGED BUYOUTS AND PENSION PLANS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on corporate takeovers, leveraged buyouts and pension plans. Testimony was heard from Joseph DeFicio, Director, Income and Security Programs, GAO; and public witnesses.

FAIRNESS IN BROADCASTING ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 315, to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasters afford reasonable opportunity for the discussion of conflicting views on issues of public importance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AIRPORT SECURITY ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on Foreign Airport Security Act. Testimony was heard

from Representative Walsh; L. Paul Bremer, Ambassador at Large for Counter-Terrorism, Department of State; Ray Salazar, Director, Civil Aviation Security, FAA, Department of Transportation; Ed Stohr, U.S. Ambassador to the International Civil Aviation Organization; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Personnel and Police met to consider pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment held an oversight hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget request for the Department of Energy. Testimony was heard from Donna R. Fitzpatrick, Acting Secretary, Department of Energy.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget request for the Office of Surface Mining. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Gentile, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on the proposed fiscal year 1990 budget for the Forest Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: George S. Dunlop, Assistant Secretary; and F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION AUTHORIZATION; AUTOMATED TARIFF FILING AND INFORMATION SYSTEM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on the fiscal year 1990 authorization for the Federal Maritime Commission; and to review the Automated Tariff Filing and Information System. Testimony was heard from Elaine L. Chao, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources met for organizational purposes.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications concluded oversight hearings to review major space program studies and recommendations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AIRPORT SECURITY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on Airport Security. Testimony was heard from T. Allan McArtor, Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation; L. Paul Bremer III, Ambassador-at-Large for Counter-Terrorism, Department of State; and public witnesses.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY PLAN FOR AMERICAN TRADE AND COMPETITIVENESS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the implications of the European Community 1992 plan for American trade and competitiveness. Testimony was heard from Frank J. Vargo, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Commerce; Frank Swain, Chief Counsel, Office of Advocacy, SBA; and public witnesses.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Concluded hearings on the proposed fiscal year 1990 VA budget. Testimony was heard from Representative Watkins; Dr. L. Thompson Bowles, Special Medical Advisory Group, VA; Dr. Kenneth I. Shine, Association of American Medical Colleges, Friends of VA Medical Care and Health Research, Dean, University of California, Los Angeles, School of Medicine; representatives of veterans' organizations and other public witnesses.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 VA budget proposals. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the VA: R.J. Vogel, Chief Benefits Director; and Arthur S. Hamerschlag, Deputy Director, National Cemetery System; representatives of veterans' organizations; and public witnesses.

BUDGET DEFICIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the budget deficit, the state of the economy and federal budget policy for fiscal year 1990 and

beyond. Testimony was heard from James L. Blum, Acting Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting**ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed hearings on the national economic outlook for 1989, receiving testimony from Jeffrey Sachs, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; John Williamson, Institute for International Economics, Washington, DC; and David Hale, Kemper Financial Services, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, February 21, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Recess: Senate convened at 2:15 o'clock and 30 seconds p.m., in pro forma session, and recessed at 2:15 o'clock and 31 seconds p.m., until 12 noon, Wednesday, February 22, 1989.

Committee Meetings**APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings to review commander-in-chief posture for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Gen. John R. Galvin, USA, Commander-In-Chief, U.S. European Command.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, February 23.

MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the Federal Reserve's First Monetary Policy Report for 1989, after receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee began hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, receiving testimony from Richard G. Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Robert M. Kimmitt, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, Robert B. Zoellick, of the District of Columbia, to be Counselor of the Department of State, Janet Gardner Mullins, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs, and Margaret DeBardeleben Tutwiler, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on child sexual abuse, receiving testimony from David Small, Supervisory Special Agent, Phoenix Division, and James G. Perry, Supervisory Senior Resident, Minneapolis Division, both of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Joyce Roy, Criminal Investigator, (Albuquerque Office), and Jerome Maine, Criminal Investigator, (Billings Office), both of the Law Enforcement Services Division, and William Mehojah, Branch Chief, Christine Brown, Assistant Branch Chief, and Kenneth Ross, Assistant Director for South and West Agencies, (Gallup, New Mexico), all of the Office of Indian Education, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Tony Marceca, Special Agent, Criminal Investigative Division, U.S. Army; Betty Brintnall and Ollie Locust, both of the Cherokee Elementary School, Patricia Trampler, and Larry Blythe, all of Cherokee, North Carolina; Keneitha Haigler, Birdtown, North Carolina; Elizabeth Shiek, Smoky Mountain Mental Health Clinic, Bryson City, North Carolina; and Arthur Justice, University of South Carolina, Spartanburg.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 1023-1037; 2 private bills, H.R. 1038 and 1039; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 144, H. Con. Res. 53 and 54, and H. Res. 79-82 were introduced.

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Commission on Comprehensive Health Care: The Speaker appointed to the United States Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Pepper, Stark, Waxman, Oaker, Gradi-son, and Tauke.

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George Washington's Birthday Ceremonies: The Speaker was authorized to appoint two Members of the House, one upon the recommendation of the Minority Leader, to represent the House at appropriate ceremonies for the observance of George Washington's Birthday to be held on February 22, 1989. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Patterson and Ridge to represent the House at the ceremonies.

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United States Coast Guard Academy: Read a letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries wherein he appoints the following Members to serve on the Board of Visitors of the United States Coast Guard Academy: Representatives Tauzin, Hughes, Davis, and Jones of North Carolina, ex officio.

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Lobbyists: The compilation by the Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate of all new registrations and reports for the fourth calendar quarter of 1988, and the late third calendar quarter of 1988 received too late to be previously published, that were filed by persons engaged in lobbying activities appears in this issue of the Congressional Record.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary and Related Agencies held a hearing on the Federal Maritime Commission; and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. Testimony was heard from Elaine L. Chao, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; and Clarence Thomas, Chairman, EEOC.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the

TVA. Testimony was heard from the following members of the Board of Directors, TVA: Marvin T. Runyon, Chairman; Charles H. Dean, Jr., and John B. Waters.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs held a hearing on Environmental Issues. Testimony was heard from Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary, Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; Frank G. Vukmanic, Director, Office of Multilateral Development Banks, Department of the Treasury; Richard E. Bissell, Assistant Administrator, Program and Policy Coordination, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; Robert Wayland, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Policy, Planning and Evaluation, EPA; Mostafa K. Tolba, Under Secretary General, Executive Director, Environment Programs, United Nations; and public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held a hearing on Minerals Management Service. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Kallman, Director, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, HHS, and Education and Related Agencies held a hearing on the Secretary of Education. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems held a hearing on the fiscal years 1990/1991 Department of Energy defense programs authorization. Testimony was heard from Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; and J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO.

Hearings continue February 24.

QUALITY OF FINANCIAL AUDITS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on the Quality of Financial Audits Performed by Certified Public Accounting Profession. Testimony was heard from Frederick D. Wolf, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

CONDUCT OF MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on the Conduct of Monetary Policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Began hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers; and Harold Brown, former Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: On February 14, the Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held an oversight hearing on the implementation of the Hawkins-Stafford Elementary and Secondary School Improvement Act. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education.

OVERSIGHT: GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on Global Warming: Is It Time For Action? Testimony was heard from Daniel L. Albritton, Director, Aeronomy Laboratory, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on the President's fiscal year 1990 request for Foreign Affairs authorization. Testimony was heard from James A. Baker III Secretary of State.

AFGHANISTAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Afghanistan. Testimony was heard from Howard Shaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; and Edward W. Gnehm, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on Magnetic Fusion Energy. Testimony was heard from Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Office of Fusion Energy, Department of Energy; Lee A. Berry, Associate Director, Fusion Energy Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Rufon K. Linford, Program Director, Magnetic Fusion Energy, Los Alamos National Laboratory;

Eric Storm, Program Leader, Inertial Confinement Fusion, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources met for organizational purposes.

CIVIL PENALTY PROVISIONS; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing to review the civil penalty provisions contained in the Internal Revenue Code. Testimony was heard from Lawrence B. Gibbs, Jr., Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury; Arthur L. Nims III Chief Judge, United States Tax Court; and a public witness.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee met for organizational purposes.

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Wednesday, February 22, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 413–432, S.J. Res. 62–64, and S. Res. 62–64.

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Measures Passed:

U.S. Assistance to Soviet Armenia: Senate agreed to S. Res. 62, requesting the Secretary of State to submit a report regarding United States assistance to Soviet Armenia.

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Washington's Farewell Address: Washington's Farewell Address was read by Senator Warner.

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Consideration of Articles of Impeachment Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings—Agreement: A unanimous consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of the Articles of Impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on February 21, during the recess:

Richard J. Kerr, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence.

Routine lists of Coast Guard, Army and Navy nominations.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on February 21, during the recess:

(1) Annual Reports of the Department of Transportation; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-17)

(2) Supplementary Social Security Agreement Between the United States and Switzerland; which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-18)

(3) Annual Report of the National Endowment for Democracy; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-19)

(4) Annual Report of the ACTION Agency; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-20)

(5) Annual Report on Mine Health and Safety Activities; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-21)

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 3:31 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Thursday, February 23, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 2495.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to further consider the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee continued hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on deficit spending consequences, receiving testimony

ny from Benjamin Friedman, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; David Jones, Aubrey Lanston Company, New York, New York; and Charles Wolf, Rand Corporation, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 28.

GREENHOUSE EFFECT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on the potential threat of global climate change, and S. 169, to provide for improved coordination of national scientific research efforts and to provide for a national plan to improve scientific understanding of the Earth system and the effect of changes on climate and human well-being, receiving testimony from Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; Robert W. Corell, Assistant Director for Geosciences, National Science Foundation; Mayor Joseph P. Riley, Charleston, South Carolina; Mark Drabenstott, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Kansas City, Missouri; Thomas G. Lambrix, Phillips Petroleum Company, on behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers, Washington, DC; and William C. Clark, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 8.

NOMINATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Admiral James D. Watkins, U.S. Navy, Retired, of California, to be Secretary of Energy, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Hatfield and Wilson, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

IRS MANAGEMENT REVIEW

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Private Retirement Plans and Oversight of the Internal Revenue Service held hearings to review Internal Revenue Service management quality improvement programs and taxpayer services, receiving testimony from Lawrence B. Gibbs, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury; and Gene L. Dodaro, Director, General Management Issues, General Government Division, General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on the need to improve early childhood education programs, receiving testimony from Richard Munro, Time Inc., New York, New York; Robert Mercer, Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio; Arnold Hiatt, Stride Rite, and Matina Horner, Radcliffe College, both of Cam-

bridge, Massachusetts; Frank Doyle, General Electric Company, Fairfield, Connecticut; and Irving Harris, Ounce of Prevention Early Education Fund, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on child sexual abuse, receiving testimony from Jane Burnley, Director, Office for Victims of Crime, Department of Justice; Robert Delaware, Acting Chief, and Linda Guy, Social Services Specialist, both of the Social Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Penny Coleman, Attorney Advisor, Office of the Solicitor, all of the Department of the Interior; Judge William A. Thorne, Third Circuit Court of Appeals, West Valley City, Utah; Larry and Anne Blythe, and Roxanne Howard, all of Cherokee, North Carolina; Eidell Wasserman, Special Child Sexual Abuse Project, and Kenneth Hodder and David Breault, both of the Hopi High School and Polacca Day School, all of the Hopi Indian Reservation, Arizona; Elizabeth Shiek, Smoky Mountain Mental Health Clinic, Bryson City, North Carolina; Margaret Allen, Tribal Social Services, Gila River Indian Community, Arizona; Karen Artichoker, South Dakota Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Abuse, Rapid City; Elizabeth Little Elk Garriott, Casey Family Program, Rosebud Indian Reservation, South Dakota; and Howard Davidson, Center for Child Advocacy, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 48 public bills, H.R. 1040-1087; 1 private bill, H.R. 1088; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 145-150, H. Con. Res. 55-56, and H. Res. 83-91 were introduced.

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Committee Elections Vacated: Read a letter from the Speaker to the Chairmen of the Committees on Government Operations and Public Works and Transportation wherein he advises that the election of Representative Grant to those committees has been vacated.

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National Committee on AIDS: The Speaker appointed to the National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome the following individuals on the part of the House: Representative

Rowland; and, from private life, Mr. Scott Allen of Dallas, Texas; Mr. Norman E. Zinberg of Cambridge, Massachusetts; Mr. Donald S. Goldman of Livingston, New Jersey; and Mrs. Diane Ahrens of St. Paul, Minnesota.

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House of Representatives Page Board: The Speaker appointed Representatives Kildee and Towns as members of the House of Representatives Page Board.

Subsequently, the Minority Leader appointed Representative Emerson to also serve as a member of the Board.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 85, electing Representatives Ridge and Chandler to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, and Representative Hiler to the Committee on House Administration.

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POW/MIA Flag: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 5, providing for the use of the Rotunda of the Capitol to inaugurate the display of the POW/MIA flag—clearing the measure.

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House of Representatives Bicentenary: House agreed to H. Res. 83, establishing the Commission on the United States House of Representatives Bicentenary.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Department of Transportation annual reports: Message wherein he transmits the 19th, 20th, and 21st annual reports of the Department of Transportation—referred to the Committees on Public Works and Transportation, Energy and Commerce, and Merchant Marine and Fisheries;

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ACTION Agency report: Message wherein he transmits the annual report of the ACTION Agency for fiscal year 1988;

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United States/Switzerland agreement: Message wherein he transmits in two separate instruments the Supplementary Agreement Amending the Agreement between the United States and Switzerland on Social Security—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-27);

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Endowment for Democracy: Message wherein he transmits the annual report of the National Endowment for Democracy for 1988—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs; and

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Mine safety: Message wherein he transmits the fiscal year 1987 annual report on mine safety and

health activities submitted by the Secretary of Labor—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BUDGET REPORT

Committee on Agriculture: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

UPLAND COTTON PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton, Rice and Sugar held a hearing to review Title V of the Food Security Act of 1985, the Upland Cotton Program. Testimony was heard from Ewen M. Wilson, Assistant Secretary for Economics, USDA; and public witnesses.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: U.S. Information Agency; Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Commission; Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission; and the U.S. Sentencing Commission. Testimony was heard from Marvin Stone, Acting Director, U.S. Information Agency; John G. Goudie, Chairman, Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Commission; W. Glenn Campbell, Chairman, Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission; and Judge William W. Wilkens, Chairman, U.S. Sentencing Commission.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the following: the Secretary of the Interior; Bureau of Reclamation; and River Basin Commissions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Manuel Lujan, Jr., Secretary; Doyle Frederick, Acting Assistant Secretary, Water and Science; and C. Dale Duvall, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation; Gerald M. Hansler, Executive Director, Delaware River Basin Commission; Warner M. Depuy, U.S. Commissioner, Susquehanna River Basin Commission; and James J. Corbalis, Jr., Chairman, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Indian Health Service. Testimony was heard from Dr. Everett R. Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Secretary of Transportation. Testimony was heard from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation.

MILITARY'S ROLE IN DRUG INTERDICTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the military's role in drug interdiction. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, USMC, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Drug Policy and Enforcement; and Lt. Gen. Thomas W. Kelly, USA, Director, J-3 (Operations), Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON BASE REALIGNMENT AND CLOSURE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities held a hearing relating to the report of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure. Testimony was heard from Senators Bradley and Lautenberg; Representatives Hopkins, Boxer, Brooks, Madigan, Lewis of California, Matsui, Smith of New Jersey, Saxton, Campbell of Colorado, Porter, Brown of California, Pelosi, Courter, Florio, Torricelli, Pallone, McCloskey, Kasich and Bruce.

Hearings continue March 1.

STARS AND STRIPES NEWSPAPERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing to review funding, management and censorship of the *Stars and Stripes* newspapers. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: William E. Hart, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Public Affairs; Jordan E. Rizer, Director, Armed Forces Information Service; Col. Jeffrey M. Cook, USA, Europe; and Col. Edwin J. Montgomery, USAF, Pacific, both Editors-in-chief, *Stars and Stripes*; Martin M. Ferber, Director, Manpower and Logistics Issues; GAO; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials met in executive session to begin consideration of the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 national defense authorization. The Subcommittee was

briefed by RAdm. Thomas Brooks, USN, Director of Naval Intelligence.

Will continue tomorrow.

CONDUCT OF MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy continued hearings on the Conduct of Monetary Policy. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue March 1.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met for organizational purposes.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on the Department of Energy Nuclear Facilities. Testimony was heard from Keith Fultz, Senior Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and a public witness.

SECURITY CLEARANCES AT CLASSIFIED FACILITIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations met in executive session to hold a hearing on security clearances of Department of Energy contractor personnel and breaches of security at classified facilities. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

MANAGEMENT BUYOUTS AND LEVERAGED BUYOUTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing concerning management buyouts and leveraged buyouts (LBO's). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue February 28.

BUDGET REPORT; BILATERAL DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

The Committee also held a hearing on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 authorization request

for Bilateral Development and Economic Assistance Programs. Testimony was heard from Alan Woods, Administrator, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer, and Monetary Affairs met for organizational purposes.

IMPACT OF CONSTRUCTION BONDING CHANGES ON MINORITY BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on proposed changes to Construction Bonding Requirements: A Threat to Small and Minority Businesses. Testimony was heard from Richard Hopf, Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, GSA; and public witnesses.

CHILDREN AND HIV INFECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on Children and HIV infection. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met and considered committee funding requests for the Committee on House Administration, House Information Systems, and Committees on: Standards of Official Conduct; Agriculture; Judiciary; Education and Labor; and Veterans' Affairs.

Will continue tomorrow.

BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing to review the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget request for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the National Marine Fisheries Service. Testimony was heard from Frank M. Dunkle, Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; and James Brennan, Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce.

SELECT COMMITTEES

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 84, to establish the Select Committee on Hunger, the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control, and the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families. Testimony was heard from Representatives Leland, Rangel, Miller of California, Boggs, Emerson, Gilman, Coughlin and Bliley.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development continued hearings on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on fossil energy and uranium enrichment program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary, Fossil R&D; and Philip G. Sewell, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Uranium Enrichment; James I. Davis, Associate Director for Lasers, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; J. Robert Merriam, Vice President for Enrichment, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SBA BUDGET

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the SBA fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUDGET REPORT

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

TROUBLED SAVINGS AND LOAN INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the budget implications and current tax rules relating to troubled savings and loans institutions. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, GAO; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; James L. Blum, Acting Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 9.

CIA ACTIVITIES

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on CIA activities. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Meeting

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed hearings on the national economic outlook for 1989, receiving testimony from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty bills and eight resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 433-452, S. Res. 65-70, S.J. Res. 65, and S. Con. Res. 15.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 66, authorizing biennial expenditures by committees of the Senate. (S. Rept. No. 101-3)

S. Res. 53, authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate report titled "Developments in Aging: 1988".

S.J. Res. 25, to designate the week of May 7-14, 1989, as "Jewish Heritage Week".

S.J. Res. 32, to designate February 2, 1989, as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day".

S.J. Res. 34, designating the week of April 14-22, 1989, as "National Minority Cancer Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 37, designating the week beginning May 14, 1989, as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989".

S.J. Res. 39, to designate April 6, 1989, as "National Student-Athlete Day".

S.J. Res. 40, to authorize the President to proclaim the last Friday of April 1989 as "National Arbor Day".

S.J. Res. 44, designating the week of April 9, 1989, as "Crime Victims Week".

S.J. Res. 45, designating May 1989 as "Older Americans Month".

S.J. Res. 50, to designate the week beginning April 2, 1989, as "National Child Care Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 51, to designate the month of April, 1989, as "National Cancer Awareness Month".

S.J. Res. 52, to express gratitude for law enforcement personnel.

S.J. Res. 56, designating April 23-29, 1989, and the last week of April of each subsequent year as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 58, to designate May 17, 1989, as "High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day".

S.J. Res. 60, to designate the period of May 1-7, 1989, as "National Drinking Water Week".

S.J. Res. 63, designating June 14, 1989, as "Baltic Freedom Day".

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Measures Passed:

Designating the Robert C. Byrd Rooms in the U.S. Capitol: Senate agreed to S. Res. 65, to designate

rooms S221, S222, S223, and S224 in the United States Capitol Building as the "Robert C. Byrd Rooms".

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 69, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent Senator Kerry and employees of the Senate in the case of *United States v. Norman LeFevre, et al.*

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 70, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent Senators Kennedy, Thurmond, Hollings, Gore, Wilson, and Biden in the case of *Rodney F. Stich v. Senator Edward Kennedy, et al.*

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Articles of Impeachment Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings: The Chair submitted to the Senate for printing in the Senate Journal and Congressional Record motions to dismiss several of the articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings, and a corrected memorandum in support of those motions, filed by his counsel, pursuant to Section 2 of Senate Resolution 39, 101st Congress, 1st Session, which were received by the Secretary of the Senate on February 13 and 14, 1989, respectively, and submitted for printing the joint statement of the counsels to the parties to the impeachment, regarding evidentiary matters which are not in dispute, and a separate statement submitted by the managers of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Section 4 of Senate Resolution 480, 100th Congress, 2nd Session, which were received by the Secretary of the Senate on February 21, 1989.

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Recess: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and recessed at 6:25 p.m., until 12 noon, on Monday, February 27, 1989, for a pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

TRADE PRACTICE ABUSES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings to examine the potential for trade practice abuses at the Chicago Board of Trade and the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, receiving testimony from Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, Michael Burnett, Assistant Director,

and Cecile Trop, Assistant Director, all of the General Government Division, General Accounting Office.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOJ

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Justice, receiving testimony from Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings in open and closed session to review commander-in-chief posture for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Adm. Huntington Hardisty, USN, Commander-In-Chief, Pacific; and Gen. Lewis C. Menetrey, USA, Commander-In-Chief, U.S. Forces Korea.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, February 28.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation, receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 2.

NOMINATIONS/RULES OF PROCEDURE/ SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met and took the following action:

Ordered favorably reported 10,462 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps;

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress; and

Announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence: Senators Exon (Chairman), Levin, Kennedy, Bingaman, Glenn, Gore, Thurmond, Cohen, Wilson, Wallop, and Gorton;

Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense: Senators Levin (Chairman), Dixon, Glenn, Wirth, Shelby, Byrd, Wilson, Thurmond, Cohen, McCain, and Coats;

Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense: Senators Kennedy (Chairman), Exon, Dixon, Gore, Shelby, Cohen, McCain, Gorton, and Lott;

Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology: Senators Bingaman (Chairman), Gore, Wirth, Byrd, Wallop, Lott, and Coats;

Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support: Senators Dixon (Chairman), Levin, Bingaman, Wirth, Shelby, Gorton, Thurmond, Wallop, and Coats; and

Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel: Senators Glenn (Chairman), Exon, Kennedy, Byrd, McCain, Wilson, and Lott.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued in evening session to further consider the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 28.

OZONE DEPLETION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings to review recent findings relating to the destruction of the earth's protective ozone shield in the upper atmosphere, receiving testimony from Robert T. Watson, Earth Science and Applications Division, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Adrian F. Tuck and Susan Solomon, both of the Aeronomy Lab, Boulder, Colorado, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; Joseph Glas, E.I. DuPont, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware; Robert Traflet, Allied-Signal, Inc., Morristown, New Jersey; and Arnold Braswell, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION/COMMITTEE RULES

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Louis W. Sullivan, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mr. Sullivan, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Fowler and Representatives John Lewis, Gingrich, Rowland, and Ben Jones, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Judy Brown, American Life League, Inc., Washington, DC.

Also, committee adopted its rules of procedure for the 101st Congress, and designated Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Packwood, and

Dole as members of the Joint Committee on Taxation.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Finance: Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Health for Families and the Uninsured: Senators Riegle (Chairman), Bradley, Mitchell, Rockefeller, Bentsen, Chafee, Roth, Durenberger, and Packwood.

Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy: Senators Moynihan (Chairman), Daschle, Bentsen, Dole, Durenberger, and Packwood;

Subcommittee on International Trade: Senators Baucus (Chairman), Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Boren, Bradley, Mitchell, Riegle, Rockefeller, Daschle, Danforth, Roth, Chafee, Heinz, Armstrong, Packwood, and Symms;

Subcommittee on International Debt: Senators Bradley (Chairman), Riegle, Bentsen, Dole, Armstrong, and Packwood;

Subcommittee on Private Retirement Plans and Oversight of the Internal Revenue Service: Senators Pryor (Chairman), Moynihan, Bentsen, Heinz, and Packwood;

Subcommittee on Taxation and Debt Management: Senators Matsunaga (Chairman), Bentsen, Baucus, Boren, Pryor, Roth, Danforth, Symms, and Packwood;

Subcommittee on Energy and Agricultural Taxation: Senators Boren (Chairman), Matsunaga, Bentsen, Armstrong, Symms, and Packwood; and

Subcommittee on Medicare and Long-Term Care: Senators Rockefeller (Chairman), Bentsen, Baucus, Mitchell, Pryor, Daschle, Durenberger, Dole, Packwood, Heinz, Chafee, and Danforth.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be the U.S. Representative to the United Nations with the rank and status of Ambassador, and the U.S. Representative in the Security Council of the United Nations, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Lautenberg and Bradley, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

SUDAN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs concluded hearings to examine the impact of war and famine in Sudan, after receiving testimony from Representative Wolf; Kenneth L. Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; Walter G. Bollinger, Acting Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Africa, and Julia V. Taft, Director, Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance, both of the Agency for International Development;

and John Prendergast, on behalf of the Center of Concern and the Coalition for Peace in the Horn of Africa, and Roger Winter, U.S. Committee for Refugees, both of Washington, DC.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held an organizational meeting where it took the following action:

Announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations: Senators Nunn (Chairman), Glenn (Vice Chairman), Levin, Sasser, Pryor, Kohl, Lieberman, Roth, Stevens, Cohen, Rudman, and Wilson;

Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service: Senators Pryor (Chairman), Sasser, Kohl, Stevens, and Wilson;

Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management: Senators Levin (Chairman), Pryor, Bingaman, Kohl, Lieberman, Cohen, Rudman, Heinz, and Wilson.

Subcommittee on General Services, Federalism, and the District of Columbia: Senators Sasser (Chairman), Bingaman, Lieberman, Heinz, and Stevens; and

Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation: Senators Bingaman (Chairman), Nunn, Levin, Kohl, Rudman, Cohen, and Heinz.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S.J. Res. 25, designating May 7-14, 1989 as "Jewish Heritage Week";

S.J. Res. 32, designating February 2, 1989 as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day";

S.J. Res. 34, designating April 16-22, 1989 as "National Minority Cancer Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 37, designating May 14-20, 1989 as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week";

S.J. Res. 39, designating April 6, 1989 as "National Student-Athlete Day";

S.J. Res. 40, designating the last Friday in April as "National Arbor Day";

S.J. Res. 44, designating April 9, 1989 as "Crime Victims Week";

S.J. Res. 45, designating May 1989 as "Older Americans Month";

S.J. Res. 50, designating the week of April 2, 1989 as "National Child Care Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 51, designating the month of April, 1989 as "National Cancer Awareness Month";

S.J. Res. 52, designating May 1, 1989 as "Law Day U.S.A.";

S.J. Res. 56, designating April 23-29, 1989 as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 58, designating May 17, 1989 as "High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day";

S.J. Res. 60, designating May 1-7, 1989 as "National Drinking Water Week";

S.J. Res. 63, designating June 14, 1989 as "Baltic Freedom Day";

S. 248, to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States; and

S. 270, to modify the application of the antitrust laws to encourage the licensing and other use of certain intellectual property.

Also, committee adopted its rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

An original resolution (S. Res. 66) authorizing biennial expenditures by standing, select, and special committees of the Senate, in lieu of S. Res. 12, S. Res. 15, S. Res. 25, S. Res. 26, S. Res. 28, S. Res. 29, S. Res. 30, S. Res. 32, S. Res. 33, S. Res. 34, S. Res. 41, S. Res. 50, S. Res. 51, S. Res. 52, S. Res. 54, S. Res. 57, S. Res. 58, and S. Res. 60. As approved by the committee, the resolution provides funds, as follows:

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry—\$1,876,650 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,914,132 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Appropriations—\$4,736,267 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$4,828,540 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Armed Services—\$2,728,969 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,785,811 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs—\$2,560,816 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,614,125 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on the Budget—\$3,313,130 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$3,382,402 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation—\$3,694,395 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$3,769,571 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources—\$2,673,547 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,727,832 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Environment and Public Works—\$2,604,115 for the funding period through February

28, 1990, and \$2,657,355 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Finance—\$2,754,692 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,814,065 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Foreign Relations—\$2,666,656 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,721,004 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Governmental Affairs—\$4,951,018 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$5,051,556 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on the Judiciary—\$4,748,545 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$4,846,789 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Labor and Human Resources—\$4,981,973 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$5,085,260 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Rules and Administration—\$1,430,672 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,459,163 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Small Business—\$1,012,941 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,035,734 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Committee on Veterans' Affairs—\$1,123,937 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,148,131 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Special Committee on Aging—\$1,200,008 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,213,792 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Select Committee on Intelligence—\$2,305,816 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$2,353,721 for the funding period through February 28, 1991;

Select Committee on Indian Affairs—\$1,887,941 for the funding period through February 28, 1990, and \$1,021,116 for the funding period through February 28, 1991; and

S. Res. 53, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the Senate report titled "Developments in Aging: 1988".

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on conflicts inherent in the Federal-Indian relationship, receiving testimony from William P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, and Timothy A. Vollmann, Regional Solicitor, Southwest Region, both of the Department of the Interior; Ross O. Swimmer, former Assistant Secretary of

the Interior for Indian Affairs; Ann Dore McLaughlin, former Under Secretary of the Interior, and former Secretary of Labor; Mike Clinton, former Special Assistant to the Under Secretary of the Interior; Archibald Cox, former Solicitor General of the Interior, and former Watergate Special Prosecutor; Harold Tyler, former Deputy Attorney General, and former U.S. District Court Judge for the Southern District of New York; and Erwin Griswold, former Solicitor General of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 27.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 1089-1114; 1 private bill, H.R. 1115; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 151-155, and H. Con. Res. 57 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 84, to establish the Select Committee on Hunger, the Select Committee on Children, Youth and Families, and the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control (H. Rept. 101-1).

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Technology Assessment Board: The Speaker appointed as members of the Technology Assessment Board the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Udall, Brown of California, Dingell, Miller of Ohio, Sundquist, and Houghton.

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House Recording Studio: The Speaker appointed as members of the Committee on the House Recording Studio the following Members of the House: Representatives Rose, Swift, and Boehlert.

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Trade Advisers: Upon the recommendation of the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, the Speaker selected the following members of that committee to be accredited by the President as official advisers to the United States delegations to international conferences, meetings, and negotiation sessions relating to trade agreements during the first session of the 101st Congress: Representatives Rosentkowski, Gibbons, Jenkins, Crane, and Frenzel.

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Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: The Speaker appointed as members of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Hoyer, Co-Chairman, Fascell, Markey, Richardson, Fieghan, Ritter, Porter, Smith of New Jersey, and Wolf.

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Biomedical Ethics Board: The Speaker appoints as members of the Biomedical Ethics Board the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Waxman, Thomas A. Luken, Rowland of Georgia, Gradison, Tauke, and Bliley.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 11:21 a.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on DOD Drug Program. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Drug Policy and Enforcement, Department of Defense.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water held a hearing on DOE: Departmental Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Lawrence F. Davenport, Assistant Secretary, Management and Administration; C. Anson Franklin, Assistant Secretary, Congressional, Intergovernmental and Public Affairs; John C. Layton, Inspector General; Raymond G. Massie, Director, Office of Minority Economic Impact; Frank S. Ruddy, General Counsel; David B. Waller, Assistant Secretary, International Affairs and Energy Emergencies; and Barry A. Williamson, Acting Director, Policy, Planning and Analysis.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the National Park Service. Testimony was heard from William Penn Mott, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on the Overview of fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Installations) Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness held a hearing on the operation and maintenance of the defense system.

nance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization request, with emphasis on Army Guard and Reserve readiness. Testimony was heard from Richard A. Davis, Director, Army Issues, GAO; and from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Grant S. Green, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Force-Management and Personnel; Stephen M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs; Maj. Gen. J.D. Smith, USA, Director, Operations, Readiness and Mobilization; Maj. Gen. William F. Ward, USA, Chief, USA Reserve; and Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick, USA, Director, Army National Guard.

Hearings continue February 28.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development held a hearing on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 national defense authorization, with emphasis on long-term research and development strategy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue February 28.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued consideration of the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 national defense authorization. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the Department of the Navy: VAdm. John Nyquist, Assistant Chief, Naval Operations for Surface Warfare; RAdm. G.N. Gee, Director, Surface Combat Systems Division; and Capt. Clark Graham, Commander, David Taylor Research Center.

Hearings continue February 28.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on the Financial Institutions Recovery and Enforcement Act as proposed by the Administration. Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education.

Hearings continue February 28.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight hearing on reauthorization of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Rockefeller; Donna Alvarado, Director, ACTION; James Rosen-

baum, Judge, U.S. District Court, Minneapolis, Minnesota; and public witnesses.

FSX PROTOTYPE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Competitiveness held a hearing on the proposed agreement between General Dynamics and Mitsubishi Heavy Industries for the codevelopment of the FSX prototype, and the competitiveness of the U.S. aerospace industry. Testimony was heard from Representative Levine of California; and public witnesses.

CLEANUP PROPOSALS AT DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY'S NUCLEAR WEAPONS PRODUCTION COMPLEX

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 765, to establish a commission to make recommendations to the President and Congress to assure a comprehensive national environmental approach to effective, efficient, and expeditious environmental cleanup of contamination resulting from releases of hazardous substances at Department of Energy facilities, and to examine environmental problems and cleanup proposals at the Department of Energy's nuclear weapons production complex. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stark and Unsoeld; Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, GAO; Jonathon Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Solid Waste and Environmental Response, EPA; Troy E. Wade, II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 authorization request for the Peace Corps. Testimony was heard from Loret Miller Ruppe, Director, Peace Corps; and a public witness.

CHILDREN AND HIV INFECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on Children and HIV infection. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Antonia C. Novello, Deputy Director, National Institute of Child Health and Development; Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, Associate Director, AIDS Research, National Institutes of Health; Walter R. Dowdle, Acting Director, Centers for Disease Control; Dr. Samuel C. Matheny, Associate Administrator for AIDS, Health Resources and Services Administration; and Charles R. Schuster, Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health

Administration; and Carolyn Dopplet Gray, Commissioner, Administration on Developmental Disabilities, Office of Human Development Services.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met and considered committee funding requests for the Committees on: Ways and Means; Foreign Affairs; Post Office and Civil Service; Small Business; Rules; District of Columbia; and Public Works and Transportation.

Will continue February 28.

LAND SETTLEMENT CLAIMS OF THE PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 932, to provide for the settlement of land claims of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington. Testimony was heard from Representative Dicks; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—NRC

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and The Environment held an oversight hearing on fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for the NRC. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NRC: Lando W. Zech, Jr., Chairman; Thomas M. Roberts; Kenneth R. Carr; Kenneth C. Rogers; and James R. Curtiss, all Commissioners.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations approved for full Committee action private claims bills.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee met for organizational purposes.

CONTRACTING OUT OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEE JOBS AT EPA

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on the contracting out of Federal employee jobs at the EPA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: Henry L. Longest II, Director, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response; David J. O'Connor, Director, Procurement and Contractual Management Division, Office of Administration; and John C. Martin, Inspector General; Richard L. Hembra, Associate Director, Environmental Protection Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development continued hearings on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on basic energy science and general science. Testimony was heard

from Representatives Barton of Texas, Mineta, Campbell of California, and Chapman; Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Department of Energy; Burton Richter, Director, Stanford Linear Accelerator Center; Leon M. Lederman, Director, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory; Roy F. Schwitters, Director, Superconducting Super Collider Laboratory; Herman A. Grunder, Director, Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility; Nicholas P. Samios, Director, Brookhaven National Laboratory; Siegfried Hecker, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory; David A. Shirley, Director, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory; William R. Wiley, Director, Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, Alvin W. Trivelpiece, Director, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Alan Schriesheim, Director, Argonne National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue February 28.

FOOD-POPULATION EQUATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on Food-Population Equation. Testimony was heard from Ronald Trostle, Chief, Commodity and Trade Analysis Branch, Commodity and Economic Research, USDA; Luther ValGiddings, Biotechnology Consultant, Agriculture and Rural Development, World Bank; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue February 28.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

BUDGET REPORT

Committee on Ways and Means: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to hold a hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue February 28.

Joint Meeting

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued hearings on the national economic outlook for 1989, focusing on the savings and loan crisis, the possibility of recession, and growing business and government debt, receiving testimony from Benjamin Friedman,

Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Robert Litan, Brookings Institution, and William Niskanen, CATO Institute, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Monday, February 27, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Recess: Senate convened at 12 o'clock and 17 seconds p.m., in pro forma session, and recessed at 12 o'clock and 17.6 seconds p.m., until 2:15 p.m., on Tuesday, February 28.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for military construction programs, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations), OASD (Production and Logistics); John B. Rosamond, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Materiel and Facilities); Brig. Gen. William A. Navas, Jr., Deputy Director, Army National Guard; Brig. Gen. Roger C. Bultman, Deputy Chief, Army Reserve; Rear Adm. Richard K. Chambers, Deputy Commander, Naval Reserve Force; Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services Division; Brig. Gen. John G. McMerty, Deputy Director, Air National Guard; and Brig. Gen. Shirley M. Carpenter, Deputy Chief, Air Force Reserve.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—CUSTOMS SERVICE/ COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM THE BLIND

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, February 24, Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Frank Gearde, Jr., Chairman, and Beverly L. Milkman, Executive Director, both of the Committee for Purchase from the Blind and Other Severely Handicapped; and William von Raab, Commissioner, and William Rosenblatt, Assistant Commissioner for En-

forcement, both of U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, March 1.

DOE BUDGET

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Friday, February 24, Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded oversight hearings on the Department of Energy budget request for fiscal year 1990 for basic energy research programs, after receiving testimony from Senators Bentsen and Gramm; Representative Barton; Robert Hunter, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Energy Research; Roy F. Schwitters, SSC Laboratory, Ellis County, Texas; and Philip W. Anderson, Princeton University, New Jersey.

DOD ACQUISITION PROCESS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: On Friday, February 24, Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held oversight hearings to review the management of inside information in the Department of Defense acquisition process, receiving testimony from Michael P.W. Stone, Under Secretary of the Army; H. Lawrence Garrett III, Under Secretary of the Navy; Robert B. Costello, Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition; John J. Welch, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; Robert P. Murphy, Associate General Counsel, General Accounting Office; and Robert Trimble, Martin Marietta Corporation, and William A. Anders, Textron, Inc., both of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Louis W. Sullivan, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Nunn and Representative Gingrich, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Committee on Small Business: On Friday, February 24, Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Export Expansion: Senators Mikulski (Chairman), Harkin, Lieberman, Bumpers, Pressler, Wallop, and Bond;

Subcommittee on Rural Economy and Family Farming: Senators Baucus (Chairman), Nunn, Levin, Dixon, Boren, Kerry, Bumpers, Kasten, Pressler, Wallop, Bond, Grassley, and Burns;

Subcommittee on Government Contracting and Paperwork Reduction: Senators Dixon (Chairman), Boren, Lieberman, Grassley, and Kasten;

Subcommittee on Innovation, Technology and Productivity: Senators Levin (Chairman), Baucus, Kerry, Lott, and Stevens;

Subcommittee on Competition and Antitrust Enforcement: Senators Harkin (Chairman), Lieberman, and Stevens; and

Subcommittee on Urban and Minority-Owned Business Development: Senators Kerry (Chairman), Nunn, Mikulski, Burns, and Lott.

INDIAN LAND CLAIMS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: On Friday, February 24, committee concluded hearings on S. 402, to provide for the settlement of land claims of Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington, after receiving testimony from Senators Adams and Gorton; Representative Dicks; Washington State Representative Art Wang, and Kaleen Cottingham and Michael J. McCormick, both of the Office of the Governor of the State of Washington, all of Olympia; Mayor Doug Sutherland, Tacoma, Washington; Mayor Ron Crowe, Puyallup, Washington; Harry Sachse, Washington, D.C.; James Waldo, Seattle, Washington; Bill Sterud, Henry John, Roleen Hargrove, Nancy Shippentower, and Gabriel Landry, all of the Tribal Council of the Puyallup Tribe, John McCarthy, Port of Tacoma, Cory McFarland, McFarland Cascade, and Karl Anderson, Concrete Tech, all of Tacoma, Washington; and John Ladenburg, Pierce County, Washington.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, receiving testimony from William P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs; Dom Nessi, Director, Office of Indian Programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Craig Vanderwagon, Director, Division of Clinical Prevention Services, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; Ivan L. Sidney, Hopi Tribe, Keams Canyon, Arizona; John Taylor, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, Cherokee, North Carolina; and John Washakie, Wind River Reservation, Fort Washakie, Wyoming.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 1116-1135; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 58-60 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Coelho to serve as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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House of Representatives Bicentenary: The Speaker appointed as members of the Commission on the United States House of Representatives Bicentenary on the part of the House: Representatives Boggs, Chairman, Sharp, Foglietta, Shuster, Gingrich, and Henry; and, former Members of the House, Mr. Vandergriff of Texas and Mr. Rhodes of Arizona.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on DOE: Solar and Renewables, Fusion, and Environment. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy; Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Director, Office of Energy Research; and Peter N. Brush, Acting Assistant Secretary, Environment, Safety and Health.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Compensatory Education for the Disadvantaged. Testimony was heard from Beryl Dorsett, Assistant Secretary, Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Budget Overview, and Inspector General Overview. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Stephen Dewhurst, Budget Officer; and Leon Snead, Acting Inspector General.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: On February 24, the Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued hearings on the fiscal years 1990/

1991 DOE defense programs authorization, with emphasis on environmental issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Raymond P. Berube, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment; and Troy E. Wade, II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs; J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and a public witness.

OLDER AMERICAN VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: On February 24, the Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Older American Volunteer Programs. Testimony was heard from Donna Alvarado, Director, ACTION; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—FOREIGN AID REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held an oversight hearing on U.S. Foreign Aid requests for Asian and Pacific regions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Howard Schaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Tom Reese, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Asia/Near East Bureau, AID; and RAdm. Timothy W. Wright, Director, East Asian and Pacific Region, OSD/ISA, Department of Defense.

INSULAR AREAS BUDGET

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On February 24, the Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget request for the insular areas. Testimony was heard from the following officials of Guam: Joseph F. Ada, Governor; Ted S. Nelson, Vice Speaker; Marilyn Manibusan, Senator; and Herminia D. Dierking, Senator, both with the Legislature; from the following officials of American Samoa: Tuana'itau F. Tuia, Speaker, House of Representatives; Letuli Toloa, President, Senate; and Ace Aga'ese Tago, Director of Budget and Finance; Jose George, Director, Office of Management and Budget, Virgin Islands; from the following officials of the Northern Mariana Islands: Benjamin T. Manglona, President, Senate; Pedro R. Guerrero, Speaker of the House; and Eloy S. Inos, Director of Finance; Jesse Marehalau, Federated States of Micronesia Representative to the United States; and Wilfred I. Kendall, Republic of the Marshall Islands Representative to the United States.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on

FBI Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Practices. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOINT MANUFACTURING OPPORTUNITIES ACT

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation and Business Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Antitrust, Impact of Deregulation and Privatization held a joint hearing on H.R. 423, to modify the application of the antitrust laws to increase competition in trade by encouraging small businesses to jointly manufacture and distribute products. Testimony was heard from Charles F. Rule, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; Frank Swain, Chief Counsel for Advocacy Programs, SBA; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

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Tuesday, February 28, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-six bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 453-478, S. Res. 71 and 72, and S.J. Res. 66-68.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. Res. 59, commending the Government and people of Pakistan on their return to democracy.

S. Con. Res. 15, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan.

Special Report entitled: "Developments in Aging, Volumes I and II". (S. Rept. No. 101-4)

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Measures Passed:

Omnibus Committee Funding Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 66, authorizing biennial expenditures by the committees of the Senate, after taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Rejected:

(1) Wilson Amendment No. 7, to strike section 24, which would abolish the present spending cap on use of the frank by Senators. (By 50 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 14), Senate tabled the amendment).

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 8, to reduce the level of recurring funds for committee year 1989 and 1990, respectively. (By 62 yeas to 36 nays (Vote No. 15), Senate tabled the amendment).

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Printing Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 53, authorizing printing additional copies of Senate report titled "Developments in Aging: 1988".

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Jewish Heritage Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 25, designating the week of May 7-14, 1989, as "Jewish Heritage Week".

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National Women and Girls in Sports Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 32, designating February 2, 1989, as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day".

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National Minority Cancer Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 34, designating the week of April 16-22, 1989, as "National Minority Cancer Awareness Week".

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National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989: Senate passed S.J. Res. 37, designating the week beginning May 14, 1989, as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989".

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National Student-Athlete Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 39, designating April 6, 1989, as "National Student-Athlete Day".

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National Arbor Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 40, to authorize the President to proclaim the last Friday of April 1989 as "National Arbor Day".

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Crime Victims Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 44, designating the week of April 9, 1989, as "Crime Victims Week".

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Older Americans Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 45, designating May 1989 as "Older Americans Month".

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National Child Care Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 50, designating the week beginning April 2, 1989, as "National Child Care Awareness Week".

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National Cancer Awareness Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 51, designating the month of April 1989 as "National Cancer Awareness Month".

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Expression of Gratitude: Senate passed S.J. Res. 52, expressing gratitude for law enforcement personnel.

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National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 56, designating April 23-29, 1989, and the last week of April of each subsequent year as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week".

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High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 58, designating May 17, 1989, as "High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day".

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National Drinking Water Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 60, designating the period of May 1-7, 1989, as "National Drinking Water Week".

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Baltic Freedom Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 63, designating June 14, 1989, as "Baltic Freedom Day".

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Authorizing Individuals to Testify: Senate agreed to S. Res. 71, authorizing a present and a former employee of the Senate to testify in the case of *United States v. Ladd Anthony*.

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Condemning Threats of Violence: Senate agreed to S. Res. 72, condemning the threats against the author and publishers of "Satanic Verses."

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Sullivan Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of Louis W. Sullivan, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services, on Wednesday, March 1.

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Executive Report of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense (reported unfavorably, together with minority, supplemental, and additional views). (Ex. Rept. No. 101-1)

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Joint Meeting of Congress To Commemorate the Bicentennial: The Majority Leader announced a joint meeting of Congress to occur at 10 a.m., on Thursday, March 2, 1989, in the Hall of the House of Representatives to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the U.S. Congress.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Ferdinand F. Fernandez, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

Pamela Ann Rymer, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

Robert C. Bonner, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District.

Melinda Harmon, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District.

Vaughn R. Walker, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

3 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the report on activities under the Highway Safety Act; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-22)

(2) Transmitting the National Trade Policy Agenda for calendar year 1989, and an addendum to the Twenty-ninth Annual Report on the Trade Agreements Program, 1988; which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-23)

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Appointments by the Presiding Officer:

Interparliamentary Union Delegation: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276, as amended, appointed Senator Sanford as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the Interparliamentary Union during the 101st Congress.

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U.S. Official Advisers: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 93-618, and upon the recommendation of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance, appointed the following Senators as official advisers to the U.S. delegations to international conferences, meetings, and negotiation sessions relating to trade agreements: Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Baucus, Packwood, and Dole; and as alternates to the above conferences, meetings and negotiation sessions: Senators Moynihan, Boren, Bradley, Mitchell, Pryor, Riegle, Rockefeller, Daschle, Roth, Danforth, Chafee, Heinz, Durenberger, Armstrong, and Symms.

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British-American Parliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, appointed Senator Byrd as the Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the British-American Parliamentary Group during the 101st Congress.

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Measure Indefinitely Postponed:

Expression of Condemnation: S. Res. 68, to express the Senate's condemnation of the threats against the author and publishers of "Satanic Verses".

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—15)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:15 p.m., and recessed at 7:58 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Wednesday, March 1. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3030.)

Committee Meetings

1990 BUDGET

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held hearings on the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Richard G. Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 7.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings in open and closed sessions to review commander-in-chief posture for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, USA, Commander-In-Chief, Central Command; and Gen. Duane H. Cassidy, USAF, Commander-In-Chief, U.S. Transportation Command.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 2.

MEDICARE CONTRACTORS PROGRAM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held oversight hearings to discuss potential fraud, audit savings and payments in the Medicare contractors program, receiving testimony from Michael Zimmerman, Director, Medicare/Medicaid Issues, General Accounting Office; Richard Kusserow, Inspector General, and Terry Coleman, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; Bill Horton, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of South Carolina, Columbia; Arthur Lifson, Equicor, New York, New York; and Sally Wood, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Iowa, Des Moines.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 9.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from L. William Seidman, Chairman, and Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, both of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee resumed hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on fiscal policy and the economic outlook, receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JAPANESE PATENT POLICY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism held hearings to review the effect of the Japanese patent system on American business, focusing on current negotiations that will affect the protection of intellectual property in the United States and Japan, receiving testimony from Michael K. Kirk, Assistant Commissioner for External Affairs, Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce; A.E. Hirsch, Jr., Pacific Industrial Property Association, Warren, New Jersey; and Alan Lourie, SmithKline, Beckman Corporation, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TONGASS NATIONAL FOREST

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on S. 237, and S. 346, bills to reform the timber program for the Tongass National Forest in Alaska, after receiving testimony from Senator Stevens; Representative Don Young; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Michael Barton, Regional Forester, Alaska Region, and Jerry F. Franklin, Chief Plant Ecologist, Pacific Northwest Forest and Range Experiment Station, all of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Eric S. Laschever, on behalf of the Governor's Office of the State of Alaska, and Gerald J. Gray, American Forestry Association, both of Washington, DC; Larry Edwards, Southeast Alaska Conservation Council, David A. Anderson, Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Robert W. Loescher, Sealaska Corporation, and William A. Thomas, Jr., Klukwan Forest Products, Inc., all of Juneau, Alaska; Donald Finney, Alaska Loggers Association, Ketchikan, Alaska; and William H. Banzhaf, Society of American Foresters, Bethesda, Maryland.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be the U.S. Representative to the United Nations with the rank of Ambassador, and the U.S. Representative in the Security Council of the United Nations, Robert Michael Kimmitt, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, Robert B. Zoellick, of the District of Columbia, to be Counselor of the Department of State, Janet Gardner Mullins, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs, and Margaret DeBardleben Tutwiler, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs;

S. 347, to combat international terrorism and otherwise further the national security and foreign policy interests of the United States;

S. Res. 59, commending the Government and people of Pakistan on their return to democracy; and

S. Con. Res. 15, relating to peace and famine relief in Sudan.

Also, committee adopted its rules of procedure for the 101st Congress and announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on European Affairs: Senators Biden (Chairman), Sarbanes, Simon, Pressler, and Boschwitz;

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Trade, Oceans and Environment: Senators Sarbanes (Chairman), Pell, Dodd, Kerry, Sanford, Humphrey, Lugar, Boschwitz, and Murkowski;

Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs: Senators Cranston (Chairman), Pell, Biden, Dodd, Murkowski, Lugar, and McConnell;

Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs: Senators Dodd (Chairman), Cranston, Kerry, Sanford, Robb, Lugar, Kassebaum, McConnell, and Mack;

Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations: Senators Kerry (Chairman), Sanford, Moynihan, Robb, McConnell, Murkowski, and Humphrey;

Subcommittee on African Affairs: Senators Simon (Chairman), Cranston, Moynihan, Kassebaum, and Mack; and

Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs: Senators Moynihan (Chairman), Pell, Sarbanes, Robb, Boschwitz, Kassebaum, and Pressler.

COMMITTEE RULES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held an organizational business meeting where it adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

DECEPTIVE MAILING PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings on S. 273, to prohibit deceptive mailing practices by expanding the post office's authority to stop delivery of certain materials, receiving testimony from Senators Heinz, Lieberman, and Roth; Tim Mahoney, Inspector Attorney, Postal Inspector Service, and George C. Davis, Assistant General Counsel, Consumer Protection Division, Postal Service Law Department, both of the U.S. Postal Service; Erling Johnson, Anoka, Minnesota, on behalf of the American Association of Retired Persons; and Gary H. Baer and Gene Del Polito, both of the Third Class Mailers Association, Richard A. Barton, Direct Marketing Association, Mark Silbergeld and Dan Doherty, both of the Alliance of Nonprofit Mailers, Carolyn A. Emigh, Nonprofit Mailers Federation, and Robert B. Brown, Blinded Veterans Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee met in closed session to discuss the nomination of Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Veterans' Affairs, and Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Richard J. Kerr, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner and Robb, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 1136-1176; 2 private bills, H.R. 1177-1178; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 156-164, H. Con. Res. 61-63, and H. Res. 92-95 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 678, to make a correction in the Education and Training for a Competitive America Act of 1988 (H. Rept. 101-2).

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Printing: House agreed to H. Res. 92, authorizing the printing of the committee print entitled "Report of the Task Force on Foreign Assistance" as a House document.

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Select Committees: House agreed to H. Res. 84, to establish the Select Committee on Hunger, the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, and the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control, by agreeing, on a division of the question, to titles I, II, and III of the resolution.

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Presidential Message—Highway Safety: Read a message from the President where he transmits the 1987 reports on traffic safety and highway safety—referred to the Committees on Public Works and Transportation and Energy and Commerce

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Attorney General; General Administration; Office of Inspector General; Fees and Expenses of Witnesses; and U.S. Trustees. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Dick Thornburg, Attorney General; Michael J. Roper, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Controller; Harry H. Flickinger, Assistant Attorney General, Administration; and Thomas J. Stanton, Director and Counsel, United States Trustees.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 Air Force Posture. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: James F. McGovern, Acting Secretary; and Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Staff.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the following: DOE: General Science; Basic Energy Sciences; and Supporting Technology. Testimony was heard from Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Director, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on International Economic

Overview. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Secretary of Interior. Testimony was heard from Manuel Lujan, Secretary of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Impact Aid, Bilingual and Immigrant Education, and School Improvement Programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Education: Beryl Dorsett, Assistant Secretary, Elementary and Secondary Education; and Alicia Coro, Acting Director, Office of Bilingual Education and Minority Languages Affairs.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on General Agricultural Outlook. Testimony was heard from Ewen Wilson, Assistant Secretary, Economics, USDA.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on ICC. Testimony was heard from Heather J. Gradison, Chairman, ICC.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on Administrative Conference of the U.S., and the Advisory Committee on Intergovernmental Relations. Testimony was heard from Marshall J. Breger, Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States; and Robert Hawkins, Director, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the DOD O&M budget and on the Unified and Specified Command manpower savings. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John A. Flinn, Director of Operations, Office of the Comptroller; Lt. Gen. Charles McCausland, Director, Defense Logistics Agency; Carolyn Duke, Budget Analyst for Section 6 Schools; and Bartley Lagamarsino, both with the Dependent Schools;

Derek Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General; David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Resource Management and Support); and Maj. Gen. George L. Butler, Vice Director for Strategic Plans and Policy, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the defense industrial and technology base and the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency. Testimony was heard from Raymond S. Colladay, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 2.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the shipbuilding request. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary, Shipbuilding and Logistics; VAdm. John W. Nyquist, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Surface Warfare); and VAdm. Peter M. Hekman, Jr., Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command.

Hearings continue March 2.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury; and Clayton K. Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

Hearings continue March 2.

CHILD NUTRITION ACT AND NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such acts through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 2.

FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations approved for full Committee action H.R. 770, Family and Medical Leave Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT—NRC

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on the NRC and its fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NRC: Lando Zach, Chairman; Kenneth M. Carr; James R. Curtiss; Thomas R. Roberts; and Kenneth Rogers, all Commissioners.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held an oversight hearing on health effects of nonattainment of Clean Air Act standards for ozone and carbon monoxide in the nation's cities. Testimony was heard from Don Clay, Acting Assistant Administrator, Air and Radiation, EPA; Don Theiler, Director, Bureau of Air Management, State of Wisconsin; John Elston, Assistant Director, Air Quality Management and Surveillance, Department of Environmental Protection, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

FCC PRICE GAP PROPOSAL

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on FCC price gap proposal. Testimony was heard from Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, FCC; and a public witness.

TASK FORCE ON FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing to review the Task Force on Foreign Assistance. Testimony was heard from Senator Kassebaum; and public witnesses.

INM BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing to review the fiscal year 1990 INM budget request. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met and considered committee funding requests for the following Committees: Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence; Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Energy and Commerce; Interior and Insular Affairs; Science, Space, and Technology; and Government Operations.

OIL SHALE CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held a hearing on H.R. 643, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims. Testimony was heard from James E. Cason, Acting Assistant

Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

LAND CONVEYANCE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, VA, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home. Testimony was heard from Representatives Olin, and Payne of Virginia; Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights concluded oversight hearings on FBI Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Practices. Testimony was heard from William S. Sessions, Director, FBI, Department of Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development continued hearings on Department of Energy's fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on Solar/Conservation. Testimony was heard from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOOD-POPULATION EQUATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment continued hearings on Food-Population Equation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 2.

ADEQUACY AND PRIORITIES FOR AMERICAN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on the adequacy, direction and priorities for the American Science and Technology effort. Testimony was heard from Richard Muller, Professor and Faculty Senior Scientist, Department of Physics, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, University of California; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held a hearing on NASA fiscal years 1990/1991 authorization. Testimony was heard from James Odom, Asso-

ciate Administrator for Space Station, NASA; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

THE WORKING POOR

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on how to help the working poor. Testimony was heard from Senator Gore; Representatives Miller of California, Tauke, Petri and Henry; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures met for organizational purposes.

NATIONAL TRADE POLICY AGENDA

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on the national trade policy agenda for 1989. Testimony was heard from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 2.

Joint Meeting

VETERANS' PROGRAMS

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs held joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to review the legislative recommendations of certain veterans' organizations, receiving testimony from John H. Michaels, on behalf of the Paralyzed Veterans of America, Frank A. Athanason, on behalf of the Military Order of the Purple Heart, David M. Szumowski, on behalf of the Blinded Veterans Association, Milton M. Moore, Sr., on behalf of the American Ex-Prisoners of War, Colonel Erik G. Johnson, USA Retired, on behalf of the Association of the United States Army, and Herbert D. Greff, on behalf of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America.

Joint hearings continue on Tuesday, March 7.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twelve bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 479-490, S. Res. 73, S.J. Res. 69, and S. Con. Res. 16.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 98 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 16), Louis W. Sullivan, of Georgia, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services.

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By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 17), Admiral James D. Watkins, U.S. Navy, Retired, of California, to be Secretary of Energy.

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Robert Michael Kimmitt, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

Margaret DeBardeleben Tutwiler, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Janet Gardner Mullins, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Robert B. Zoellick, of the District of Columbia, to be Counselor, of the Department of State.

73 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

10 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

17 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Marine Corps, and Navy.

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Tower Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense, on Thursday, March 2.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—17)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 5:21 p.m., until 9:15 a.m., on Thursday, March 2, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3165.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Marshall Breger, Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States; Arthur L. Nims III, Chief Judge, U.S. Tax Court; Robert B. Hawkins, Jr., Chairman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; and Martin L. Duggan, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Federal Pay.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, March 3.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee continued hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on the President's savings and loan reform plan, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FCC PRICE CAP PROCEEDING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings to examine the Federal Communications Commission proposal to replace its rate-of-return method of regulating telephone company rates with a "price cap" plan, after receiving testimony from Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission.

NOMINATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Admiral James D. Watkins, U.S. Navy, Retired, of California, to be Secretary of Energy.

TRADE ACT OF 1988

Committee on Finance: Committee held oversight hearings on the implementation of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act (P.L. 100-418), receiving testimony from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 19.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nature and extent of the threat of chemical and biological weapons proliferation, receiving testimony in open session from William H. Webster, Director of Central Intelligence; and in closed session from officials of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on the nomination of William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy, where the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Moynihan, D'Amato, Helms, and Sanford, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, and Secretary of Veterans' Affairs, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Dixon and Simon, and Representative Michel, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from E. Philip Riggins and John Sommer, both of the American Legion, Cooper T. Holt, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, John F. Heilman, Disabled American Veterans, R. Jack Powell, Paralyzed Veterans of America, and Richard E. O'Dell, Vietnam Veterans of America, all of Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Ethics: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements and recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 49 public bills, H.R. 1179-1227; 3 private bills, H.R. 1228-1230; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 165-170, H. Con. Res. 64, and H. Res. 96-98 were introduced.

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Kanjorski wherein he resigned as a member of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 96, electing Representative Bates to the Committee on Government Operations, Representatives Kanjorski and de Lugo to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, and Representative Perkins to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

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Gratitude to Legislative Counsels: House agreed to H. Res. 97, expressing the gratitude of the House of Representatives for the service of Ward M. Hussey and Lawrence E. Filson.

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Federal Employees Recognition Week: House passed H.J. Res. 22, to designate the week beginning March 6, 1989, as "Federal Employees Recognition Week".

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Appointment of Legislative Counsel: The Speaker appointed David E. Meade Legislative Counsel of the House of Representatives, effective March 1, 1989.

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Earlier, read a letter from Ward M. Hussey wherein he resigned as Legislative Counsel of the House, effective at the close of business February 28, 1989.

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F.D.R. Memorial Commission: The Speaker appointed as members of the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Pepper, Scheuer, Fish, and Green.

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Law Enforcement Advisory Commission: The Speaker appointed the following Members to the National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement on the part of the House: Representatives Edwards of California, Hughes, Gekas, and Smith of Mississippi.

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Presidential Message—Trade Policy Agenda: Read a message from the President wherein he

transmits the National Trade Policy Agenda for calendar year 1989; and an addendum to the 29th Annual Report on the Trade Agreements Program, 1988, that was sent to Congress on January 3—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-33).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WILDFIRE SUPPRESSION ASSISTANCE ACT; FOREST SERVICE BUDGET

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy approved for full Committee action H.R. 829, Wildfire Suppression Assistance Act.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Forest Service, USDA: George Dunlop, Assistant Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment; S. Dale Robertson, Chief; and George Leonard, Associate Chief.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing to review fiscal year 1990 budget proposal for the Forest Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Forest Service, USDA: George Dunlop, Assistant Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment; S. Dale Robertson, Chief; and George Leonard, Associate Chief.

USDA'S EXPORT CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco and Peanuts held a hearing to review the USDA's export credit guarantee program, particularly as it relates to tobacco. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of Inspector General, USDA: James R. Ebbitt, Assistant Inspector General, Audit; Craig Beauchamp, Assistant Inspector General, Investigations; and Richard Long, Deputy Assistant Inspector General, Audit; from the following officials of GAO: Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, International Trade, Energy, and Finance Issues; and Phillip J. Thomas, Assistant Director, Agricultural Trade.

BUDGET REPORT

Committee on Appropriations: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary met in executive session to hold a hearing on the FBI. Testimony was heard from William S. Sessions, Director, FBI, Department of Justice.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on U.S. Parole Commission and Federal Prison System. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Benjamin F. Baer, Chairman, U.S. Parole Commission; and J. Michael Quinlan, Director, Federal Prison System.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 Navy Posture. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: William L. Ball III, Secretary; Adm. C.A.H. Trost, USN, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Alfred M. Gray, Jr., Commandant, Marine Corps.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs met in executive session to receive a briefing on Middle East Intelligence; Philippines Intelligence; and Central and South America Intelligence. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the CIA: John O'Donnell, National Intelligence Officer for Near East and South Asia; Carl Ford, Jr., National Intelligence Officer for East Asia; and Martin Roeber, National Intelligence Officer for Latin America.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Defense Agencies/Guard and Reserve Components. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Dr. William Mayer, Assistant Secretary, Health Affairs; and John B. Rosamond, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Material and Facilities.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Secretary of Agriculture. Testimony was heard from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Saint Lawrence Seaway

Development Corporation. Testimony was heard from James L. Emery, Administrator, Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the Merit System Protection Board; Special Counsel; and the Committee for Purchase from the Blind. Testimony was heard from Daniel R. Levinson, Chairman, Merit Systems Protection Board; Mary F. Wieseman, Special Counsel, Office of the Special Counsel; and Frank Gearde, Jr., Chairman, Committee for Purchase from the Blind and Other Severely Handicapped.

VA, HUD AND INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Veterans Administration, HUD, and Independent Agencies held a hearing on VA supplemental. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Harvey, Acting Administrator, VA.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON BASE REALIGNMENT AND CLOSURE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on the report of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure. Testimony was heard from Frank Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs, GAO; Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Installations), Department of Defense; Robert F. Hale, Assistant Director, National Security, CBO; from the following Co-Chairmen, Commission on Base Realignment and Closure: Abraham Ribicoff; and Jack Edwards; and a public witness.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation continued hearings on the manpower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on manpower budget review. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Grant S. Green, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Force Management and Personnel; Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel; Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel; Lt. Gen. John I. Hudson, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower; VAdm. Jeremy Michael Boorda, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Manpower, Personnel and Training) and Chief of Naval Personnel; Stephen M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs; Maj. Gen. John B.

Conaway, Vice Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick, Director, Army National Guard; Brig. Gen. Philip G. Killey, Director, Air National Guard; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, Chief, Air Force Reserve; Maj. Gen. William F. Ward, Chief, Army Reserve; RAdm. Francis Neale Smith, Director, Naval Reserve; and Maj. Gen. Edmund P. Looney, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; and RAdm. Paul A. Welling, USCG, Chief, Office of Readiness and Reserve, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue March 8.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Defense Personnel Support Center procurement irregularities and budget review. Testimony was heard from Edward S.G. Dennis, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and Maj. Gen. John H. Voorhees, Commander, Defense Personnel Support Center, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ATA/ATF PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development and the Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems met in executive session to receive a joint briefing on the ATA/ATF programs. The Subcommittee was briefed by officials of the Department of Defense.

CONDUCT OF MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy concluded hearings on the Conduct of Monetary Policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HOMELESS IN AMERICA—THE NEED FOR PERMANENT HOUSING

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on "Homeless in America—the Need for Permanent Housing". Testimony was heard from Robert Chappell, Chairman, Emergency Food and Shelter Program, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Raymond L. Flynn, Mayor, Boston, Massachusetts; Abraham Biderman, Commissioner, Department of Housing, Preservation and Development, New York City; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 15.

IMPACT OF ILLEGAL AND UNFAIR FOREIGN TRADE PRACTICES ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing into the impact of illegal and unfair foreign trade practices on interstate commerce. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held a hearing on Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization for fiscal years 1990/1991, and overall Arms Control Policy. Testimony was heard from Gen. William F. Burns, USA, (Ret.), Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held an oversight hearing on Foreign Aid for Cambodia. Testimony was heard from David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; RAdm. Timothy W. Wright, Director, East Asian and Pacific Region, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance requests: Israel and West Bank and Gaza. Testimony was heard from Edward S. Walker, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; Edward W. Gnehm, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense; and William P. Fuller, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Asia and Near East, AID.

BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget requests for the Board for International Broadcasting and the Asia Foundation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Board for International Broadcasting: Malcomb S. Forbes, Jr., Chairman; Ben. J. Wattenberg, Vice-Chairman; and E. Eugene Pell, President, Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty; and Haydn Williams, President, The Asia Foundation.

LATIN AMERICA AND THE U.S. IN THE 1990's

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on Latin America and the U.S. in the 1990's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXPLOSION IN KANSAS CITY: NEED TO BETTER PROTECT FIREFIGHTERS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on Explosion in Kansas City: Need to Better Protect Firefighters. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wheat, Meyers of Kansas, and Weldon; John Pendergrass, Assistant Secretary, OSHA, Department of Labor; James Makris, Director, Preparedness Staff, EPA; Clyde A. Bragdon, Administrator, U.S. Fire Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and a public witness.

BUDGET REPORT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Approved budget recommendations for the report to the Committee on the Budget.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Economic Development met for organizational purposes.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development continued hearings on Department of Energy's fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on nuclear fission. Testimony was heard from Mary Ann Novak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Energy, Department of Energy; Victor Stello, Executive Director, Operations, NRC; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ADEQUACY AND PRIORITIES FOR AMERICAN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology concluded hearings on the adequacy, direction and priorities for the American Science and Technology effort. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal years 1990/1991 authorization. Testimony was heard from the following officials of NASA: Lennard A. Fisk, Associate Administrator, Office of Space Science and Applications; and Adm. Richard H. Truly, Associate Administrator, Office of Space Flight.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MEDICARE'S HOSPITAL INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to Medicare's hospital insurance program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorgan of North Dakota and Michel; Stuart Altman, Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; and public witnesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATIVE REFORM ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on H.R. 791, Social Security Administrative Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pickle and Pepper; Dorcas Hardy, Commissioner of Social Security, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; Joseph F. Delfico, Senior Associate Director, Human Resources Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Select Committee on Hunger: Met for organizational purposes.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through February 28, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	16	16	..
Time in session.....	43 hrs., 10'	28 hrs., 49'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	1877	471	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	576	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	..	1	..
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total.....	55	34	89
Senate bills.....	..	..	..
House bills.....	..	..	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	16	..	..
House joint resolutions.....	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	7	6	..
House concurrent resolutions..	1	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	30	26	..
Measures reported, total.....	*42	*2	44
Senate bills.....	..	..	..
House bills.....	..	1	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	15	..	..
House joint resolutions.....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	2	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	..	..
Simple resolutions.....	25	1	..
Special reports.....	1	..	..
Conference reports.....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	3	1	..
Measures introduced, total.....	633	1,500	2,133
Bills.....	478	1,178	..
Joint resolutions.....	68	164	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	15	63	..
Simple resolutions.....	72	95	..
Quorum calls.....	1	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	15	5	..
Recorded votes.....	..	..	..
Bills vetoed.....	..	..	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 4 report has been filed in the Senate, a total of 2 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January through February 28, 1989

Civilian nominations, totaling 112, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	11
Unconfirmed.....	101

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 905, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	484
Unconfirmed.....	421

Air Force nominations, totaling 3,137, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed.....	3,137
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Army nominations, totaling 4,485, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed.....	4,485
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Navy nominations, totaling 4,272, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed.....	4,272
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Marine Corps nominations, totaling 960, disposed of as follows:

Unconfirmed.....	960
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Summary

Total nominations received this session.....	13,871
Total confirmed.....	495
Total unconfirmed.....	13,376

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fourteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 491-504, and S.J. Res. 70.

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Measures Passed:

Federal Employees Recognition Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 22, to designate the week beginning March 6, 1989, as "Federal Employees Recognition Week", and the resolution was then passed.

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National Older Americans Abuse Prevention Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 24, to designate the period commencing on May 1, 1989, and ending on May 7, 1989, as "National Older Americans Abuse Prevention Week", and the resolution was then passed.

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National Child Abuse Prevention Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 54, to designate the months of April, 1989, and 1990, as "National Child Abuse Prevention Month", and the resolution was then passed.

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Greek Independence Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 64, to designate March 25, 1989, as "Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy", and the resolution was then passed.

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Peace in Sudan: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 15, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan.

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Commending the Government of Pakistan: Senate agreed to S. Res. 59, commending the Government and people of Pakistan on their return to democracy.

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Nomination Considered: Senate began consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination tomorrow.

Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

By unanimous vote of 94 yeas (Vote No. 18), Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Veterans' Affairs, and Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations.

Received on March 1, during the recess:

John D. Negroponte, of New York, to be Ambassador to Mexico.

Routine lists of Air Force, Army, and Navy nominations.

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Joint Meeting: Senate met in joint meeting with the House of Representatives to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the U.S. Congress.

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Appointments by the Presiding Officer: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Sec. 201(a)(2) of Public Law 93-344, announced the appointment of Dr. Robert D. Reischauer as Director of the Congressional Budget Office.

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Articles of Impeachment Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings: The Chair submitted to the Senate for printing in the Senate Journal and the Congressional Record the response by the managers of the House of Representatives to motions to dismiss several of the articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings, filed by his counsel, pursuant to Section 2 of Senate Resolution 39, 101st Congress, 1st Session, which response was received by the Secretary of the Senate on March 2, 1989.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on March 1, during the recess:

(1) Transmitting the report outlining the composition and functions of the National Space Council; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-24)

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today.
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Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 7:39 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, March 3, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3368.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—THE JUDICIARY/FTC

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Richard S. Arnold, U.S. Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit, and Owen M. Panner, Chief Judge, District Court of Oregon, both on behalf of the Judicial Conference of the United States; Raymond A. Karam, Assistant Director for Administration, Administrative Office of the United States Courts; and Daniel Oliver, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, March 7.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense and Subcommittee on Military Construction held joint hearings on proposed U.S. military base closures and realignments, receiving testimony from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations; and Jack Edwards, on behalf of the Commission on Base Realignments and Closures.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from W. Graham Claytor, Jr., Chairman and President, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK); and S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 9.

NUCLEAR MATERIALS REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded closed hearings to examine nuclear materials requirements by the Nuclear Weapons Council, after receiving testimony from Robert C. Duncan, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Office of

the Secretary of Defense, Gen. Robert T. Herres, USAF, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary of Energy for Defense Programs, Ronald W. Cochran, Acting Director, Office of New Production Reactors, Department of Energy, and Brig. Gen. Paul F. Kavanaugh, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Energy for Military Application, all on behalf of the Nuclear Weapons Council.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on Soviet strategic force developments, receiving testimony from Lawrence K. Gershwin, National Intelligence Officer for Soviet Strategic Forces, and Charles F. Munson, Assistant National Intelligence Officer for Strategic Programs, National Intelligence Council, both of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, March 6.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Richard G. Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee continued hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on the President's savings and loan industry restructuring proposals, receiving testimony from L. William Seidman, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, March 8.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy, after the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Jose Garcia de Lara, League of United Latin American Citizens, Washington, DC; and Gordon Cawelti, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, Alexandria, Virginia.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Edward J. Derwinski, of Illinois, to be Secretary of Veterans' Affairs, and Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee continued closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, March 7.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 1231-1276; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 171-172, H. Con. Res. 65-67, and H. Res. 99-102 were introduced.

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Recess: House recessed at 9:32 and reconvened at 9:58 a.m.

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Congressional Bicentenary: Senate and House met in a joint meeting in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the First Congress of the United States, under the Constitution.

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Congressional Budget Office: The Speaker announced that on February 28, jointly, with the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, he appointed Dr. Robert D. Reischauer as Director of the Congressional Budget Office, which appointment is to become effective March 6 for the term of office beginning January 3, 1987.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 100, electing Representative Walsh to the Committee on House Administration.

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Presidential Message—National Space Council: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits his report outlining the composition and functions of the National Space Council—referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Referrals: Ten Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 2:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings**EPA'S PESTICIDES REGULATORY PROGRAM**

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research, and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing to review the EPA's pesticides regulatory program. Testimony was heard from Representative Stallings; and John Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, EPA.

COMMENCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: DEA; Organized Crime Drug Enforcement; General Legal Activities; Civil Liberties Public Education Fund; U.S. Attorneys; and Anti-trust Division. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: John C. Lawn, Administrator, DEA; Joseph D. Whitley, Acting Associate Attorney General; Harold G. Christensen, Deputy Attorney General; James P. Turner, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division; Robert G. Ulrich, U.S. Attorney, Western District Missouri, and Kenneth G. Starling, Deputy Assistant Attorney General.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 Army Posture. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: John O. Marsh, Jr., Secretary; and Gen. Carl E. Vuono, USA, Chief of Staff.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the Administrator, AID. Testimony was heard from Alan Woods, Administrator, AID.

The Subcommittee also met in executive session to receive a briefing on Anti-Terrorism. The Subcommittee was briefed by Ambassador Clayton E. McManaway, Deputy Coordinator, Office of the Ambassador at Large for Counter-Terrorism, Department of State.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Bureau of Mines. Testimony was heard from T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior.

**LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Vocational and Adult Education. Testimony was heard from Bonnie Guiton, Assistant Secretary, Vocational and Adult Education, Department of Education.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Quality of Life in the Military, and Base Realignment and Closure Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Sgt. Maj. Julius Gates, USA; M. Chief PO. D.R. Bushey, USN; Sgt. Maj. David W. Sommers, USMC; and Chief M. Sgt. James R. Craig, USAF; and the following Co-Chairmen, Commission on Base Realignment and Closure: Abraham Ribicoff; and Jack Edwards.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Inspector General. Testimony was heard from John W. Melchner, Inspector General, Department of Transportation.

**TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL
GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on FEC. Testimony was heard from Daniel L. McDonald, Chairman, FEC.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems held a hearing on procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the U.S. policy of competitive strategies and its impact on the defense budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Andrew Marshall, Director of Net Assessment, Office of Under Secretary for Policy; and Dennis Kloske, Deputy Under Secretary (Planning and Resources); and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Unified Commands—Europe and Pacific and Special Operations and Transportation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Maj. Gen. Royal N. Moore, Jr., USMC, J-3, Pacific

Command; Lt. Gen. Edwin S. Leland, Chief of Staff, Army, European Command; Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Cox III, USAF, Deputy Commander in Chief, Special Operations Command; and Maj. Gen. John R. Piatak, Army, J-5, Transportation Command.

Hearings continue March 7.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Navy budget request. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Thomas F. Faught, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Research, Engineering and Systems; VAdm. Paul McCarthy, USN, Director, Research and Development Requirement, Test and Evaluation; and Maj. Gen. Raymond M. Franklin, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff, Research, Development and Studies, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue March 7.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the *Seawolf* and other submarine programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: VAdm. Daniel Cooper, Assistant Chief, Naval Operations (Undersea Warfare); and Adm. Bruce DeMars, Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion.

Hearings continue March 7.

**INVESTING IN HIGH YIELD BONDS BY
FSLIC INSURED DEPOSITORY
INSTITUTIONS**

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on issues concerning investing in high-yield bonds by FSLIC Insured Depository Institutions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GAO: Richard Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General; Michael A. Burnett, Assistant Director, General Government Division; and Frank J. Philippi, Evaluator in Charge.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy met for organizational purposes.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals.

Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

CHILD NUTRITION ACT AND NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education continued hearings on H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such acts through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 23.

CORPORATE TAKEOVERS, LEVERAGED BUYOUTS AND PENSION PLANS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations continued oversight hearings on corporate takeovers, leveraged buyouts and pension plans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 7.

IMPACT ON ILLEGAL AND UNFAIR FOREIGN TRADE PRACTICES ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations concluded hearings into the impact of illegal and unfair foreign trade practices on interstate commerce. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; and Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

PEACE AND FAMINE RELIEF IN SUDAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 58, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan.

ON-SITE INSPECTION AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held a hearing on On-Site Inspection Agency. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Roland Lajoie, USA, Director, On-Site Inspection Agency.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held an oversight hearing on Foreign Aid for Democracy and Development in Bangladesh and Burma. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Howard Schaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Tom Reese, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Asia/Near East Bureau, AID.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance requests: Egypt, MFO, and Middle East Regional Cooperation Program. Testimony was heard from Edward S. Walker, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; Edward W. Gnehm, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense; and William P. Fuller, Deputy Administrator, Bureau of Asia and Near East, AID.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing on Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal years 1990/1991: U.S. Voluntary Contributions to International Organizations. Testimony was heard from Sandy Vogelgesang, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Organization Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

ECONOMIC AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE REQUESTS LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing to review fiscal year 1990 Economic and Military Assistance requests for Latin America and the Caribbean. Testimony was heard from Michael Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; Frederick Schieck, Acting Assistant Administrator, Latin America and the Caribbean, AID; and Richard Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of Defense.

INQUIRY INTO THE CONDUCT OF U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE WALTER L. NIXON, JR.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held a hearing on H. Res. 87, impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi for high crimes and misdemeanors. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VESSEL MODIFICATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on the Vessel Modification Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Capt. James M. MacDonald, Chief, Merchant Vessel Inspection and Documentation Division, Headquarters, USCG, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded hearings on Department of Energy's fiscal year 1990 budget request, with emphasis on solar energy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOOD-POPULATION EQUATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment continued hearings on Food-Population Equation. Testimony was heard from Fred Sai, Senior Population Adviser, World Bank; and public witnesses.

HOTEL AND MOTEL FIRE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on H.R. 94, Hotel and Motel Fire Safety Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from William McDade, Acting Assistant Commissioner, Office of Transportation and Property Management, Federal Supply Service, GSA; Edward M. Wall, Deputy Administrator, U.S. Fire Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

PHYSICIAN SELF-REFERRALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health and the Subcommittee on Oversight held a joint hearing on issues related to physician "Self-Referrals", including H.R. 939, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide civil money penalties and other remedies for certain improper referral arrangements for items and services provided under the Medicare Programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SSI PROGRAM

Select Committee on Aging and the Subcommittee on Human Resources of the Committee on Ways and Means held a joint hearing on the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program. Testimony was heard from Michael Carozza, Deputy Commissioner, Policy and External Affairs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

INSPECTORS GENERAL

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Inspectors General. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in

executive session to continue hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 7.

POLITICS OF HUNGER IN SUDAN

Select Committee on Hunger and the Subcommittee on Africa of the Committee on Foreign Affairs held a joint hearing on the politics of hunger in the Sudan. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolf; Kenneth Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State; from the following officials of AID: Edward L. Saiers, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Africa; Julia Taft, Director, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance; and public witnesses.

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Friday, March 3, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Ten bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 505-514, S. Res. 74, and S.J. Res. 71.

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Nomination Considered: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination on Monday, March 6.

Pickering Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of the nomination of Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the United Nations, on Tuesday, March 7, 1989, with a vote to occur thereon.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Lawrence S. Eagleburger, of Florida, to be Deputy Secretary of State.

Bruce S. Gelb, of New York, to be Director of the United States Information Agency.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 5:17 p.m., until 12 noon, on Monday, March 6, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3495.)

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Agricultural Production and Stabilization of Prices: Senators Pryor (Chairman), Baucus, Kerrey, Boren, Heflin, Harkin, Conrad, Helms, Dole, Cochran, McConnell, Boschwitz, and Wilson;

Subcommittee on Domestic and Foreign Marketing and Product Promotion: Senators Boren (Chairman), Pryor, Fowler, Baucus, Harkin, Conrad, Cochran, Helms, Bond, Wilson, Gorton, and McConnell;

Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit: Senators Conrad (Chairman), Boren, Daschle, Gorton, and Boschwitz;

Subcommittee on Rural Development and Rural Electrification: Senators Heflin (Chairman), Daschle, Pryor, McConnell, and Cochran;

Subcommittee on Nutrition and Investigations: Senators Harkin (Chairman), Fowler, Kerrey, Pryor, Boschwitz, Dole, and Helms;

Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation: Senators Daschle (Chairman), Kerrey, Wilson, and Bond; and

Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry: Senators Fowler (Chairman), Heflin, Baucus, Bond, and Gorton.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from John R. Simpson, Director, United States Secret Service, Stephen E. Higgins, Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, and Charles F. Rinkevich, Director, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, all of the Department of the Treasury.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, March 8.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and

the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from James L. Blum, Acting Director, Congressional Budget Office; William Ferguson, Ferguson & Company, Irving, Texas; and Peter Treadway, Smith Barney, New York, New York.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 7.

EPA BUDGET

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 1990 for the Environmental Protection Agency, after receiving testimony from William K. Reilly, Administrator, John A. Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, and Charles L. Grizzle, Assistant Administrator, Administration and Resources Management, all of the Environmental Protection Agency.

MEDICARE

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Medicare and Long Term Care held to examine the current and future status of the Medicare program, receiving testimony from Kathleen N. Lohr, Senior Professional Associate, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences; Uwe Rheinhardt, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey; Donald A. Young, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, Lynn Etheredge, Consolidated Consulting Group, and Marilyn Moon, American Association of Retired Persons, all of Washington, DC; and Karen Davis, Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore, Maryland.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, March 17.

IMMIGRATION REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Refugee Affairs concluded hearings on S. 358 and S. 448, bills to reform the admission levels of immigrants to the United States, after receiving testimony from Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice, Joan M. Clark, Assistant Secretary of State for Consular Affairs; Eugene K. Lawson, Deputy Under Secretary of Labor for International Affairs; Eleanor Chelimsky, Assistant Comptroller General for Program Evaluation and Methodology, General Accounting Office; Cecilia Munoz, National Council of La Raza, Melinda C. Yee, Organization of Chinese Americans, Frank Kittredge, National Foreign Trade Council, representing and Dan Stein, Federation for American Immigration Reform, all of Washington, DC.

MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 4, to restore the minimum

wage to a fair and equitable rate, after receiving testimony from Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor.

ALASKA FEDERATION OF NATIVES

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to review a report of the Alaska Federation of Natives on the health status of Alaska Natives, after receiving testimony from Senators Stevens and Murkowski; Representative Don Young; Alaska Governor Steve Cowper, Juneau; Mayor John Pinguyak, Chevak, Alaska; Janie Leask, Alaska Federation of Natives, and Jeanine Kennedy, Rural Alaska Community Action Program, both of Anchorage, Alaska; Gordon Pullar, Alaska Federation of Natives Human Resources Board, and Margaret Roberts, Alaska Native Health Board, both of Kodiak, Alaska; Sam Kito, Jr., on behalf of NANA Regional Corporation, Kotzebue, Alaska; Byron Mallott, Sealaska Corporation, and Ed Thomas, Tlingit and Haida Central Council, both of Juneau, Alaska; Willie Kasayulie, Association of Village Council Presidents, Bethel, Alaska; Debra Caldera, Alaska Native Health Board, Seward, Alaska; Mike Alber, Tununak, Alaska; Billy Lincoln, Toksook, Alaska; Charles Edwardsen, Barrow, Alaska; and David Harrison, Chickaloon Village, Alaska.

Office of the General Counsel; and Wilmer D. Mizell, Assistant Secretary, Office of Governmental and Public Affairs.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems held a hearing on procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the U.S. competitive strategies and their impact on the defense budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. Robert T. Herres, USAF, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Dennis Kloske, Deputy Under Secretary (Planning and Resources).

Hearings continue March 8.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Human Resources held an oversight hearing on the reauthorization of the Demonstration Partnership Program under the Community Services Block Grant Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Monday, March 6, 1989

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, March 6.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the Office of Justice Programs and U.S. Marshals Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Richard B. Abell, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs; and Stanley E. Morris, Director, U.S. Marshals Service.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the Office of General Counsel, and the Office of Governmental and Public Affairs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Christopher Hicks, General Counsel,

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3501-3543

Measures Introduced: Four bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 515-518, S. Res. 75 and 76, S.J. Res. 72, and S. Con. Res. 17.

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Measures Passed:

Commending Charles Price: Senate agreed to S. Res. 76, commending Charles H. Price II, for outstanding service and dedication to the government and people of the United States.

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Nomination Considered: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination on tomorrow.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Donald Phinney Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea.

Anthony Joseph Principi, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Veterans' Affairs.

William Pelham Barr, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

8 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine list of Air Force nominations.

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Articles of Impeachment Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings: The Chair submitted to the Senate for printing in the Senate Journal and the Congressional Record the reply of Judge Alcee L. Hastings to the response by the managers of the House of Representatives to motions to dismiss several of the articles of impeachment against Judge Hastings, which reply was received by the Secretary of the Senate on March 6, 1989.

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Appointment: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d-276g, as amended, appointed Senator Conrad as Chairman of the Senate delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the 101st Congress.

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 5:07 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Tuesday, March 7. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3543.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on HUD-Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Maj. Gen. A.J. Adams, USA, Secretary, American Battle Monuments Commission; John S. Doyle, Jr., Principal Deputy Assistant, Office of the Secretary of the Army; and Samuel K. Lessey, Jr., Director, Selective Service System.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, March 13.

APPROPRIATIONS—STRATEGIC AND NAVAL PETROLEUM RESERVES/ GEOLOGICAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and the Naval Petroleum Reserve from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary of

Energy for Fossil Energy; and receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the U.S. Geological Survey from Dallas L. Peck, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held hearings to review proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for Army and Navy military construction programs, receiving testimony from Paul W. Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations); Lt. Gen. Henry J. Hatch, Chief of Engineers, USA; Maj. Gen. Peter J. Offringa, Assistant Chief of Engineers, USA; Rear Adm. B.F. Montoya, Commander of Naval Facilities Engineering Command, USN; and Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services Division, USMC.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, March 13.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the Defense Nuclear Agency's nuclear weapons effects testing, receiving testimony from Marvin C. Atkins, Deputy Director, and Don A. Linger, Director of Test Directorate, both of the Defense Nuclear Agency.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

ARCTIC NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 406, to establish and implement a competitive oil and gas leasing program for the Coastal Plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR), after receiving testimony from Manuel Lujan, Jr., Secretary of the Interior; Margaret A. Moran, on behalf of the Governor of Alaska, and Brooks B. Yeager, National Audubon Society, both of Washington, DC; Lisa Speer, Natural Resources Defense Council, New York, New York; and Roger C. Herrera, BP Exploration (Alaska), and Larry Morse, ARCO Alaska, Inc., both of Anchorage, Alaska.

TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development held hearings to examine the use of toxic materials in the aerospace industry, receiving testimony from Charles L. Elkins, Director, Office of Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency; Leo Carey, Director, Office of

Field Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Department of Labor; Gary D. Vest, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environment, Safety, and Occupational Health, U.S. Air Force; Beverly McCormick, North Bend, Washington; Bonnie Faye Schrum, Renton, Washington; Deborah Forbes-Sutherland, Westlake Village, California; Beth Gausman, Chemically Injured United Coalition, and Lori Liberty, both of Encino, California; Gordon Baker, Peter Breysee, University of Washington, Joseph F. Peritore, The Boeing Company, and Gordon Baker, all of Seattle, Washington; George Robinson, International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, Washington, DC; Robert Ballster, Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, on behalf of the American Psychological Association; Alan Broughton, Antibody Assay Laboratories, Santa Ana, California; and Dale H. Daniels, Lockheed Aeronautical Systems Company, Burbank, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VETERANS' PROGRAMS BUDGET

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the proposed budget request for fiscal year 1990 for veterans programs, after receiving testimony from Edward J. Derwinski, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, John A. Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, John Vogel, Chief Benefits Director, Wilfred L. Ebel, Chief Memorial Affairs Director, Conrad R. Hoffman, Director, Office of Budget and Finance, Linda M. Combs, Acting Associate Deputy Administrator for Management, Susan Livingstone, Associate Deputy Administrator for Logistics, and Donald L. Ivers, General Counsel, all of the Veterans Administration; Donald E. Shasteen, Assistant Secretary for Veterans' Employment and Training, and David Morman, Executive Director, Veterans' Employment and Training Service, both of the Department of Labor; David W. Gorman, Disabled American Veterans, R. Jack Powell, Paralyzed Veterans of America, James N. Magill, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Phillip E. Riggin and John F. Sommer, Jr., both of the American Legion, Thomas A. Sherwood and Paul Egan, both of the Vietnam Veterans of America, and Rose Lee, Gold Star Wives of America, all of Washington, DC; John Dennis, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, representing the American Association of Medical Colleges; Arthur Asbury, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia; Milton Korn, Georgetown University School of Medicine, Washington, DC; and Kenneth Shine, University of California School of Medicine, Los Angeles.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 1277 and 1278; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 68 were introduced.

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Law Enforcement Advisory Commission: The Minority Leader appointed Representatives Gekas and Smith of Mississippi as members on the part of the House of the National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement.

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Aging Council: The Speaker appointed Mrs. Josephine K. Oblinger of Springfield, Illinois, as a member from private life of the Federal Council on the Aging on the part of the House.

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Referrals: Eight Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development met in executive session to hold a hearing on DOE: Atomic Energy Activities. Testimony was heard from the Department of Energy: Troy E. Wade II, Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs; and Brig. Gen. Paul F. Kavanaugh, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Military Application; and Robert B. Barker, Assistant to the Secretary (Atomic Energy), Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS Education held a hearing on Education for Handicapped, Rehabilitation Services and on Handicapped Research. Testimony was heard from Madeleine C. Will, Assistant Secretary, Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Economic Research Service; National Agricultural Statistics Service; and on the World Agricultural Outlook Board. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Ewen M. Wilson, Assistant Secretary, Economics; John E. Lee, Jr., Administrator, Economic Research Service; Charles E. Caudill, Administrator, National Agricultural Statistics Service; and James R. Donald, Chairperson, World Agricultural Outlook Board;

CHILD CARE PROPOSALS

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on the following: H.R. 3, Child Development and Education Act of 1989; H.R. 30, Act for Better Child Care Services of 1989; and related child care proposals. Testimony was heard from Representative Edwards of California; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance Requests: Greece, Turkey and Cyprus. Testimony was heard from James M. Wilkinson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau for European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State; John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and NATO Policy, Department of Defense; and Richard Brown, Director, Office of Egyptian and European Affairs, AID.

COVERAGE OF PSYCHOLOGISTS' SERVICES UNDER THE MEDICARE PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on issues related to coverage of psychologists' services under the Medicare Program, including H.R. 774, to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act with respect to coverage of, and payment for, services of psychologists under part B of the Medicare Program. Testimony was heard from Senator Rockefeller; Representative McDermott; and public witnesses.

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Measures Introduced: Twelve bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 519-530, and S. Res. 77 and 78.

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Measures Passed:

Expressing Appreciation to William D. Mohr: Senate agreed to S. Res. 77, expressing deep appreciation and gratitude to William D. Mohr for his service to his country and the Senate.

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Commending Lee H. Timberlake: Senate agreed to S. Res. 78, commending Lee H. "Jim" Timberlake for his service to his country and the Senate.

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Nomination Confirmed: By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 19), Senate confirmed the nomination of Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations.

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Nomination Considered: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination on tomorrow.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Joseph Verner Reed, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief of Protocol for the White House.

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Nominations Received:

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Nominations Confirmed:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—19)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 6:53 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Wednesday, March 8, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3655.)

Committee Meetings

1990 BUDGET

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed hearings on the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—USTR/ITC

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Carla Anderson Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; and Anne E. Brunsdale, Acting Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

DEFENSE POSTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings to review commander-in-chief posture for fiscal year 1990, focusing on the Atlantic command, receiving testimony from Adm. Frank B. Kelso II, Commander-In-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Command.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, March 14.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Charles J. Koch, The First Federal Savings Bank, Cleveland, Ohio, on behalf of the National Council of Savings Institutions; Barney R. Beeksma, InterWest Savings Bank, Oak Harbor, Washington, and Kenneth D. Seaton, D&N Savings Bank, Hancock, Michigan, both on behalf of the U.S. League of Savings Institutions; Kenneth T. Rosen, University of California, Berkeley, California; and Jonathan E. Gray, Sanford C. Bernstein & Company, Inc., New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the U.S. Customs Service, after receiving

testimony from William von Raab, Commissioner, Samuel H. Banks, Assistant Commissioner for Inspection and Control, D. Lynn Gordon, Assistant Commissioner for Commercial Operations, and Charles R. Parkinson, Associate Commissioner for Congressional and Public Affairs, all of the U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; J.H. Kent, National Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of America, Inc., and David Rose, Intel Corporation, on behalf of the Joint Industry Group, both of Washington, DC; and Jane B. O'Dell, National Retail Merchants Association, and Bruce Schulman, American Association of Exporters and Importers, both of New York, New York.

WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 436, to strengthen the protection available to employees against reprisals for disclosing information, and to protect the public health and safety, receiving testimony from Senator Grassley; Jerry G. Thorn, Acting Solicitor, Department of Labor; Carol Tucker Foreman, Foreman and Heidepriem, former Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Henry Duffy, Air Line Pilots Association, and Thomas Devine, Government Accountability Project, all of Washington, DC; James W. Simpkin, Loveland, Colorado; William D. Wright, Enterprise, Alabama; and Donald S. Henley, Jr., Ashboro, North Carolina.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements.

Committee will meet again in Thursday, March 9.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 1279-1289; 1 private bill, H.R. 1290; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 173, and H. Res. 103-105 were introduced.

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Education and Training Amendments: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 678, to make a correction in the Education and Training for a Competitive America Act of 1988.

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Women's History Month: House passed H.J. Res. 148, designating March 1989 as "Women's History Month".

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Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that designates the month of March in both 1989 and 1990 as Women's History Month.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: SEC; FCC; Supreme Court; Maritime Administration; and Office of U.S. Trade Representative. Testimony was heard from David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC; Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, FCC; Sandra Day O'Connor, Associate Justice, Supreme Court of the United States; William A. Creelman, Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; and Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Military Personnel, Army, and Military Personnel, Marine Corps. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff (personnel); and Lt. Gen. John I. Hudson, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff (Manpower and Reserve Affairs).

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development met in executive session to continue hearings on DOE: Atomic Energy Activities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Troy E. Wade II, Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs; Jill E. Lytle, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Materials Production; and Ronald W. Cochran, Acting Director, Office of New Production Reactors.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the following: DOE: Fossil Energy Research and Development; Naval Petroleum and Oil Shale Reserves; Strategic Petroleum Reserves; Clean Coal Technology; and Outside Witnesses (Indian Programs). Testimony was heard

from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: Special Institutions for Handicapped; American Printing House for the Blind; Gallaudet College; National Technical Institute for the Deaf, and Student Financial Assistance and Guaranteed Student Loans. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Education: Madeleine C. Will, Assistant Secretary Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services; Tuck Tinsley III, President, American Printing House for the Blind; I. King Jordan, President, Gallaudet University; William E. Castle, Director, National Technical Institute for the Deaf; and Kenneth D. Whitehead, Assistant Secretary, Postsecondary Education.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Agricultural Research Services. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Orville G. Bentley, Assistant Secretary, Science and Education; and R. Dean Plowman, Administrator, Agricultural Research Service.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the following: National Security Council; Advisory Committee on Federal Pay; Office of Government Ethics; and on Federal Labor Relations Authority. Testimony was heard from G. Phillip Hughes, Executive Secretary, National Security Council; Lucretia Dewey, Executive Director, Advisory Committee on Federal Pay; Frank Q. Nebeker, Director, Office of Government Ethics; and Jean McKee, Acting Chairman, Federal Labor Relations Authority.

**VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on Consumer Product Safety Commission, and on National Credit Union Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Consumer Product Safety Commission: Anne Graham, Acting Chairman; and Carol G. Dawson, Commissioner; and Roger Jepsen, Chairman, National Credit Union Administration.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities held a hearing on the military construction portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on an overview of the request and on service construction. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Installations); Maj. Gen. Peter J. Offringa, Assistant Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army; RAdm. Benjamin F. Montoya, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Department of the Navy; Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Installations and Logistics Department, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps; and Maj. Gen. Joseph A. Ahearn, Director, Engineering and Services, Department of the Air Force.

Hearings continue March 9.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Navy and Marine Corps O&M and missions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: VAdm. Stanley R. Arthur, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); RAdm. Raymond M. Walsh, Director, Operations Division, Office of Budget and Reports; and Lt. Gen. W.G. Carson, Jr., USMC., Deputy Chief of Staff (Installations and Logistics).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Air Force programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Acquisition; and Maj. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, Principal Deputy, Acquisition.

Hearings continue March 9.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the adequacy of torpedo testing plus other weapons and other procurement programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: RAdm. Stephen F. Loftus, Director, Fiscal Management Division; and RAdm. G.N. Gee, Director, Surface Combat Division, both with the Department of the Navy; Robert C. Duncan, Director, Defense Research and Engineering; John E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation; James F. O'Bryon, Assistant Deputy Director, Live Fire Testing, Office of Director of Defense Research and Engineering; and Frank Kendall III, Acting Deputy Under Secretary, Tactical Warfare Programs; and Harold Johnson, Associate Director, Navy Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO.

Hearings continue March 9.

HUD PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on HUD programs and policies. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

MEDICARE, AIDS AND CHILD HEALTH

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Human Resources held a hearing on Medicare, AIDS and Child Health, with emphasis on The Changing Face of AIDS and the Impact of Medicare Reimbursement Cuts on Hospitals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Weiss, Pelosi and Waxman; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL
EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENTS**

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from John Wirt, Director, National Assessment of Vocational Education, Department of Education; from the following officials of the GAO: Eleanor Chelimsky, Director, Program Evaluation and Methodology Division; and William Gainer, Associate Director, Human Resources Division; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 9.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations continued oversight hearings on corporate takeovers, leveraged buyouts and pension plans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EDUCATION OF THE HANDICAPPED ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight and reauthorization hearing on Discretionary Programs under the Education of the Handicapped Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held an oversight hearing on Foreign Aid Requests for the Philippines. Testimony was heard from Senator Dole; Speaker Wright; Carol Adelman, Assistant Administrator, AID; from the following officials of the Department of State: David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Paula J. Dobriansky, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs; RAdm. Timothy W. Wright, Director, East Asian and Pacific Region, OSD/ISA; Department of Defense; Jim Fall, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Developing Nations, Department of the Treasury; and a public witness.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance requests: Portugal, Northern Ireland, Ireland and other European countries. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: William Bodde, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary; and James M. Wilkinson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, both with the Bureau for European and Canadian Affairs; John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and NATO Policy, Department of Defense; and Richard Brown, Director, Office of Egyptian and European Affairs, AID.

PEACE AND FAMINE RELIEF IN SUDAN: FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 58, amended, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal years 1990-1991, part II: AID's Environmental Mandates and Child Survival Fund. Testimony was heard from Richard Bissell, Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Policy and Program Coordination, AID; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held an oversight hearing of the Trade and Development Program, AID's Bureau of Private Enterprise and the Overseas Private Investment Corporation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of AID: Priscilla Rabb, Director, Trade and Development Program; Neal Peden, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Private Enterprise; and Peter Kimm, Director, Office of Housing and Urban Programs; and Felton Johnston, Vice President, Insurance, Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

USIA BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on the fiscal year 1990 budget request for the U.S. Information Agency. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USIA: Marvin Stone, Deputy Director; Stanley Silverman, Director, Office of the Comptroller; Henry Hockeimer, Associate Director, Management; and Jorge Mas, Chairman, Advisory Board on Radio Broadcasting to Cuba.

Hearings continue March 9.

PROSPECTS FOR PEACE IN EL SALVADOR

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on Prospects for Peace in El Salvador. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NARCOTICS REVIEW IN SOUTH AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Narcotics Review in South America. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; and David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice.

FOREIGN TRADE ZONE PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on Foreign Trade Zone (FTZ) program. Testimony was heard from Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Timothy Bergen, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration, Department of Commerce; John Holl, Program Manager, Office of Cargo, Enforcement and Facilities, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; Charles Sargent, Senior Project Manager, Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met and considered committee funding requests for the following Committees: Armed Services; Select Committee on Aging; Select Committee on Hunger; the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families; and the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control.

FEC AUTHORIZATION; UNIFORM POLL CLOSING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections, approved for full Committee action the following: Federal Election Commission authorization for fiscal year 1990; and H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Federal Election Commission authorization for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FEC: Danny L. McDonald, Chairman; Lee Ann Elliott, Vice Chairman and Chairman of the Finance Committee; and John W. McGarry, Commissioner.

OVERSIGHT—MINE RECLAMATION AND BONDING REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on mine reclamation and bonding requirements. Testimony was heard from the following officials of GAO: James Duffus III, Director, Natural Resources Management Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division; and Carl E. Wisler, Director, Planning and Reporting, Program Evaluation and Methodology; from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Robert H. Gentile, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement; Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management; and David G. Unger, Associate Deputy Chief, National Forest System; and public witnesses.

HISTORIC PROPERTY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 999, to amend the act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 915), as amended establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation. Testimony was heard from Representative Boggs; Paul W. Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations and Housing), Department of Defense; Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Robert D. Bush, Execu-

tive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and public witnesses.

REAUTHORIZATION OF THE OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on reauthorization of the Office on Environmental Quality and implementation of the National Environmental Policy Act. Testimony was heard from A. Alan Hill, Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality; Jennifer Joy Wilson, Assistant Administrator, External Affairs, EPA; and a public witness.

NOAA AND EPA BUDGET

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget for NOAA, and related EPA marine and estuarine programs. Testimony was heard from Thomas Maginnis, Assistant Administrator, Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and Tudor T. Davies, Director, Office of Marine and Estuarine Protection, EPA.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits held a hearing on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Representative Hoyer; from the following officials of the Office of Personnel Management: Anthony F. Ingrassia, Deputy Associate Director, Personnel Systems and Oversight; Jerome D. Julius, Deputy Associate Director, Retirement and Insurance; E. John Prebis, Associate Deputy Director, Planning and Budget; and Frank D. Titus, Assistant Director, Financial Control and Management; and public witnesses.

EASTERN AIRLINES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full committee action H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary; and Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification; and public witnesses.

PROPOSED TERMINATION OF LANDSAT 4 AND 5

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on proposed termination of Landsat 4 and 5. Testimony was heard from Thomas N. Pyke, Jr., Assistant Administrator, Satellite and Information Services, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Thomas P. Quinn, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence, Department of Defense; Shelby Tilford, Director, Earth Sciences and Applications Division, NASA; Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; James Donald, Chairman, World Agriculture Outlook Board, USDA; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on the National Institute of Standards and Technology authorization. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Ernest Ambler, Acting Under Secretary, Technology; Joseph F. Caponio, Director, National Technical Information Service; and Ray Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology; and William D. Manly, Chairman, Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal years 1990/1991 authorization, with emphasis on Office of Space Operations and Office of Aeronautics and Space Technology. Testimony was heard from the following officials of NASA: Robert O. Aller, Associate Administrator, Space Operations; and Robert Rosen, Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Aeronautics and Space Technology.

Hearings continue March 9.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

BUDGET DEFICIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the budget deficit, the state of the U.S. economy, and Federal budget policy for fiscal year 1990 and beyond. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB; and Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 9.

Joint Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy: Senators Sarbanes (Chairman), Kennedy, Roth, and Mack, and Representatives Hamilton, Solarz, Wylie, and Snowe;

Subcommittee on National Security Economics: Senators Bingaman (Chairman), Sarbanes, Bryan, Wilson, and Mack, and Representatives Obey, Scheuer, and Fish;

Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Trade, and Taxes: Senators Bentsen (Chairman), Roth, and Mack, and Representatives Hamilton, Stark, Solarz, Wylie, and Upton;

Subcommittee on Fiscal and Monetary Policy: Senators Kennedy (Chairman), and Symms, and Representatives Obey, Stark, and Upton;

Subcommittee on Economic Goals and Intergovernmental Policy: Representatives Hamilton (Chairman), Hawkins, Wylie, and Snowe, and Senators Bentsen, Kennedy, Roth, and Wilson;

Subcommittee on Economic Resources and Competitiveness: Representatives Obey (Chairman), Solarz, and Upton, and Senators Sarbanes, Bingaman, Gore, Bryan, and Symms;

Subcommittee on Investment, Jobs, and Prices: Representatives Hawkins (Chairman), Scheuer, Solarz, Stark, and Fish, and Senators Gore, Bryan, and Symms; and

Subcommittee on Education and Health: Representatives Scheuer (Chairman), Hawkins, Snowe, and Fish, and Senators Bentsen, Bingaman, Gore, and Wilson.

VETERANS' PROGRAMS

Joint Hearings: Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs concluded joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to review the legislative recommendations of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, after receiving testimony from Larry W. Rivers, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Washington, DC.

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Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Sixteen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 531-546, S.J. Res. 73 and 74, and S. Con. Res. 18.

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Measures Passed:

National Former Prisoners of War Recognition Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 43, designating April 9, 1989, as "National Former Prisoners of War Recognition Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Nomination Considered: Senate continued consideration of the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination on tomorrow.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

David Campbell Mulford, of Illinois, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Charles H. Dallara, of South Carolina, to be Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury.

David W. Mullins, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 7:56 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, March 9, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 3806.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings to review proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony from Clayton Yeutter, Sec-

retary, Peter Myers, Deputy Secretary, and Stephen B. Dewhurst, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, March 14.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from David M. Nummy, Acting Assistant Secretary for Management, Michael R. Hill, Inspector General, William E. Douglas, Commissioner, Financial Management Service, Richard L. Gregg, Commissioner, Bureau of the Public Debt, and Donna Pope, Director, United States Mint, all of the Department of the Treasury.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, March 10.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from William S. Haraf, Citicorp, New York, New York, on behalf of the Financial Services Council; Thomas P. Rideout, First Union National Bank, Charlotte, North Carolina, on behalf of the American Bankers Association; and O. Jay Tomson, Citizens National Bank of Charles City, Charles City, Iowa, on behalf of the Independent Bankers Association of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee resumed hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, receiving testimony in behalf of the Department of Health and Human Services from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; and in behalf of Medicare programs from Paul Ginsberg, Executive Director, Physician Payment Review Commission; Bruce Steinwald, Deputy Director, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; John Casey, Methodist Hospital System, Memphis, Tennessee; Raymond Scalettar, American Medical Association Board of Trustees, Washington, DC; and Lovola Burgess, American Association of Retired Persons, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISSION TO PLANET EARTH

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings, to review the scope,

goals, and objectives of NASA's Mission to Planet Earth, an initiative to gather and analyze data required to understand the forces of global change and the implications for planet Earth, receiving testimony from Lennard A. Fish, Associate Administrator for Space Science, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Sally K. Ride, Stanford University, Stanford, California; and Don L. Anderson, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee met and completed its review of those programs which fall within the committee's jurisdiction as contained in the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, and agreed on recommendations it will make thereon to the Committee on the Budget.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 406, to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish and implement a competitive oil and gas leasing program for the Coastal Plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, March 15.

AUTHORIZATIONS—USTR/ITC

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative and the U.S. International Trade Commission, receiving testimony from Joshua Bolten, General Counsel and Acting Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; Michael Doyle, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Administration; and Anne E. Brunsdale, Acting Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN TERRORIST THREATS TO FIRST AMENDMENT FREEDOM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations concluded hearings to examine foreign terrorists' threats relating to attempts to prevent publication and distribution of the *Satanic Verses* in the United States, after receiving testimony from Alvin P. Adams, Jr., Acting Coordinator for Counterterrorism, and A. Peter Burleigh, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, both of the Department of State; Oliver B. Revell, Executive Assistant Director of Investigation, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Nicholas A. Veliotis, Association of American Publishers, Inc., and Leon Wieseltier, The New Republic, Inc., both of Washington, DC; Bernard Rath, American Booksellers Association, and Susan Sontag, PEN-America, both of New York, New

York; and John Seigenthaler, Society of American Newspaper Editors, Nashville, Tennessee.

MINIMUM WAGE/NOMINATIONS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 4, to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

Routine nominations in the Public Health Service Corp. received in the Senate on January 3, 1989.

SERGEANT AT ARMS/ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings to review the operations of the Office of the Senate Sergeant at Arms and the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, after receiving testimony from Brian Nakamura, Administrative Assistant/General Counsel, on behalf of the Office of the Senate Sergeant at Arms; and George M. White, Architect of the Capitol.

VETERANS PROGRAMS BUDGET

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee met and completed its review of those programs which fall within the committee's jurisdiction as contained in the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, and agreed on recommendations it will make thereon to the Committee on the Budget.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 1291-1327; 5 private bills, H.R. 1328-1332; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 174-181, and H. Con. Res. 69, were introduced.

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Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: The Speaker appointed as majority members of the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control the following Members: Representatives Rangel (Chairman), Brooks, Stark, Scheuer, Collins, Akaka, Guarini, Fascell, Fauntroy, Hughes, Levine of California, Ortiz, Smith of Florida, Towns, Traficant, Mfume, Brennan, and Lowey of New York.

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Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: The Speaker appointed as majority members of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families the following Members: Representatives Miller of California (Chairman), Lehman of Florida,

Schroeder, Boggs, McHugh, Weiss, Anthony, Boxer, Levin of Michigan, Morrison of Connecticut, Rowland of Georgia, Sikorski, Wheat, Martinez, Evans, Durbin, Skaggs, and Sarpalius.

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Select Committee on Hunger: The Speaker appointed as majority members of the Select Committee on Hunger the following Members: Representatives Leland (Chairman), Hall of Ohio, Panetta, Fazio, Kostmayer, Dorgan of North Dakota, Carr, Penny, Ackerman, Espy, Flake, Patterson, Foglietta, Bustamante, and McNulty.

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Select Committee on Aging: The Speaker appointed as majority members of the Select Committee on Aging the following Members: Representatives Roybal (Chairman), Pepper, Downey, Florio, Ford of Tennessee, Hughes, Lloyd, Oakar, Thomas A. Luken, Byron, Waxman, Synar, Derrick, Vento, Frank, Lantos, Wyden, Crockett, Skelton, Hertel, Borski, Erdreich, Sisisky, Wise, Richardson, Volker, Gordon, Manton, Robinson, Stallings, Clarke, Kennedy, Slaughter of New York, Bilbray, Jontz, Costello, Staggers, Pallone, and Unsoeld.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WILDFIRE SUPPRESSION ASSISTANCE ACT; SMITH-LEVER ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 829, Wildfire Suppression Assistance Act; and H.J. Res. 124, to recognize the 75th anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act of May 8, 1914, and its role in establishing our Nation's system of State Cooperative Extension Services.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; Immigration and Naturalization Service; Community Relations Service; Representation Allowances Emergencies in the Diplomatic and Consular Service; Foreign Service Retirement and Disability Fund; American Institute in Taiwan; The Asia Foundation; and Soviet-East European Research and Training. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Stanley J. Glod, Chairman, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, INS; and

Grace Flores Hughes, Director, Community Relations Service; the following officials of the Department of State: Roger B. Feldman, Comptroller; William Clark, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Curtis W. Kamman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Intelligence and Research.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Medical Overview and on Medical, Navy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Dr. William Mayer, Assistant Secretary (Health Affairs); and VAdm. James Zimble, USN, Surgeon General of the Navy.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development met in executive session to continue hearings on DOE: Atomic Energy Activities. Testimony was heard from Adm. Bruce DeMars, USN, Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion, Department of the Navy.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the following: Peacekeeping Operations; African Development Foundation; American Schools and Hospitals Abroad; and the Peace Corps. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Shaw Smith, Deputy Assistant Secretary, U.N. Political Affairs; and Edward S. Walker, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; Leonard Robinson, President, African Development Foundation; David A. Santos, Director, American Schools and Hospitals Abroad, AID; and Loret Miller Ruppe, Director, Peace Corps.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued hearings on Indian Programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: Higher Education (including College and Housing Loans and Other Construction Accounts); and Educational Research and Statistics; and Libraries. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Education: Kenneth D. Whitehead, Assistant Secretary, Postsecondary Education; and

Patricia Hines, Assistant Secretary, Educational Research and Improvement.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Base Closures. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations, Department of Defense.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Cooperative State Research Service; Extension Service; and National Agricultural Library. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Orville G. Bentley, Assistant Secretary, Science and Education; John Patrick Jordan, Administrator, Cooperative State Research Service; Myron D. Johnsrud, Administrator, Extension Service; and Joseph H. Howard, Director, National Agricultural Library.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on National Transportation Safety Board. Testimony was heard from James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on National Archives and Records Service, and the Tax Court. Testimony was heard from Don W. Wilson, Archivist of the U.S., National Archives and Records Administration; and Arthur L. Nims III, Chief Judge, U.S. Tax Court.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on Federal Home Loan Bank Board and on Selective Service System. Testimony was heard from M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and Samuel K. Lessey, Director, Selective Service System.

INTEGRITY OF THE DEFENSE ACQUISITION SYSTEM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the integrity of the defense acquisition system. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of

Defense: H. Lawrence Garrett III, Under Secretary of the Navy; and John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Acquisition, Department of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PILOT RETENTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation met in executive session to receive a briefing on pilot retention. The Subcommittee was briefed by U.S. Navy and Air Force pilots.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation continued hearings on the manpower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on pilot retention. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: David J. Armor, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Force Management and Personnel; Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, USAF; Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, USA; Lt. Gen. John I. Hudson, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower, USMC; and VAdm. Jeremy Michael Boorda, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Manpower Personnel and Training, Chief of Naval Personnel.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the relationship between weapon systems testing and production decisionmaking. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation; Robert C. Duncan, Director, Defense Research and Engineering; and James F. O'Bryon, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary (Live Fire Testing).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Department of Defense investigators and Army, Navy and Air Force auditors. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: June Gibbs Brown, Inspector General; Derek J. Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General; William H. Reed, Director, Defense Contract Audit Agency; and Richard L. Shaffer, Auditor General, Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue consideration of the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, receiving a classified briefing on laser programs and on the B-2 Bomber program. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: Brig. Gen. Robert Dempsey, Deputy Chief of Staff, Security Planning and Analysis; and Col. Dennis Cole, Chief, B-2 Division, Deputy Chief of Staff, Requirements, both with the Headquarters Strategic Air Command.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MEDICARE, AIDS AND CHILD HEALTH

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Human Resources concluded hearings on Medicare, AIDS and Child Health, with emphasis on Children in the Budget, Prenatal Care and Infant Mortality, Child Care and The Dropout Issue. Testimony was heard from Representative Miller of California, Hawkins, Leland and Williams; Rae Grad, Executive Director, National Commission to Prevent Infant Mortality; and public witnesses.

FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 770, Family and Medical Leave Act of 1989.

CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ADVANCED TELEVISION TECHNOLOGIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on advanced television technologies. Testimony was heard from Robert Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; Ambassador Sonia Landau, U.S. Coordinator and Director, Bureau of International Communications and Information Policy, Department of State; Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, FCC; Robert Shafer, Director, Television Development

Division, NASA; and Craig I. Fields, Deputy Director, Research, Department of Advanced Research Project Agency, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS FOR AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance requests for Africa: Long-Term Development and Human Rights Issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Allison Rosenberg, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau for African Affairs; and A. Peter Burleigh, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; the following officials of AID: Larry Saiers, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Africa; and Phillip Gary, Acting Director, Office of Middle East, Europe and North African Affairs; and Leonard Robinson, President, African Development Foundation.

Hearings continued tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held an oversight hearing on foreign assistance and sales programs and Task Force Findings. Testimony was heard from H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; and Lt. Gen. Charles W. Brown, Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held an oversight hearing on Foreign Aid Requests for Pakistan and India. Testimony was heard from Howard Schaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; Edward W. Gnehm, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense; and Tom Reese, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Near East and Asian Bureau, AID.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on the fiscal year 1990 budget request for the Department of State. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Sheldon Krys, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Administration; Joan Clark, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Consular Affairs; Roger Feldman, Comptroller; and a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere held a hearing to review the fiscal year 1990 request for International Narcotics Control for Latin America and the Caribbean. Testimony was heard from Ann B. Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; David Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

SUBPOENA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved the issuance of a subpoena for June Koch, a former employee of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

CHILD CARE IN FEDERAL BUILDINGS—GSA OVERSIGHT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on Child Care in Federal buildings: GSA Oversight. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, GSA; and a public witness.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts approved for full Committee action amended H. Res. 103, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for the expenses of investigations and studies by standing and select committees of the House in the first session of the 101st Congress.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held an oversight hearing on the programs and policies of the Department of the Interior. Testimony was heard from Manuel Lujan, Jr., Secretary of the Interior.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held an oversight hearing on the authorization request for Department of Justice (Civil Division) and the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Stuart Schiffer, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division; and Stanley J. Glod, Chairman, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on

the authorization request for the Community Relations Service of the Department of Justice for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from Grace Flores Hughes, Community Relations Service, Department of Justice.

OVERSIGHT—OPERATION OF THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services and the Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization joint oversight hearing on the operation of the U.S. Postal Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Postal Service: Robert Setrakian, Chairman; John L. Ryan, Vice Chairman; John N. Griesemer, Ira D. Hall, Susan E. Alvarado, Tirso del Junco, and Bert H. Mackie, all Governors; and Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPERCONDUCTING SUPER COLLIDER

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on non-Federal participation in Superconducting Super Collider. Testimony was heard from James F. Decker, Deputy Director, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy; and a public witness.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology continued hearings on National Institute of Standards and Technology authorization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 23.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aviation and Materials held a hearing on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 authorization. Testimony was heard from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

BUDGET DEFICIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the budget deficit, the state of the U.S. economy, and Federal budget policy for fiscal year 1990 and beyond. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eighteen bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 547-564, S. Res. 79, S.J. Res. 75-77, and S. Con. Res. 19 and 20.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 431, to authorize funding for the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission.

Special Report entitled "Activities of the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation". (S. Rept. No. 100-5)

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Measures Passed:

Purchase Price for Non-Fat Dry Dairy Products: Senate passed S. 553, to provide for more balance in stocks of dairy products purchased by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

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Nomination Confirmed: By 97 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 21), Senate confirmed the nomination of William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy.

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Nomination Rejected: By 47 yeas to 53 nays (Vote No. 20), Senate failed to confirm the nomination of John G. Tower, of Texas, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Henry E. Catto, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Vernon A. Walters, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Wendell Lewis Willkie II, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce.

One Army nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Public Health Service and Air Force nominations.

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Executive Report of a Committee: Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy (reported favorably, together with additional and minority views). (Ex. Rept. No. 101-2)

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—21)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:16 p.m., until 12 noon, on Monday, March 13, 1989, for a pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

TRADING PRACTICES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed oversight hearings to review regulatory activities of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, receiving testimony from Wendy Lee Gramm, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed hearings on the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Robert D. Reischauer, Director, and James L. Blum, Assistant Director, Budget Analysis, both of the Congressional Budget Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Labor, receiving testimony from Elizabeth Hanford Dole, Secretary of Labor; and Raymond Maria, Deputy Inspector General, Department of Labor.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Frank E. McKinney, Jr., BancOne Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana, on behalf of the Association of Bank Holding Companies; H.M. Osteen, Jr., Bankers First, Augusta, Georgia, on behalf of the Association of Thrift Holding Companies; and Charles J. Zwick, Southeast Banking Corporation, Miami, Florida, on behalf of the Association of Reserve City Bankers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Alfred A. DelliBovi, Deputy Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation; and Carmen E. Turner, General Manager, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, March 14.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee continued hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on science, technology, and strategic economic policy, receiving testimony from Frank Press, President, National Academy of Sciences, and former Science Advisor under President Carter; Clyde V. Prestowitz, Jr., former Counselor on Japanese Affairs to the Secretary of Commerce; Robert H. Rosenweig, Association of American Universities, Washington, DC; and Alvin Trivelpiece, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to review economic assumptions and spending reductions as contained in the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Richard Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget; Terry S. Coleman, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, and Dennis P. Williams, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Management and Budget, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; Robert D. Reichauer, Director, Congressional Budget Office; and James L. Blum, former Acting Director, Congressional Budget Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of William J. Bennett, of North Carolina, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy;

S. 419, to provide for the collection of data about crimes motivated by race, religion, ethnicity, or sexual orientation; and

S. 431, to authorize funds for the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission.

NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on proposals to establish a corporation to administer a program of voluntary national service, and to provide for the education and training of participants in such Corps, including S. 3, S. 322, S. 382, and S. 408, receiving testimony from Senators Bumpers, Moynihan, and Graham; Katy Evans, Camp Hill Middle School, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania; Catherine Powers, Baltimore City College High School, Baltimore, Maryland; Alex Byrd, Rice University, Houston, Texas; Bobby Heard, University of Texas, Austin; Peter Waite, Laubach Literacy International, Syracuse, New York; Robert J. Rothstein, Retired Senior Volunteer Program, Chevy Chase, Maryland; John Buchanan, People for the American Way, Washington, DC; and Ernest Boyer, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, Princeton, New Jersey.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JOB TRAINING ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Employment and Productivity held hearings on S. 543, to strengthen employment and training assistance programs and to improve the targeting of services to economically disadvantaged adults and youth, receiving testimony from Ohio Governor Richard F. Celeste, Columbus, on behalf of the National Governors' Association; Mayor Jerry E. Abramson, Louisville, Kentucky, on behalf of the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Hal Norgard, Ramsey County, Minnesota, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; Arturo Vazquez, Chicago Mayor's Office of Employment and Training, Chicago, Illinois; and Elton Jolly, Opportunities Industrialization Centers, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 16.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence

community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 1333-1369; 1 private bill, H.R. 1370; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 182-186, H. Con. Res. 70, and H. Res. 106 were introduced.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 12:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary met in executive session to hold a hearing on Secretary of State. Testimony was heard from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on the following: Procurement, Marine Corps; Military Personnel, Navy; and Military Personnel, Air Force. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Maj. Gen. Ray M. Franklin, USMC, Commanding General, Marine Corps Research, Development and Acquisition Command; VAdm. J.M. Boorda, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Manpower, Personnel and Training; and Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the following: Trade Issues; Export Import Bank; Trade and Development Program; and on Overseas Private Investment Corporation. Testimony was heard from William F. Ryan, Acting Chairman, Export-Import Bank; and the following officials of the U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency: Priscella Rabb, Di-

rector, Trade and Development Program; and Robert O. Draggon, Vice President, Finance, Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued hearings on Indian Programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: the Secretary of Labor; Howard University; and on Departmental Management for Education. Testimony was heard from Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor; the following officials of the Department of Education: James E. Cheek, President, Howard University; and Charles E.M. Kolb, Deputy Under Secretary, Planning, Budget and Evaluation.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Army Military Construction. Testimony was heard from Paul W. Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations and Housing, Department of the Army.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; Packers and Stockyards Administration; and on Office of Transportation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of USDA: Roland R. Vautour, Under Secretary, Small Community and Rural Development; John Marshall, Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; Kenneth Gilles, Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Services; B.H. Jones, Administrator, Packers and Stockyards Administration; and Martin F. Fitzpatrick, Jr., Administrator, Office of Transportation.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Research and Special Programs Administration. Testimony was heard from George W. Tenley, Jr., Chief Counsel, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on Secret Service, and on Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms. Testimony was heard from John Simpson, Director, Selective Service System; and Stephen E. Higgins, Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the following: American Battle Monuments Commission; Cemeterial Expenses; Department of the Army; Office of Consumer Affairs; and Consumer Information Service. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. A.J. Adams, USA, Secretary, American Battle Monuments Commission; John S. Doyle, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary (Civil Works), Department of the Army; Frank R. Marvin, Director, Management Staff, Office of Consumer Affairs, Department of Health and Human Services; and Mary Levy, Acting Director, Consumer Information Center, GSA.

SOVIET FORCE REDUCTION AND RESTRUCTURING

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel met in executive session to receive a classified briefing on President Mikhail Gorbachev's force reduction and the restructuring of Soviet forces. The Panel was briefed by the following officials of the CIA: Doug MacEachin, Director, Office of Soviet Analysis; and Bob Abbot, Chief, Defense Economic Division, Office of Soviet Analysis; Art Zuehlke, Special Assistant, Soviet/Warsaw Pact, DIA, Department of Defense; and Arris Pappas, Assistant National Intelligence Officer, General Purpose Forces.

INTEGRITY OF THE DEFENSE ACQUISITION SYSTEM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the integrity of the defense acquisition system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BASE REALIGNMENT AND CLOSURE COMMISSION LEGISLATION; DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities forwarded to the full Committee with no recommendations the following measures: H. Res. 74, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Com-

mission on Base Realignment and Closure with respect to Fort Dix, NJ; and H. Res. 76, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

The Subcommittee unfavorably forwarded to the full Committee H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Guard and Reserve chiefs and defense agencies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John B. Rosamond, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs (Material and Facilities); Brig. Gen. William A. Navas, Jr., Deputy Director, Army National Guard; Brig. Gen. Roger C. Bultman, Deputy Chief, Army Reserve; RAdm. Richard K. Chambers, Deputy Commander, Naval Reserve Force; Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services Division, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps; Brig. Gen. John G. McMerty, Deputy Director, Air National Guard; Brig. Gen. Shirley M. Carpenter, Deputy Chief, Air Force Reserve; Dr. William Mayer, Assistant Secretary, Health Affairs; and Barbara S. Pope, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Family Support, Education and Safety), Office of the Assistant Secretary, Force Management and Personnel.

Hearings continue March 15.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Air Force Guard and Reserve and Navy/Marine Corps Guard and Reserve. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Brig. Gen. Phillip G. Killey, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, Chief, Air Force Reserve; Maj. Gen. Edmund P. Looney, Jr., Director, Marine Corps Reserve; and RAdm. F.N. Smith, Director, Naval Reserve.

Hearings continue March 14.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Army programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: Jay R. Sculley, Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition; Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, Military

Deputy to the Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition; and George Sigley, Director, Research and Technology, Office of the Deputy for Technology and Assessment to the Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition.

Hearings continue March 14.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings in executive session on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on mine warfare. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: VAdm. Paul D. Miller, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Mine Warfare); RAdm. B.E. Tobin, Commander, Mine Warfare Command; and Capt. Jerry Manley, Head, Mine Warfare Branch; and Donna M. Heivlin, Associate Director, Navy Issues, GAO.

Hearings continue March 14.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

Hearings continue March 14.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Continued hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Hearings continue March 14.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health held an oversight hearing on questions surrounding the issues of drug testing, use, treatment, education, and prevention in the public and private sectors. Testimony was heard from J. Michael Walsh, Director, Office of Workplace Initiative, National Institute on Drug Abuse, Department of Health and Human Services; Mark J. Barnes, Associate Director, Administration, Office of Personnel Management; Andrew E. Jenkins III, Superintendent, Public Schools, District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education continued hearings on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D.

Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from Michael Feuer, Senior Analyst and Project Director, Office of Technology Assessment; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 14.

FAIR LABOR STANDARDS AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor Standards approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Representative Kleczka.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight hearing on the Office of Educational Research and Improvement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE AND HEALTH INSURANCE REFORM

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on serious problems with health insurance coverage and proposals to reform the health insurance system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ADVANCED TELEVISION TECHNOLOGIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance concluded oversight hearings on advanced television technologies. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS FOR AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa concluded hearings on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance requests for Africa: Long-Term Development and Human Rights Issues. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science concluded oversight hearings of Foreign Assistance and Sales Programs and Task Force Findings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEATH THREATS AGAINST SALMAN RUSHDIE; FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East approved for full Committee action amended H. Res. 102, expressing the

sense of the House of Representatives concerning the death threats issued by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini of Iran against British author Salman Rushdie and other persons associated with the publication and distribution of the book.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance Requests: Oman; Lebanon; Jordan; Yemen; and American Schools and Hospitals Abroad. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Edward J. Walker, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary; and Peter A. Burleigh, Deputy Assistant Secretary, both with the Bureau for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; Edward W. Gnehm, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense; and from the following officials of AID: William P. Fuller, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Asia and Near East; and David A. Santos, Director, Office of American Schools and Hospitals Abroad.

BUREAU OF EXPORT ADMINISTRATION BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget request for the Bureau of Export Administration. Testimony was heard from Paul Freedenberg, Under Secretary, Export Administration, Department of Commerce.

USIA BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations continued hearings on the fiscal year 1990 budget request for the U.S. Information Agency. Testimony was heard from Representative Kanjorski; Robert Gosende, Deputy Associate Director, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, USIA; William Brock, Chairman of the Board, National Endowment for Democracy; and public witnesses.

U.S. ASSISTANCE TO CENTRAL AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere held a hearing on United States assistance to Central America. Testimony was heard from Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller, National Security and International Affairs, GAO; and public witnesses.

NARCOTICS REVIEW IN SOUTH AMERICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Narcotics review in South America. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; and David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held an oversight hearing on the establishment of a National Museum of the American Indian. Testimony was heard from Robert McCormick Adams, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; and public witnesses.

TECHNICAL CORRECTION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 964, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, AL.).

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on the FBI Drug Program and other Criminal Investigative matters. Testimony was heard from Floyd I. Clarke, Assistant Director, Criminal Investigative Division, FBI, Department of Justice.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts and Advisory Committees on Civil Rules and Appellate Rules. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts: L. Ralph Mechem, Director; John F. Grady, Chief Judge, Northern District of Illinois and Chairman, Advisory Committee on Civil Rules, and Jon O. Newman, Circuit Judge, Second Circuit Court of Appeals and Chairman, Advisory Committee on Appellate Rules, both with the Judicial Conference of the U.S.

OVERSIGHT-CENTRAL AMERICAN ASYLUM-SEEKERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held an oversight hearing on Central American Asylum-Seekers. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fascell and Ortiz; Cresencio Arcos, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Central American Affairs, Department of State; Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Nancy R. Kingsbury, Director, Foreign Economics Assistance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

COAST GUARD REAUTHORIZATION; BRIDGE ADMINISTRATION TRANSFER ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Coast Guard Budget reauthorization; and the Budget Administration Transfer

Act. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation: Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant; VAdm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., Vice Commandant; Capt. Kenneth W. Thompson, Chief, Programs Division; and Capt. J. David Spade, Chief, Budget Division.

SECURITY CLEARANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on the draft Executive Order regarding security clearance of Federal workers. Testimony was heard from Mary C. Lawton, Counsel, Office of Intelligence Policy and Review, Department of Justice; Steven Garfinkel, Director, Information Security Oversight Office, GSA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT-OPERATION OF THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services and the Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization continued joint oversight hearings on the operation of the U.S. Postal Service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 15.

EASTERN AIRLINES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation met for organizational purposes.

NSF AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on NSF authorization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 14.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal years 1990/1991 authorization. Testimony was heard from Frank Martin, Assistant Administrator, Office of Exploration, NASA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 16.

FERTILIZATION CLINICS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation and Business Opportunities held a hearing on

Efficacy of Invitro Fertilization Clinics. Testimony was heard from William MacLeod, Director, Consumer Protection, FTC; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

TROUBLED SAVINGS AND LOANS INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the budget implications and current tax rules relating to troubled savings and loans institutions. Testimony was heard from Roger W. Jepsen, Chairman, National Credit Union Administration; and public witnesses.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 14.

Joint Meetings

BOARD AND CARE HOMES

Joint Hearings: Senate Special Committee on Aging held joint hearings with the House Select Committee on Aging's Subcommittee on Health and Long-Term Care and Subcommittee on Housing and Consumer Interests to examine conditions in America's board and care facilities for the elderly, receiving testimony from Representative Pepper; Janet L. Shikles, Director, Public and National Health Issues, Human Resources Division, Alfred Schnupp, Assignment Manager, and Chris Rice, Evaluator-in-Charge, all of the General Accounting Office; Melva Colegrove, Ohio Department of Health, Columbus; David Lazarus, Community Health Law Project, East Orange, New Jersey; Alice Lippold and Anne Hart, both of Washington, DC; John Sharp and Michael Coonan, both of Sacramento, California; Ima Ring, Indianapolis, Indiana; Julie Oetting, Jefferson County, Alabama; Pam Hinckley, Cleveland, Ohio; Mary Beth Africa, Altoona, Pennsylvania; and Pat Murphy, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Monday, March 13, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Recess: Senate convened at 12 o'clock p.m., and recessed at 12:09 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, March 15, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DOE/DOI

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Helmut A. Merklein, Administrator, Energy Information Administration, Chandler L. van Orman, Administrator, Economic Regulatory Administration, George B. Breznay, Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals, and Edward Badolato, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Energy Emergencies, all of the Department of Energy; and Robert E. Kallman, Director, Minerals Management Service, and Steven A. Robinson, Deputy Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, both of the Department of the Interior.

On Friday, March 10, Subcommittee also held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Bureau of Indian Affairs, receiving testimony from W. Patrick Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 10, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William J. Doyle III, Inspector General, Thomas J. Simon, Chairman, Charles J. Chamberlain, Labor Member, and John D. Crawford, Management Member, all of the Railroad Retirement Board; Donna M. Alvarado, Director, ACTION; Sandra S. Parrino, Chairperson, National Council on Disability; Robert P. Baker, Acting Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Walter C. Wallace, Chairman, National Mediation Board; Ford B. Ford, Chairman, Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission; E. Ross Buckley, Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission; and James M. Stephens, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, March 17.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE AGENCIES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for Air Force and Defense Agencies military construction programs, after receiving testimony from Barbara S. Pope, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Gordon K. Dowery, Director, Defense Medical Facilities, and Donald B. Shycoff, Deputy Comptroller Defense Logistics Agency, all of the Department of Defense.

APPROPRIATIONS—IRS/POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, March 10, Subcommittee on the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for their respective activities from Michael J. Murphy, Acting Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury; and Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General, U.S. Postal Service.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, March 15.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William A. Whiteside, Executive Director, Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation; MacDonald Becket, Chairman, National Institute of Building Sciences; and David L. Chatfield, Board Member, National Credit Union Administration.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

FS-X AIRCRAFT AGREEMENT

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, March 10, Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology held hearings on the implications of the FS-X Aircraft Agreement between the United States and Japan, receiving testimony from Frank C. Carlucci, former Secretary of Defense; Clyde V. Prestowitz, former Counselor for Japan Affairs to the Secretary of Commerce; James E. Auer, former Special Assistant for Japan, Office of the Secretary of Defense; Donald C. Hellmann, University of Washington, Seattle; and Edward C. Bursk, Aerospace Industries Association of America, and William R. Hawkins, U.S. Business and Industrial Council, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, March 10, Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the state and capabilities of the U.S. Marine Corps for special operations and low intensity conflict, receiving testimony from Gen. Alfred M. Gray, USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: On Friday, March 10, Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and the potential threat to the insurance fund protecting savings and loan deposits, receiving testimony from Jerome Blank, National Association of Realtors, and Kent W. Colton, National Association of Home Builders of the United States, both of Washington, DC; and Willard Gourley, Jr., BarclaysAmerican Mortgage Corporation, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, March 14.

AUTHORIZATIONS—CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Consumer Product Safety Commission, receiving testimony from Anne Graham, Acting Chairman, and Carol G. Dawson, Commissioner, both of the Consumer Product Safety Commission; and Ester Peterson, The International Organization of Consumers Unions, Martin Eichelberger, Children's Hospital/National Medical Center, representing the Safe Kids Campaign, Mary Ellen R. Fise, Consumer Federation of America, Pamela Gilbert, U.S. Public Interest Research Group, and Richard H. Gimer, Hopkins, Sutter, Hamel and Park, representing the United States Chamber of Commerce, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BILATERAL TRADE AGREEMENTS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings to examine the relationship between bilateral trade agreements and the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, and the potential for bilateral arrangements to address U.S. trade problems, receiving testimony from S. Fred Bergsten and Jeffrey Schott, both of the Institute for International Economics, Pat Choate, TRW Inc., Robert J. Morris, U.S. Council for International

Business, Doral S. Cooper, C&M International, Ltd., former Assistant United States Trade Representative for Asia, Africa and the Middle East, and Chief Negotiator, U.S.-Israeli Free Trade Agreement, and Guy F. Erb, U.S. Council of the Mexico-U.S. Business Committee, all of Washington, DC; and C. Michael Aho, Council on Foreign Relations, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 1371-1377; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 187-191, H. Con. Res. 71, and H. Res. 107 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units, amended (H. Rept. 101-3).

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Late Report: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request that the Committee on Public Works and Transportation be permitted to have until 5 p.m. today to file a report on H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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Interparliamentary Union: The Speaker appointed to the delegation to attend the conference of the Interparliamentary Union to be held in Budapest, Hungary, on March 13 through March 18, 1989, the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Scheuer (Chairman), Conyers (Vice Chairman), Frost, Hammerschmidt, and Blaz.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Acquisition and Maintenance of Buildings Abroad; Protection of Foreign Missions and Officials; and International Organizations and Conferences. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Sheldon J. Krys, Assistant Secretary, Administration and Management; Robert E. Lamb, Assistant Secretary, Diplomatic Security; and N. Shaw Smith, Acting Assistant Secretary, International Organization Affairs.

On March 10, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the following: International Boundary and Water Commission; International Boundary Commission; International Joint Commission; International Fisheries Commission; Fishermen's Guaranty Fund; Fishermen's Protective Fund; and U.S. Bilateral Science and Technology Agreements. Testimony was heard from Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; Narendra N. Gunaji, U.S. Commissioner, International Boundary and Water Commission, U.S. and Mexico; Clyde R. Moore, U.S. Deputy Commissioner, International Boundary Commission; Robert C. McEwen, Chairman, U.S. Section, International Joint Commission; and Michael J. Matheson, Deputy Legal Adviser, Fishermen's Protective Fund.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on DOE: Nuclear Fission, Commercial Waste Management, and on Uranium Supply and Enrichment Activities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Mary Ann Novak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Energy; and Samuel Rouso, Acting Director, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Labor-Management Services, and Departmental Management for Labor. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: David M. Walker, Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration; and Thomas C. Komarek, Assistant Secretary, Administration and Management.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Federal Grain Inspection Service; Agricultural Marketing Service; and Agricultural Cooperative Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Kenneth Gilles, Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Services; W. Kirk Miller, Administrator, Federal Grain Inspection Service; J. Patrick Boyle, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service; and Randall E. Torgerson, Administrator, Agricultural Cooperative Service.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel met in executive session to hold a hearing on the Energy Department defense portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs; Brig. Gen. Paul Kavanaugh, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Military Applications; and Jill Lytle, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Materials; Bob Barker, Assistant to the Secretary, Atomic Energy, Department of Defense; Irwin Welber, President, Sandia National Laboratory; Siegfried Hecker, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory; and John Nuckolls, Director, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

SOVIET FORCE REDUCTION AND RESTRUCTURING

Committee on Armed Services: On March 10, the Defense Policy Panel held a hearing on President Mikhail Gorbachev's force reductions and the restructuring of Soviet forces. Testimony was heard from Andrey A. Kokoshin, Deputy Director, Institute of the USA and Canada, Academy of Sciences of the USSR, Moscow.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MEDICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES IN ASSURING QUALITY OF HEALTH CARE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the development and use of medical practice guidelines in assuring quality of health care. Testimony was heard from Dr. Thomas Reardon, Commissioner, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

TRAUMA CARE SYSTEMS PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: On March 10, the Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 436, Trauma Care Systems Planning and Development Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Cooper; and public witnesses.

PACIFIC LUMBER COMPANY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Pacific Lumber Company. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance Requests. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REIMBURSEMENT UNDER MEDICARE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on reimbursement under the Medicare Program for Hospital Capital Expenses, including H.R. 712, Medicare Inpatient Hospital Capital Expenditure Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Keith Anderson, Special Assistant to the Director, Bureau of Economics, FTC; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting**EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT**

Joint Economic Committee: On Friday, March 10, Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for February, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, March 14, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, March 15, 1989.

Committee Meetings**APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies

held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Orville G. Bentley, Assistant Secretary for Science and Education, Robert W. Long, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Science and Education, R. Dean Plowman, Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, John P. Jordan, Administrator, Cooperative State Research Service, Myron D. Johnsrud, Administrator, Extension Service, and Robert E. Sherman, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for enlisted personnel programs, receiving testimony from James W. Gates, Sergeant Major of the Army; D.R. Bushey, Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy; David W. Sommers, Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps; James Binnicker, Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force; Mrs. Sidney Hickey, National Military Family Association, Arlington, Virginia; and Sgt. Maj. (Ret.) C.A. McKinney, Non-Commissioned Officers Association of the United States of America, Alexandria, Virginia.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDIAN HEALTH AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for Indian health and education programs, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Everett R. Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Service, and Dennis P. Williams, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Budget, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; and Beryl Dorsett, Assistant Secretary of Education for Elementary and Secondary Education.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 3.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held hearings to review aviation security issues, receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Ray Salazar, Director, Aviation Security, Federal Aviation Administration; Ambassador Clayton McManaway, Associate Coordinator for Counter Terrorism, Carmen DiPlacido, Chief, Citizens Consular Services, and Michael Mahoney, Director, Citizens Emergency Center, all of the Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of

State; Bert Ammerman, Dorothy Cocker, Edward O'Connor, and Paul Hudson, all family members representing the "Victims of Pan Am Flight 103"; Robert H. Waddle, American Association of Airport Executives, Alexandria, Virginia; Wilfred A. Jackson, Airport Operators Council International, Richard Lally, Air Transport Association of America, H.L. Bradley, Air Line Pilots Association International, and Juliette Lenoir, Association of Flight Attendants, all of Washington, DC; and Brian Moreau, Independent Union of Flight Attendants, New York, New York.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 16.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported 3,517 military nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings to review the recommendations for closure of certain military bases, receiving testimony from Frank C. Carlucci, former Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Representative Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense, where the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Wallop and Simpson, and Representative Michel, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FSLIC

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, focusing on the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation (FSLIC)-assisted sales of failed thrifts approved by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Division, and Frederick D. Wolf, Assistant Comptroller General, Accounting and Financial Management Division, all of the United States General Accounting Office.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee resumed hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on defense issues, receiving testimony from William H. Taft IV, Deputy Secretary of Defense; Admiral Wil-

liam Crowe, Jr., Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; and R. James Woolsey, Shea and Gardner, and former Under Secretary of the Navy, Barry Blechman, Defense Forecasts, Inc., and Gordon Adams, Center on Budget Policy Priorities, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR TRAVEL RIGHTS FOR BLIND INDIVIDUALS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings on S. 341, to prohibit discrimination against blind individuals in air travel, after receiving testimony from Representative Traficant; Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator for Regulation and Certification, Federal Aviation Administration; Kenneth Jer-nigan and Dan Frye, both of the National Federation of the Blind, Baltimore, Maryland; and Harold W. Snider, Society for the Advancement of Travel for the Handicapped, James E. Landry, Air Transport Association of America, and Susan Bianchi-Sand and Matthew Finucane, both of the Association of Flight Attendants, all of Washington, DC.

NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings to review energy efficiency technologies and renewable energy resources, and S. 324, to establish a national energy policy to reduce global warming, receiving testimony from Senators Heinz and Fowler; Jack H. Gibbons, Director, and Peter Blair, Program Manager, Energy and Minerals Program, both of the Office of Technology Assessment; Sue Hickey, Assistant Administrator for Energy Resources, Bonneville Power Administration, Department of Energy; Stephen Wiel, Nevada Public Service Commission, Carson City, on behalf of the NARUC Conservation Committee; Robert Williams, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey; Ralph Cavanagh, Natural Resources Defense Council, San Francisco, California; Tom Bath, Solar Energy Research Institute, Golden, Colorado; Arthur H. Rosenfeld, Lawrence Berkeley Labs, Berkeley, California; Jim Wolf, Alliance to Save Energy, and William McCollam, Jr., Edison Electric Institute, both of Washington, DC; Scott Sklar, Solar Energy Industry Association, Arlington, Virginia; and William D. Robertson, Pacific Power and Light, Portland, Oregon.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CAPITAL GAINS

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on revenue increases as contained in the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, focusing on the proposal to reduce the rate of tax on long term capital gains, receiving testimony from Senators Bumpers and Boschwitz. Dennis Ross, Deputy As-

sistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Ronald A. Pearlman, Chief of Staff, Randolph Weiss, Deputy Chief of Staff, and Thomas Barthold, Economist, all of the Joint Committee on Taxation; Alan J. Auerbach, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and Paul Craig Roberts, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Robert S. McIntyre, Citizens for Tax Justice, and Charles E. Walker, American Council for Capital Formation, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee resumed hearings on proposals to establish a corporation to administer a program of voluntary national service, and to provide for the education and training of participants in such Corps, including S. 3, S. 322, S. 382, and S. 408, receiving testimony from Senator Nunn; Representative Montgomery; Samantha Hodge-Williams, Magic Me, Baltimore, Maryland; Frank J. Slobig, Youth Service America, and Margaret Rosenberry, National Association of Service and Conservation Corps, both of Washington, DC; Phil Braden, Montgomery County Conservation Corps, Rockville, Maryland; James Sakamoto, University of Southern California, and Todd Clark, Constitutional Rights Foundation, both of Los Angeles, California; Gresham Riley, Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on behalf of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities; James Whalen, Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York, on behalf of the American Council on Education; Judith Billings, Council of Chief State School Officers, Olympia, Washington.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION/INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATIONS

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Richard J. Kerr, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence.

Also, the committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 1378–1409; 4 private bills, H.R. 1410–1413; and 13 resolutions,

H.J. Res. 192–200, H. Con. Res. 72–73, and H. Res. 108–109 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 124, to recognize the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act of May 8, 1914, and its role in establishing our Nation's system of State Cooperative Extension Services (H. Rept. 101–4);

H.R. 829, to make permanent authority provided under the Temporary Emergency Wildfire Suppression Act (H. Rept. 101–5);

H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units (H. Rept. 101–6); and

H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure (H. Rept. 101–7).

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Late Reports: Committee on Armed Services received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure; and to have until midnight on Wednesday, March 15, to file reports on H. Res. 74, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure with respect to Fort Dix, New Jersey; and H. Res. 76, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Smith-Lever Act: H.J. Res. 124, to recognize the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act of May 8, 1914, and its role in establishing our Nation's system of State Cooperative Extension Services;

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Wildfire suppression assistance: H.R. 829, to make permanent the authority provided under the Temporary Emergency Wildfire Suppression Act;

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Famine in Sudan: S. Con. Res. 15, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan—clearing the measure;

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Election observer mission: H.R. 1373, to authorize the Agency for International Development to pay the expenses of an election observer mission for the 1989 presidential elections in Panama;

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Egyptian-Israeli Treaty: H.J. Res. 187, to commend the Governments of Israel and Egypt on the occa-

sion of the tenth anniversary of the Treaty of Peace between Israel and Egypt; and

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Khomeini death threats: H. Res. 102, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives concerning the death threats issued by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini of Iran against British author Salman Rushdie and other persons associated with the publication and distribution of the book.

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Greek Independence Day: House passed S.J. Res. 64, to designate March 25, 1989, as "Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy"—clearing the measure for the President.

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National Agriculture Day: House passed H.J. Res. 117, to proclaim March 20, 1989, as "National Agriculture Day".

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Freedom of Information Day: House passed H.J. Res. 167, to designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day".

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Presidential Message—Arms Control: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits the 1988 report of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Secretary of Commerce; Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology Administration; and on National Institute of Standards and Technology. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary; Ernest Ambler, Acting Under Secretary, Technology; and Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Communications, Command and Control, Defense Summary, and Communications, Command and

Control Army. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gordon A. Smith, Assistant Secretary (Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence); and Lt. Gen. Bruce R. Harris, USA, Director, Command, Control, and Communications.

ENERGY AND WATER

DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. Testimony was heard from Martha O. Hesse, Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the Secretary of State. Testimony was heard from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Fish and Wildlife Service. Testimony was heard from Steve Robinson, Deputy Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: Bureau of Labor Statistics; Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; and Employment and Training Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Labor Statistics; and Robert P. Jones, Assistant Secretary, Labor; and Kathleen P. Utgoff, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Kenenth Gilles, Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Services; and James W. Glosser, Administration, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Panama Canal Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Panama Canal Commission: Dennis P. McAuliffe; and William Gianelli, Chairman, Board of Directors.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the IRS. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Murphy, Acting Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the Office of Science and Technology Policy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of Science and Technology Policy: William R. Graham, Jr., Science Advisor to the President and Director; and Robert L. Post, Special Assistant to the Science Advisor, Budget Policy.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported H.R. 666, to allow an obsolete Navy drydock to be transferred to the city of Jacksonville, Florida, before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period.

The Committee adversely reported the following measures: H. Res. 74, director the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure with respect to Fort Dix, NJ; H. Res. 76, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure; and H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

SOVIET FORCE REDUCTION AND RESTRUCTURING

Committee and Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel concluded hearings on President Mikhail Gorbachev's force reductions and the restructuring of Soviet forces. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense

authorization, with emphasis on Special Operations Forces O&M budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Maj. Gen. William J. Porter, USAF, Director of Resources, Special Operations Command; and John Russ, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Resources (Special Operations/Low Intensity Conflict).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Strategic Defense Initiative. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. George L. Monahan, Jr., USAF, Director, Strategic Defense Initiative Organization, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials met in executive session to continue hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the adequacy of ship defense against cruise missiles. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: RAdm. George N. Gee, Director, Surface Combat Systems; RAdm. George R. Meinig, Assistant Deputy Commander, Surface Warfare and Antiair Warfare Systems; and RAdm. Luther F. Schriefer, Director, Tactical Air, Surface and Electronic Warfare Development Division, all with the Department of the Navy; and John E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation; and Bill W. Thurman, Director, Planning and Reporting, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO.

Hearings continue March 16.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 16.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on the Budget: Concluded hearings on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress.

MINIMUM WAGE; MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2, amended, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1300, to amend the Head Start Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1990; and H.R. 1369, to authorize funds for international business studies in honor of the public services of Maureen and Mike Mansfield.

Prior to this action, the Committee held a hearing on H.R. 2, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor.

STATE OF THE NON-PROFIT SECTOR

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on the state of the non-profit sector. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities. Testimony was heard from Duane Woodard, State of Colorado; Jim Jones, State of Idaho; Briane McKay, State of Nevada; and Kenneth Eikenberry, State of Washington, all Attorneys General.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 1373, to authorize the Agency for International Development to pay the expenses of an election observer mission for the 1989 presidential elections in Panama; S. Con. Res. 15, concerning peace and famine relief in Sudan; H. Res. 102, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives concerning the death threats issued by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini of Iran against British author Salman Rushdie and other persons associated with the publication and distribution of the book; and H.J. Res. 187, to commend the Governments of Israel and Egypt on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the Treaty of Peace between Israel and Egypt.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations and the Subcommittee on International Operations held a joint hearing on the fiscal year 1990 budget request for the Department of State. Testimony was

heard from Ambassador Thomas Pickering, U.S. Permanent Representative to the United States; and Shaw Smith, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Organizations Affairs Bureau, Department of State.

FUTURE OF U.S. AID TO HAITI

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on the Future of U.S. Aid to Haiti. Testimony was heard from Richard Melton, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

NARCOTICS REVIEW IN MEXICO/CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Narcotics Review in Mexico/Central America and the Caribbean. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; and David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION MINORITY EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on Smithsonian Institution Minority Employment Practices. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Smithsonian Institution: Roger G. Kennedy, Director, National Museum of American History; and John R. Kinard, Director, Anacostia Museum; and public witnesses.

FCC REGULATION OF ALTERNATIVE OPERATOR SERVICES; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information and Agriculture held a hearing on FCC Regulation of Alternative Operator Services. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cooper and Rinaldo; Gregory Vogt, Chief, Enforcement Division, Common Carrier Bureau, FCC; and public witnesses.

Prior to the hearing, the Subcommittee met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Office Systems met to consider pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on potential impacts on coal production and marketing under proposed acid rain con-

trol. Testimony was heard from Representative Molohan; and public witnesses.

LANDS ADDITION TO THE HARRY S. TRUMAN NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wheat and Skelton; William Penn Mott, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

TONGASS TIMBER REFORM ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held a hearing on H.R. 987, Tongass Timber Reform Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Mrazek; George Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; the following officials of the State of Alaska: Eric Laschever, Governor's Special Assistant for the Tongass; and David A. Anderson, Southeast Regional Supervisor, Division of Wildlife Conservation, Department of Fish and Game; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held an oversight hearing on the proposed Time-Warner Merger and Competition Policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EASTERN AIRLINES

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units. Clause 2(L) (6) of rule 11 is waived against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Public Works and Transportation now printed in the bill as original text for the purpose of amendment, to be considered by section, with each section considered as having been read. The rule provides that no amendments are in order except amendments that add new sections. Consideration of all amendments shall not exceed 3 hours. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Anderson; and Representatives Oberstar and Hammerschmidt.

OVERSIGHT—NSF

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology contin-

ued oversight hearings on the NSF. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 16.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the tax policy aspects of mergers and acquisitions. Testimony was heard from Erich Bloch, Director, NSF; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 16.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Thirty-eight bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 565-602, S. Res. 80-83, S.J. Res. 78-80, and S. Con. Res. 21 and 22.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Monday, March 13:

S. 4, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-6)

S. 248, to amend title 18 of the U.S. Code to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States. (S. Rept. No. 101-7)

S. 270, to modify the application of the antitrust laws to encourage the licensing and other use of certain intellectual property. (S. Rept. No. 101-8)

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Measures Passed:

Women's History Month: Senate passed H.J. Res. 148, designating March 1989 and 1990 as "Women's History Month".

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 83, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent Senators Kennedy, Thurmond, Hollings, Gore, Wilson, and Biden in the case of *Rodney F. Stich v. Senator Edward Kennedy, et al.*

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Impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings—Argument of Motions: Senate resumed consideration of the Articles of Impeachment against Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, for the purpose of hearing argument on motions by Judge Hastings to dismiss articles I through XV and article XVIII of the Articles of Impeachment.

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Senate will continue consideration, in closed session, for the purpose of deliberating on the motions to dismiss.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on March 13, during the recess:

Michael Hayden Armacost, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Japan.

Eric I. Garfinkel, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Received on March 14, during the recess:

Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense.

Donna R. Fitzpatrick, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Management and Administration).

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Whistleblower Protection Act—Time Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 20, the Whistleblower Protection Act, and amendments proposed thereto, on Thursday, March 16, 1989.

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the Consular Convention with the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Treaty Doc. No. 101-3). The treaty was transmitted to the Senate on March 13, during the recess, considered as having been read the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and was ordered to be printed.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on March 14, during the recess:

Transmitting the annual report of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-25)

Received today:

Submitting the Working Family Child Care Assistance Act of 1989 and the Head Start Amendments of 1989; which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-26)

Transmitting the Twenty-second Annual Report of the United States-Japan Cooperative Medical Science Program; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-27)

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Quorum Call: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—2)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 5:56 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, March 16, 1989.

Committee Meetings

CONSERVATION TILLAGE TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research, and General Legislation held hearings to examine the implications of conservation tillage technology research on agriculture, receiving testimony from Robert I. Pappendick, Research Leader, Land Management and Water Conservation Research Unit, and James F. Parr, Coordinator, USDA/ASAID Dry Land Agriculture Project, both of the Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; Duayne L. Baldwin, Manitoba-North Dakota Zero Till Association, Geneseo, North Dakota; Ralph Grossi, The American Farmland Trust, Washington, D.C.; James H. Kinsella, BASF Corporation, Lexington, Illinois; Stephen J. Marley, Iowa State University, Ames; and C. John Baker, Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings to review proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, receiving testimony from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD/GSA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Daniel R. Levinson, Chairman, and Mary F. Wieseman, Special Counsel, both of the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board, and Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, and William R. Barton, Inspector General, both of the General Services Administration.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings, in closed session, on the nomination of Representative Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense, after the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings to review the recommendations of the Base Realignment and Closure Commission for closure of certain military bases, receiving testimony from former Senator Abraham Ribicoff and former Representative Jack Edwards, both Co-Chairmen, and James C. Smith, Commissioner, all of the Base Realignment and Closure Commission.

FSLIC

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to examine the problems in the savings and loan industry, and S. 413, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, receiving testimony from Robert L. Gnaizda, Public Advocates, Inc., San Francisco, California; Michelle Meier, Consumers Union, Peggy Miller, Consumer Federation of America, and Al Williams, Credit Union National Association, Inc., all of Washington, DC; and Kenneth L. Robinson, National Association of Federal Credit Unions, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee concluded hearings in preparation for reporting the first concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget, focusing on energy and related issues, after receiving testimony from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; Keith Fultz, Director of Energy Issues, Government Accounting Office; Robert B. Barker, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Atomic Energy; and David Culp, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Plutonium Challenge.

FAIRNESS DOCTRINE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on proposed legislation to reinstate the Fairness Doctrine to increase speech on issues of public importance and further First Amendment principles, focusing on the impact of the repeal of the Doctrine by the Federal Communications Commission, receiving testimony from Thomas G. Krattenmaker, Georgetown University Law Center, Jerome A. Barron, National Law Center, George Washington University, and Scott G. Denman, Safe Energy Communication Council, all of Washington, DC; and Anna C. Goldoff, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, The City University of New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ARCTIC NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed consideration of S. 406, to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish and implement a competitive oil and gas leasing program for the Coastal Plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

1990 BUDGET

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on revenue increases and spending reductions as contained in the President's proposed budget for fiscal year 1990, focusing on expiring tax provisions, receiving testimony from Dana L. Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Department of the Treasury.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Lawrence S. Eagleburger, of Florida, to be Deputy Secretary of State, where the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 444, to strengthen the Federal Advi-

sory Committee Act management controls and clarify requirements in the law for the establishment, operation and termination of federal advisory committees, receiving testimony from S. Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget; Paul T. Weiss, Associate Administrator for Administration, and James L. Dean, Director, Committee Management Secretariat, both of the General Services Administration; and Brian C. Murphy, Federal Bar Association, Richard K. Berg, Multinational Legal Services, and Henry M. Jasny, Center for Auto Safety, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DNA IDENTIFICATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded hearings to examine the use of deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) "fingerprinting" as a tool in the criminal justice system, focusing on its accuracy, federal, state and local law enforcement cooperation, and the standardization of DNA typing evidence for courtroom use, after receiving testimony from Roger T. Castonguay, Assistant Director-in-Charge, Laboratory Division, and John W. Hicks, Inspector-Deputy Assistant Director, both of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Jeffrey L. Ashton, Florida Assistant State Attorney, Tallahassee; James E. Starrs, George Washington University, Washington, DC; and Joseph L. Peterson, University of Illinois at Chicago.

CHILD CARE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, S. 5, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 through 1994 to establish a Federal program for the improvement of the quality and availability of child care.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 1414-1457; 3 private bills, H.R. 1458-1460; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 201-205, H. Con. Res. 74-77, and H. Res. 110 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 103, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for the expenses of investigations and studies by standing and select committees, of the House in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress, amended (H. Rept. 101-8);

H. Res. 74, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure (H. Rept. 101-9); and

H. Res. 76, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information to the House of Representatives concerning the actions of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure (H. Rept. 101-10).

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Alternative Fuels Council: The Speaker appointed Representative Alexander to the United States Alternative Fuels Council on the part of the House.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 110, electing Representatives Gaydos, Bates, Roberts, and Walsh to the Joint Committee on Printing; and Representatives Oakar, Clay, Gillmor, and Walsh to the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library, to serve with the Chairman of the Committee on House Administration.

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Bill Re-referred: The bill, H.R. 37, to authorize the water resources research activities of the U.S. Geological Survey, which had been referred jointly to the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs, Public Works and Transportation, Energy and Commerce, and Agriculture, was re-referred jointly to the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs, Public Works and Transportation, Energy and Commerce, Agriculture and Science, Space, and Technology.

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Eastern Airlines Strike: By a yea-and-nay vote of 252 yeas to 167 nays, Roll No. 8, the House passed H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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H. Res. 108, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 254 yeas to 159 nays, Roll No. 7.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

United States-Japan medical science program: Message wherein he transmits the 22nd Annual Report of the United States-Japan Cooperative Medical Science Program for the period July 1987 to July 1988—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce; and

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Child care legislative proposals: Message wherein he transmits legislative proposals on child care prepared by the Secretaries of the Treasury and Health and Human Services—referred to the Committees on Ways and Means and Education and Labor and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-37).

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Dairy Price Support: House passed S. 553, to provide for more balance in the stocks of dairy products purchase by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

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Agreed to the de la Garza amendment that allows the Secretary of Agriculture to allocate such decreases in the rate of price support between the purchase prices for non-fat dry milk and butter in such manner as the Secretary determines will result in the lowest level of expenditures by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and requires that the Secretary notify the Committee on Agriculture of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry of the Senate of such a determination.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 4162 and 4185. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL COMMISSION ON NATURAL RESOURCES DISASTERS; TONGASS NATIONAL FOREST

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing on H.R. 1011, to provide for the establishment of the National Commission on Natural Resources Disasters, to provide for increased planning and cooperation with local firefighting forces in the event of forest fires; and to review the management of the Tongass National Forest and related legislative proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Herger and Young of Alaska; George Leonard Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Economic Development Administra-

tion; Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs; Bureau of the Census; Economic and Statistical Analysis; Legal Services Corp.; and the SBA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Orson G. Swindle III, Assistant Secretary, Economic Development; Frederick T. Knickerbocker, Executive Director, Economic Affairs; and C. Louis Kincannon, Deputy Director, Bureau of Census; Terrance J. Wear, President, Legal Services Corporation; and James Abdnor, Administrator, SBA.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to receive a classified briefing on Strategic Warning. The Subcommittee was briefed by Maj. Gen. William Doyle, USAF, Strategic Air Command.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on National Intelligence Programs. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on DOE: Power Marketing Administrations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy; Robert J. Cross, Administrator, Alaska Power Administration; James J. Jura, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration; Harry C. Geisinger, Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration; J.M. Shafer, Administrator, Southwestern Power Administration; and William H. Clagett, Administrator, Western Area Power Administration.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on Under Secretary of State for Security Assistance. Testimony was heard from H. Alan Holmes, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; and Lt. Gen. Charles W. Brown, USA, Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on DOE: Conservation. Testimony was heard from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy.

**LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: Mine Safety and Health Administration; Office of the Inspector General; Employment Standards Administration; and the OSHA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: David C. O'Neal, Assistant Secretary, Mine Safety and Health; J. Brian Hyland, Inspector General; Alan C. McMillan, Acting Assistant Secretary, Employment Standards Administration; and John A. Pendergrass, Assistant Secretary, OSHA.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Navy Military Construction. Testimony was heard from Adm. Benjamin Montoya, USN, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Department of the Navy.

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE
AND RELATED AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the Soil Conservation Service. Testimony was heard from John J. Franke, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Administration, USDA.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority. Testimony was heard from Alfred A. DelliBovi, Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation; and Carmen E. Turner, General Manager, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

**TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL
GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the following: Office of the Secretary of the Treasury; Federal Law Enforcement Training Center; Bureau of Engraving and Printing; and on the Inspector General. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: David M. Nummy, Acting Assistant Secretary, Management; Charles F. Rinkevich, Director, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center; Peter H. Daly, Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing; and Michael R. Hill, Inspector General.

**VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the NSF. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NSF: Erich Bloch, Director; and Mary Good, Chairman, National Science Board.

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on the Department of Defense overview of environmental activities. Testimony was heard from William H. Parker III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense.

**CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST LAWS AND
REGULATIONS, PARTICULARLY THE
"REVOLVING DOOR"**

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on Department of Defense implementation of conflict-of-interest laws and regulations, particularly the "revolving door". Testimony was heard from Martin M. Ferber, Director, Manpower and Logistics Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and David Ream, Director, Standards of Conduct Office, Office of General Counsel, Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities held a hearing on the civil defense portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from Julius J. Becton, Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Craig Alderman, Jr., Deputy Under Secretary, Policy, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

CLASSIFIED BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems and the Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to receive a joint classified briefing on CINCSAC strategic modernization perspective. The Subcommittees were briefed by Gen. John T. Chain, Commander in Chief, Strategic Air Command.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Air Force and Army O&M budgets. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Claudius Watts III, Comptroller, U.S. Air Force; Lt. Gen. James F. McCall, Comptroller, U.S.

Army; and Brig. Gen. Josue Robles, Jr., Assistant Director, Operations, Army Budget Office.

Hearings continue March 22.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the antisatellite (ASAT) program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander in Chief, U.S. Space Command; Frank Kendall III, Acting Deputy Under Secretary (Tactical Warfare Programs); and Kent G. Stansberry, Director, Defense and Space Arms Control Policy, Office of Assistant Secretary for International Security Policy.

HOMELESS IN AMERICA—THE NEED FOR PERMANENT HOUSING

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development concluded hearings on Homelessness in America—The Need for Permanent Housing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education, Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Select Education held a joint hearing on the following bills: H.R. 660, Citizenship and National Service Act of 1989; H.R. 717, American Conservation and Youth Service Corps Act of 1989; H.R. 948, National Voluntary Service and Educational Opportunity Act of 1989; H.R. 1000, National Community Service Act of 1989; and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCurdy, Udall, Kennelly, Panetta, Bonior, and Morella.

FASTENER QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on H.R. 777, Fastener Quality Assurance Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, National Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on Advanced Nuclear Reactor Technologies. Testimony was heard from Thomas L. King, Chief, Advanced Reactor and Generic Issues Research, Division of Regulatory Applications, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, NRC; and public witnesses.

HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action H.R. 765, to establish a commission to make recommendations to the President and Congress to assure a comprehensive national approach to effective, efficient, and expeditious environmental cleanup of contamination resulting from releases of hazardous substances at Department of Energy facilities.

NARCOTICS REVIEW IN SOUTHEAST ASIA/PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Narcotics Review in Southeast Asia/Pacific. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice.

IRS TAXPAYER TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on Problems in IRS Taxpayer Telephone Assistance Program. Testimony was heard from Jennie Stathis, Associate Director, General Government Division, GAO; and Robert Lebaube, Director, Taxpayer Services, IRS, Department of the Treasury.

NRC'S SECURITY CLEARANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment and Natural Resources held a hearing to Review the NRC's Security Clearance Program. Testimony was heard from Keith O. Fultz, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and Hugh Thompson, Deputy Executive Director, Nuclear Material Safety, Safeguards and Operations Support, NRC.

INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON THE HOMELESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation and the Subcommittee Employment and Housing held a joint hearing on the Interagency Council on the Homeless. Testimony was heard from John Ols, Director, Housing and Community Development, GAO; James Stimpson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Policy Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 1326, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Commission

for fiscal year 1990; H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections; H. Res. 103, amended, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for the expenses of investigations and studies by standing and select committees of the House in the first session of the 101st Congress.

The Committee also considered other pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on the authorization request for the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mineta and Matsui; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT—OPERATION OF THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services and the Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization concluded joint oversight hearings on the operation of the U.S. Postal Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Postal Rate Commission: Janet D. Steiger, Chairman; Patti Birge Tyson, Vice Chairman; John W. Crutcher, Henry R. Folsom, and W.H. Trey LeBlanc III, all Commissioners; and L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, GAO.

RESOLUTION; BUDGET; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action an 11(b) resolution.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the resolution. Testimony was heard from Representative Conte.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing to review the fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from George White, Architect of the Capitol; James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress; Dean Anderson, Under Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; Robert G. Stanton, Regional Director, National Capital Region, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and Ralph P. Davidson, Chairman, John F. Kennedy Center for Performing Arts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Prior to these actions, the Subcommittee met for organizational purposes.

SOVIET ARMENIAN EARTHQUAKE DISASTER

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on Soviet Armenian Earthquake Disaster: Could a Similar Disaster Happen in the U.S.? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the tax policy aspects of mergers and acquisitions. Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Forty bills and eleven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 603-642, S. Res. 84, S.J. Res. 81-88, and S. Con. Res. 23 and 24.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Legislative Review Activity". (S. Rept. No. 101-9)

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Measures Passed:

Adjournment Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 23, to provide for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from March 17, 1989, until April 4, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House from March 23 or 24, 1989, until April 3, 1989.

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Appointment of Committee on Articles of Impeachment: Senate agreed to S. Res. 38, to provide for the appointment of a Committee to receive and to report evidence with respect to articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

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Whistleblower Protection Act: By unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 24), Senate passed S. 20, to amend title 5, United States Code, to strengthen the protections available to Federal employees against

prohibited personnel practices, after taking action on the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

Levin Amendment No. 9, to prohibit the Office of Special Counsel from intervening against and disclosing the name of whistleblowers in cases before the Merit Systems Protection Board, to delete the authority of the Office of Special Counsel to go to court to appeal decisions or enforce subpoenas, and to clarify that whistleblowers must show that their disclosure was a "Contributing factor" in the action against them in order to prove reprisal.

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Sanctity of United States Flag: By unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 25), Senate passed S. 607, to prevent the desecration of the United States Flag.

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Commending Jo-Anne Coe: Senate agreed to S. Res. 84, commending Jo-Anne Coe for her exemplary service to the Senate and the Nation.

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Tenth Anniversary of C-SPAN: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 22, to recognize the contributions of C-SPAN on the occasion of its tenth anniversary, and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Freedom of Information Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 167, to designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Anniversary of the Kidnapping of Terry Anderson: Senate agreed to S. Res. 81, relating to the fourth anniversary of the kidnapping of Terry Anderson.

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Human Rights Abuses in Tibet: Senate agreed to S. Res. 82, expressing the concern of the Senate for the ongoing human rights abuses in Tibet.

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National Agriculture Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 117, to proclaim March 20, 1989, as "National Agriculture Day".

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Trauma Awareness Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 68, to designate the month of May, 1989, as "Trauma Awareness Month".

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Treaty of Peace: Senate passed S.J. Res. 87, commending the Governments of Israel and Egypt on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the Treaty of Peace between Israel and Egypt.

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Impeachment of Alcee L. Hastings—Deliberation of Motions: Senate continued consideration of the Articles of Impeachment against Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the South District of Florida, for the purpose of deliberating on, pursuant to Rule XX of the Rules of Procedure and Practice in the Senate When Sitting on Impeachment Trials, the motions to dismiss articles I through XV and article XVII of the Articles of Impeachment.

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During the impeachment proceedings today, Senate held a closed session.

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The following also occurred during the impeachment proceedings:

By 1 yeas to 92 nays (Vote No. 22), Senate rejected the motion to dismiss articles I through XV without trial based upon the 1983 jury verdict and lapse of time.

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By unanimous vote of 93 nays (Vote No. 23), Senate rejected the motion to dismiss article XVII for failure to state a separate impeachable offense.

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Appointment of Impeachment Trial Committee: The Chair, pursuant to the provisions of S. Res. 38, appointed the following Senators to serve as Members of a Committee to receive and report evidence on the Articles of Impeachment against Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the South District of Florida: Senators Bingaman, Leahy, Pryor, Bryan, Kerrey, Lieberman, Specter, Durenberger, Rudman, Gorton, Bond, and Burns.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Richard J. Kerr, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence.

10 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Air Force, Army, Navy, and Public Health Service nominations.

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Executive Report of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-3)

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Eastern Airlines Strike/Emergency Board—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of a motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between

Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units, on tomorrow.

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Cheney Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of the nomination of Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense, on tomorrow.

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Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d-276g, as amended, appointed Senator Stevens as the Vice Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the 101st Congress.

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—3)

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—25)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 9:04 p.m., until 8:45 a.m., on Friday, March 17, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from John W. Bode, Assistant Secretary for Food and Consumer Services, Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, James T. Heimbach, Acting Administrator, Human Nutrition Information Service, and Robert E. Sherman, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—FBI/DEA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Justice, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William S. Sessions, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and John C. Lawn, Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, both of the Department of Justice.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for military health programs, receiving testimony from William Mayer, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health; Brig. Gen. Barbara A. Goodwin, Chief, Air Force Nurses' Corps; Rear Adm. Mary Hall, Director, Navy Nurses' Corps; Brig. Gen. Clara L. Admas-Enders, Chief Nurse, U.S. Army; Lt. Gen. Frank F. Ledford, Jr., Surgeon General of the Army; Vice Adm. James Zimbel, Surgeon General of the Navy; and Lt. Gen. Monte B. Miller, Surgeon General of the Air Force.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN RELATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance, focusing on development assistance programs, receiving testimony from Alan Woods, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from George W. Tenley, Jr., Chief Counsel, Research and Special Programs Administration, and Howard M. Smolkin, Managing Director, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, both of the Department of Transportation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—CONSUMER PROGRAMS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respec-

tive activities from Anne Graham, Acting Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission; Robert F. Steeves, Acting Director, Office of Consumer Affairs, Department of Health and Human Services; and Mary Levy, Acting Director, Consumer Information Center.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 3.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Representative Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings on the problems of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, and on S. 413, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act, receiving testimony from Eugene W. Kuthy, Michigan Financial Institutions Bureau, Lansing, on behalf of the Conference of State Bank Supervisors; and John D. Seymour, Illinois Commissioner of Savings and Loans, Springfield, on behalf of the American Council of State Savings Supervisors.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

THIRD WORLD DEBT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy concluded hearings to review proposals on Third World debt, after receiving testimony from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary of the Treasury-designate for International Affairs.

NASA BUDGET

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space resumed hearings to review the President's proposed budget request for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from James B. Odom, Associate Administrator for Space Station, and Raymond Tanner, Director, Space Station Freedom Program Office, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; John B. Winch, Boeing Aerospace, Huntsville Alabama; Robert F. Thompson, McDonnell Douglas Space Systems Company, Huntington Beach, California; Lawrence R. Greenwood, General Electric Company, Princeton, New Jersey; and George Hallinan, Rocketdyne, Canoga Park, California.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

ARCTIC NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish and implement a competitive oil and gas leasing program for the Coastal Plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska, in lieu of S. 406.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Edith E. Holiday, of Georgia, to be General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, and David W. Mullins, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Domestic Finance.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the above nominations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Holiday was introduced by Senator Nunn.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Lawrence S. Eagleburger, of Florida, to be Deputy Secretary of State.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the above nomination, after the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf.

CHEMICAL RESIDUE EFFECTS ON CHILDREN

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Families, Drugs and Alcoholism concluded hearings on the effects on children of the consumption of fruits and vegetables grown with and containing residues of agricultural chemicals, after receiving testimony from Senators Symms and Warner; Representative Sikorski; Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; John A. Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; Richard Jackson, American Academy of Pediatrics, and Charles J. Carey, National Food Processors Association, both of Washington, DC; Deborah Prothrow-Stith, Massachusetts State Department of Health, Boston; Meryl Streep, Westport, Connecticut, on behalf of Mothers and Others for Pesticide Limits; James A. Wylie, Jr., Uniroyal Chemical Company, Middlebury, Connecticut; Janet Hathaway, Natural Resources Defense Council, New York, New York; John Rice, International Apple Institute of America, McLean, Virginia; and Robert Josephy, Blue Jay Orchards, Bethel, Connecticut.

JOB TRAINING ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Employment and Productivity resumed hearings on S. 543, to strengthen employment and training assistance programs and to improve the targeting of services to economically disadvantaged adults and youth, receiving testimony from Marian Wright Edelman, Children's Defense Fund, and William H. Kolberg, National Alliance of Business, both of Washington, DC; Jack Kelepinger, Weber-Morgan, Utah, on behalf of the National Association of Private Industry Councils; William Shinn, Louis-Rich Company, Newberry, South Carolina, on behalf of the National Rehabilitation Association; and Susan Dunn, Washington State Employment Security Department, Olympia, on behalf of the National Governors' Association.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 11.

**AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT
WAIVER PROTECTION**

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on S. 54, to prohibit unsupervised waivers of the rights provided to older workers under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, after receiving testimony from Senator Heinz; Clarence Thomas, Chairman, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Joseph F. DelFico, Director, Income Security, General Accounting Office; George Galland, Davis, Barnhill and Galland, Chicago, Illinois; Mary Gardiner Jones, Older Women's League, and Cathy A. Shattuck, Becker and Green, both of Washington, DC; Mark S. Dichter, Morgan, Lewis, Bockius, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Gerald Clay, Peoria, Illinois; Kenneth Lancaster, St. Paul, Minnesota; and Robert C. Patterson, Rochester, New York.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Anthony J. Principi, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Veterans' Affairs.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the above nomination, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Murkowski, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 1461-1485; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 206-208 and H. Con. Res. 78, were introduced.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 23, providing for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from March 17, 1989, until April 4, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House from March 23 or 24, 1989, until April 3, 1989—clearing the measure.

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Printing: House agreed to H. Res. 107, authorizing the printing of the committee print entitled "Coastal Waters in Jeopardy: Reversing the Decline and Protecting America's Coastal Resources" as a House document.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 11:44 a.m.

Committee Meetings**WHEAT, SOYBEANS AND FEED GRAINS
PROGRAMS BUDGET**

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review the proposed fiscal year 1990 budget for wheat, soybeans, and feed grains programs. Testimony was heard from William Bailey, Acting Deputy Under Secretary, USDA; and a public witness.

**COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND
JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: State Department; Salaries and Expenses; and the Office of the Inspector General. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Roger B. Feldman, Comptroller; and Sherman M. Funk, Inspector General.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session on the following: RDT&E, Air Force; and Aircraft Procurement, Army. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John J. Welch, Assistant Secretary (Acquisition); and Maj. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy, Acquisition, both with the Department of the Air Force; and Maj. Gen. Thomas D. Reese, USA, Deputy, Systems Management, Department of the Army.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related programs held a hearing on European Base Rights. Tes-

timony was heard from the following officials of the Bureau for European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State: William Bodde, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary; and James Wilkinson, Deputy Assistant Secretary; John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and NATO Policy, Department of Defense; and Richard M. Brown, Office Director, Egypt and European Affairs, AID.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Smithsonian. Testimony was heard from Robert McC. Adams, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Secretary of Health and Human Services. Testimony was heard from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Air Force Military Construction. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Joseph Ahearn, USAF, Director, Air Force Engineering Services, Department of the Air Force.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Richard Goldberg, Acting Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Programs; and Milton J. Hertz, Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board. Testimony was heard from William J. Tangye, Chairman, Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the Customs Service. Testimony was heard

from William von Raab, Commissioner of Customs, Customs Service, Department of the Treasury.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on National Institute of Building Sciences, and the Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation. Testimony was heard from MacDonald Becket, Chairman, National Institute of Building Science; and William A. Whiteside, Executive Director, Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation continued hearings on the manpower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on health professionals retention. Testimony was heard from David P. Baine, Associate Director, Human resources Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Defense: David Newhall III, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Health Affairs; Maj. Gen. Donald W. Jones, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Military Manpower and Personnel Policy; VAdm. James A. Zimble, Surgeon General of the Navy; Lt. Gen. Frank F. Ledford, Jr., Surgeon General of the Army, and Lt. Gen. Monte B. Miller, Surgeon General of the Air Force; and Robert F. Hale, Assistant Director, National Security Division, CBO.

Hearings continue March 21.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems and the Subcommittee on Research and Development held a joint hearing on the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Staff, Air Force.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials, to continue hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Navy ship-overhaul policies. Testimony was heard from Representatives AuCoin and Bates; from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary, Shipbuilding and Logistics; VAdm. Peter M. Hekman, Jr., Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command; and RAdm. Guy H. Curtis, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

**FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM,
RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT**

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

THIRD WORLD DEBT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on Third World Debt. Testimony was heard from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary Designate, International and Monetary Affairs, Department of the Treasury.

VETERANS' ISSUES

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Human Resources held a hearing on Veterans' Issues. Testimony was heard from Representatives Montgomery and Stump; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

**CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL
EDUCATION ACT**

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education continued hearings on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

**TELEMARKETING FRAUD PREVENTION
ACT**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1354, Telemarketing Fraud Prevention Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Daniel Oliver, Chairman, FTC; and public witnesses.

**ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT
AGENCY AND ON-SITE INSPECTION
AGENCY AUTHORIZATION**

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science approved for full Committee action, the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency and On-Site Inspection Agency authorization for fiscal years 1990/1991.

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUDGET
REQUEST**

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on fiscal years 1990 and 1991 budget request for the Department of State. Testimony was heard from Representatives

Feighan and Owens of Utah; the following officials of the Department of State: Jonathan Moore, Director, Bureau for Refugee Programs; and Peter deVos, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs; and a public witness.

**MEDICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT
OF ABORTION**

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on the Medical and Psychological Impact of Abortion. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. C. Everett Koop, Surgeon General; and Dr. Ralph R. Reed, Acting Assistant Secretary, Health; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on threats to national park animal and plant resources. Testimony was heard from William Penn Mott, Jr., Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held an oversight hearing on the Legal Services Corporation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Legal Services Corporation: Terrence Wear, President; and Michael B. Wallace, Chairman of the Board.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights concluded oversight hearings on the authorization request for the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: James P. Turner, Acting Assistance Attorney General, Civil Rights Division; and Robert K. Bratt, Administrator, Office of Redress Administration.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on the Copyright Office and Copyright Royalty Tribunal. Testimony was heard from Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress; and Edward W. Ray, Chairman, Copyright Royalty Tribunal.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1224, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 1225, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdiction Fisheries Act of 1986 through fiscal year 1992; and H.R. 1223, to authorize appropriations to carry out the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Marine Fisheries Program Act through fiscal year 1992. Testimony was heard from James Brennan, Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Gary Edwards, Assistant Director, Fisheries, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

PANAMA CANAL COMMISSION BUDGET

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal and Outer Continental Shelf held a hearing on the Panama Canal Commission budget for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Panama Canal Commission: Dennis P. McAuliffe, Administrator; and William R. Gianelli, Chairman.

RESOLUTION; BUDGET

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action an 11(b) resolution.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the resolution. Testimony was heard from Representative McCloskey.

The Subcommittee also concluded hearings to review the fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from Ralph Mecham, Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, GSA; Richard Hauser, Chairman, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; Don Brown, Commissioner, U.S. International Cultural and Trade Center; John R. Smith, Deputy Assistant Director, Uniform Division, U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury; and the following officials of the Department of State: Clark Ditmer, Director, Diplomatic Security, Bureau of Diplomatic Security; and Richard C. Faulk, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Operations.

OVERSIGHT-NSF

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology concluded oversight hearings on the NSF. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NSF: Erich Bloch, Director; and James L. Powell, Member, National Science Board.

TAX RETURN FILING SEASON

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the 1989 tax return filing season. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Murphy, Acting Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury; and the following officials of the GAO: Jennie S. Stathis, Director, General Government Division; and James R. Watts, Associate Director, Information Management and Technology Division.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

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Friday, March 17, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Forty-one bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 643-683, S. Res. 85-86, S.J. Res. 89, and S. Con. Res. 25.

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Measures Passed:

Intellectual Property Antitrust Protection Act: Senate passed S. 270, to modify the application of the antitrust laws to encourage the licensing and other use of certain intellectual property.

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Stafford Student Loan Default Prevention and Management Act: Senate passed S. 568, entitled the "Stafford Student Loan Default Prevention and Management Act of 1989".

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Wildfire Suppression Assistance Act: Senate passed H.R. 829, to make permanent the authority provided under the Temporary Emergency Wildfire Suppression Act.

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AID—Panama Presidential Election Expenses: Senate passed H.R. 1373, to authorize the Agency for International Development to pay the expenses for an election observer mission for the 1989 presidential elections in Panama.

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Eastern Airlines Strike/Emergency Board: Senate began consideration of a motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Wednesday, April 5.

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Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed on Tuesday, April 4.

Purchase Price for Non-Fat Dry Dairy Products: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 553, to provide for more balance in stocks of dairy products purchased by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 92 yeas (Vote No. 26), Richard B. Cheney, of Wyoming, to be Secretary of Defense.

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Lawrence S. Eagleburger, of Florida, to be Deputy Secretary of State.

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Edith E. Holiday, of Georgia, to be General Counsel for the Department of Treasury.

David W. Mullins, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Anthony Joseph Principi, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Veterans' Affairs.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Donald J. Atwood, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense.

James Roderick Lilley, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.

Richard Thomas McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs.

Routine lists of Air Force, Army, and Foreign Service nominations.

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Central American Observer Group: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to S. Res. 273 and S. Res. 297, appointed Senators McCain (Co-Chairman), Symms, and Mack to the Central American Observer Group.

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Senate Arms Control Observer Group: The Chair announced on behalf of the Majority and Minority Leaders the appointments of Senators Pell (Co-

Chairman), Nunn (Co-Chairman), Kennedy, Moynihan and Gore, and Senators Stevens (Co-Chairman), Lugar (Co-Chairman), Wallop, Warner, Nickles, and Rudman to be members of the Senate Arms Control Observer Group.

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Committee Legislative Reports—Agreement: A unanimous consent agreement was reached providing that the date for filing legislative reports required to be filed by standing committees, except the Committees on Appropriations and the Budget, under the provisions of Section 26.8 of the Standing Rules be continued to April 4, 1989.

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports on Wednesday, March 29, 1989, during the recess of the Senate, from 12 noon until 3 p.m.

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Measures Read First Time:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Nominations Received:

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Nominations Confirmed:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total 26)

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:45 a.m., and recessed at 4:32 p.m., pursuant to S. Con. Res. 23, until 2:15 p.m., on Tuesday, April 4, 1989.

Committee Meetings

GLOBAL DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings to review global defense matters, receiving testimony from Admiral William J. Crowe, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMISSIONS AND INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Representative Pepper, Chairman, U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care; Philip R. Lee, Chairman, and Paul B. Ginsberg, Executive

Director, both of the Physician Payment Review Commission; Stuart H. Altman, Chairman, and Donald A. Young, Executive Director, both of the Prospective Payment Review Commission; R. Kenneth Towery, Chairman of the Board, and Donald E. Ledwig, President and Chief Executive Officer, both of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; Jerald C. Newman, Chairman, National Commission on Libraries; Samuel W. Lewis, President, U.S. Institute of Peace; Herman Hein, National Commission on Infant Mortality; and Lt. General George H. McKee (U.S.A.F.-Ret.), Governor, Soldiers' and Airmen's Home.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 4.

CRITICAL TECHNOLOGIES PLAN

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology held hearings on the first annual Critical Technologies Plan, focusing on those technologies most critical to retaining U.S. superiority, receiving testimony from Milton Lohr, Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition); George P. Milburn, Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering (Research and Advanced Technology), Department of Defense; and Richard A. Du Val, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Energy for Defense Programs (Operations).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

S&L INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings on the problems of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, and on S. 413, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act, after receiving testimony from Herb Sandler, World Savings and Loan Association, Oakland, California; Ernest M. Fleischer, Franklin Savings Association, Ottawa, Kansas; and Lewis S. Ranieri, Ranieri Wilson and Company, Inc., New York, New York.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Committee began markup of a proposed concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget for the Federal Government, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

GLOBAL AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held oversight hearings on policies to prevent destruction of the ozone layer and global warming, receiving testimony from William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REFORMS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Medicare and Long Term Care held hearings to examine the current and future status of the Medicare program, focusing on physicians' payments, receiving testimony from Phillip R. Lee and Paul Ginsberg, Executive Director, both of the Physician Payment Review Commission; and William C. Hsiao and Peter Braun, both of Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on S. 544, to limit the modification of collective bargaining agreements subject to the Railway Labor Act, receiving testimony from William E. Anderson, United States Bankruptcy Judge for the Western District of Virginia, on behalf of the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; William E. Winpisinger, International Association of Machinists, Joseph Guerrieri, Guerrieri, Edmond, and James, Henry A. Duffy, Air Line Pilots Association, and Elliott M. Seiden, Texas Air Corporation, all of Washington, DC; Bruce H. Simon, Cohen, Weiss, and Simon, Harvey Miller, Weil, Gotshal, and Manges, and Farrell P. Kupersmith, Touche, Ross and Company, all of New York, New York; Theodore Eisenberg, Cornell University Law School, Ithaca, New York; and L.E. Creel III, Creel, Atwood, and Phillips, Dallas, Texas, and Charles M. Tatelbaum, Kass, Hodges and Massari, Tampa, Florida, both on behalf of the American Bankruptcy Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee held an organizational meeting where it elected Senator Bingaman, as Chairman, and Senator Specter, as Vice Chairman.

Committee will meet again on Monday, April 10.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, March 20.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on

NOAA. Testimony was heard from William E. Evans, Administrator, NOAA, Department of Commerce.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Secretarial Offices, and on Departmental Administration. Testimony was heard from John J. Franke, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Administration, USDA.

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Monday, March 20, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: On Friday, March 17, Committee held an organizational meeting where it elected Senator Bingaman, as Chairman, and Senator Specter, as Vice Chairman.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 1486–1510; 3 private bills, H.R. 1511–1513; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 209 and H. Con. Res. 79 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, amended (H. Rept. 101–11); and

H.R. 1300, to amend the Head Start Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1990.

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Resignation: Read a letter to the Speaker from Representative Cheney wherein he resigns as a member of the 101st Congress, effective March 17.

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Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: Patent and Trademark Office; National Telecommunications and Information Administration; and U.S. Travel and Tourism Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Donald J. Quigg, Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks; Alfred C. Sikes, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Information; and Charles E. Cobb, Under Secretary, Travel and Tourism.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on Appalachian Regional Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Appalachian Regional Commission: Winifred A. Pizzano, Federal Cochairman; and Gov. H. Guy Hunt, State of Alabama, States' Cochairman.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Health Resources and Services Administration. Testimony was heard from John H. Kelso, Administrator, Health Resources and Services Administration, Department of Health and Human Services.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Foreign Agricultural Service; the General Sales Manager; and Office of International Cooperation and Development. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Richard Goldberg, Acting Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Programs; Thomas O. Kay, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural

al Service; Melvin E. Sims, General Sales Manager; and Joan S. Wallace, Administrator, Office of International Cooperation and Development.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy, Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel continued hearings on Department of Energy programs portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; Richard Burick, Los Alamos National Laboratory; Walter Kato, Brookhaven National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Alexander, Gonzalez, Fazio, Matsui, Swift, Miller of Washington, Porter, Richardson, Thomas of Georgia and Poshard; and public witnesses.

AGE DISCRIMINATION CHARGES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on EEOC's alleged Reprisal against District Director for Testimony before Congress on Age Discrimination Charges. Testimony was heard from Representative Pepper; the following officials of the EEOC: Clarence Thomas, Chairman; and Lynn Bruner, St. Louis District Director; and former Senator John Melcher of Montana.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on Europe 1992. Testimony was heard from James M. Murphy, Jr., Assistant U.S. Trade Representative, Europe and the Mediterranean; and public witnesses.

CARING FOR AMERICA'S ALZHEIMER'S VICTIMS

Select Committee on Aging: Held a hearing on "Caring for America's Alzheimer's Victims". Testimony was heard from Dr. Franklin Williams, Director, National Institute on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

Tuesday, March 21, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 1514-1554; 1 private bill, H.R. 1555; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 210-213, and H. Res. 111-112 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 111, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate (H. Rept. 101-13); and

H. Res. 112, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1369, to authorize funds for international business studies in honor of the public services of Maureen and Mike Mansfield (H. Rept. 101-14).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Head Start supplemental authorization: H.R. 1300, to amend the Head Start Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1990;

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Drug abuse treatment technical corrections: H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988;

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Whistleblower protection: S. 20, to amend title 5, United States Code, to strengthen the protections available to Federal employees against prohibited personnel practices—clearing the measure for the President; and

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Navy drydock transfer: H.R. 666, to allow an obsolete Navy drydock to be transferred to the city of Jacksonville, Florida, before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period.

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Base Closure: Agreed that it may not be in order on any day before April 18, 1989, to move to proceed to consider H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

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Recess: House recessed at 2:20 p.m. and reconvened at 3:30 p.m.

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Committee Funding: By a yea-and-nay vote of 348 yeas to 53 nays, Roll No. 9, the House agreed to H. Res. 103, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for the expenses of investigations and studies by standing and select committees of the House in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Joint Library Committee: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 12, to allow another member of the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate to serve on the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library in place of the Chairman of the Committee—clearing the measure.

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Bill Re-referred: The bill, H.R. 132, to promote fisheries and wildlife conservation, which had been referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, was re-referred jointly to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and the Committee on Ways and Means.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 5076. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: General Administration; Office of Inspector General; Minority Business Development Agency; Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Board for International Broadcasting and the International Trade Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Katherine M. Bulow, Assistant Secre-

tary, Administration; Frank DeGeorge, Inspector General; and James H. Richardson Gonzales, Director, Minority Business Development Agency; George F. Murphy, Jr., Acting Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Malcolm S. Forbes, Jr., Chairman, Board for International Broadcasting; and Anne Brunsdale, Acting Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Operations and Maintenance, Overview. Testimony was heard from John A. Flinn, Director, Operations and Maintenance, Office of Defense Comptroller, Department of Defense.

The Subcommittee also met in executive session to hold a hearing on Aircraft Procurement, Air Force. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: John J. Welch, Assistant Secretary (Acquisition); and Maj. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy, Acquisition.

ENERGY AND WATER APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on NRC. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NRC: Lando W. Zech, Jr., Chairman; Thomas M. Roberts, Kenneth M. Carr, Kenneth C. Rogers, and James Curtiss, all Commissioners.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Office of Surface Mining. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Gentile, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Centers for Disease Control, and on National Institutes of Health, Overview. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Walter R. Dowdle, Acting Director, Centers for Disease Control; and Dr. James B. Wyngaarden, Director, NIH.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session to hold a hearing on Central America/Persian Gulf/Pacific Ocean. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Armitage, Assistant Secretary (International Security Affairs), Department of Defense.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Rural Electrification Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Roland R. Vautour, Under Secretary, Small Community and Rural Development; and Jack Van Mark, Acting Administrator, REA.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Federal Railroad Administration. Testimony was heard from S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the following: Financial Management Service; Public Debt; Savings Bonds; and the U.S. Mint. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Gerald Murphy, Fiscal Assistant Secretary; Jerrold B. Speers, Executive Director, U.S. Savings Bonds Division; and Donna Pope, Director, U.S. Mint.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on Federal Emergency Management Agency. Testimony was heard from Julius W. Becton, Jr., Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel met in executive session to continue hearings on Department of Energy programs portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Adm. Bruce DeMars, USN, Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion, Department of the Navy; Bob Barker, Assistant to the Secretary, Atomic Energy; the following officials of the Department of Energy: Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs; and Ron Cochran, Acting Director, Office of New Production Reactors; and a public witness.

Hearings continue April 3.

NIGHT VISION GOGGLES IN THE MILITARY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the use of night vision goggles in the military. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: David E. Broadnax, Flight Instructor; David A. Rosenthal, Reserve Aviator/Electronics Engineer, Naval Weapons Center; Maj. Gen. Ellis D. Parker, Commanding General, Aviation Center; Maj. Gen. Thomas D. Reese, Deputy Director, Systems Management, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Research, Development and Acquisition; and Brig. Gen. Clyde A. Hennies, Director, Army Safety and Commanding General, Safety Center.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development and the Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials held a joint hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on submarine and anti-submarine warfare technology. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance continued hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education concluded hearings on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cava-zos, Secretary of Education.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET POLICIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget policies. Testimony was heard from Adm. James D. Watkins, USN (Rtd.), Secretary of Energy.

PACIFIC LUMBER COMPANY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on

the Pacific Lumber Company. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITIES ENFORCEMENT COOPERATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1396, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to facilitate cooperation between the United States and foreign countries in securities law enforcement. Testimony was heard from David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations concluded hearings on fiscal years 1990 and 1991 budget request for the Department of State. Testimony was heard from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

BUDGET REQUESTS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations approved for full Committee action amended fiscal years 1990 and 1991 budget requests for the Department of State, the U.S. Information Agency, the Board for International Broadcasting.

COST ESTIMATES FOR PHASE I OF THE STRATEGIC DEFENSE INITIATIVE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on legislation and National Security held a hearing on Cost Estimates for Phase I of the Strategic Defense Initiative. Testimony was heard from Frank C. Conahan, Director, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and Lt. Gen. George Monahan, USAF, Director, Strategic Defense Initiative Organization, Department of Defense.

VOTE REGISTRATION

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 15, National Voter Registration Act of 1989; and H.R. 17, Universal Voter Registration Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Conyers, Bennett and Horton; Ralph Munro, Secretary of State, Washington; Ken Hechler, Secretary of State, West Virginia; Rebecca D. Vigil-Giron, Secretary of State, New Mexico; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 999, to amend the act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 915), as amended establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation; H.R. 419, to provide for the addi-

tion of certain parcels to Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri; and H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, VA, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home.

IMPEACHING WALTER L. NIXON, JR., JUDGE, U.S. DISTRICT COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights approved for full Committee action amended H. Res. 87, impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi for high crimes and misdemeanors.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on the Executive Office of the U.S. Attorneys and the U.S. Marshals Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: James G. Richmond, U.S. Attorney, Northern District of Indiana; and Stanley Morris, Director, U.S. Marshals Service.

PRICE FIXING PREVENTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R. 1236, Price Fixing Prevention Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Robert Abrams, Attorney General, State of New York; J. Joseph Curran, Jr., Attorney General, State of Maryland; and public witnesses.

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment met in executive session to hold a hearing on allegations regarding certain law enforcement activities of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior: Eugene Hester, Assistant Regional Director, Law Enforcement, Region 5; William Ashe, Associate Regional Director, Chesapeake Bay Administrator; Howard Larsen, Special Assistant to the Director for Fisheries; Joseph S. Marler, Assistant Director, External Affairs; and Frank Dunkle, former Director.

EXTENDING THE U.S. TERRITORIAL SEA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on Presidential Proclamation extending the United States territorial sea. Testimony was heard from Brian Hoyle, Director, Office of Oceans Law and Policy, Department of State; RAdm. Joseph

Vorbach, USCG, Chief Counsel, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Michael Poling, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior; Timothy R.E. Keeney, General Counsel, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Peter Douglas, Executive Director, Coastal Commission, State of California; Ernie Carl, Department of Natural Resources and Coastal Development, State of North Carolina; Chris Shafer, Department of Natural Resources; State of Michigan; Suzanne Ludicello, Associate Director, Fisheries and the Environment, Governor's Office, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Aviation Security. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCurdy and McNulty; the following officials of the FAA, Department of Transportation: Monte Belger, Associate Administrator, Aviation Standards; Raymond Salazar, Director, Civil Aviation Security; and Irene Howie, Assistant Chief Counsel, International Affairs and Legal Policies; Ambassador Clayton E. McManaway, Associate Coordinator, Counter-Terrorism, Department of State; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS STUDIES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1369, to authorize funds for international business studies in honor of the public service of Maureen and Mike Mansfield. Testimony was heard from Representatives Williams and Goodling.

MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 2, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI is waived against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order the Education and Labor Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as original text for amendment, with the substitute considered as having been read. No amendment to the substitute is in order except the amendments printed in the report accompanying this resolution. Each amendment may be offered only by the Member designated or their designee, in the order listed and debatable for the time specified in the report. No amendment is subject to amendment except as specified in the report. The rule makes in order the following amendments: (1) an amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Goodling, or his designee, to be debatable for one hour; (2) an amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Murphy, Representative Ridge and Represent-

ative Robinson or his designee, to be debatable for one hour. The Murphy, Ridge, Robinson substitute is in order although amending portions of the text previously changed by amendment. If more than one of the substitutes is agreed to only the last such amendment adopted shall be considered as finally adopted and reported back to the House. The amendment to be offered by Representative Miller of California or his designee, to be debatable for 30 minutes, shall be in order notwithstanding any rule of the House to the Committee substitute or to either of the substitutes made in order by the rule. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hawkins; Representatives Murphy, Miller of California, Obey, Stenholm, Carper, Goodling, Petri, Bartlett, Armey and Ridge.

EPA BUDGET REQUEST

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on EPA fiscal year 1990 budget request. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: Erich Bretthauer, Acting Assistant Director, Office of Research and Development; and John Neuhold, Chairman, Budget Subcommittee, Science Advisory Board.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings and NASA fiscal year 1990/1991 authorization. Testimony was heard from George A. Rodney, Associate Administrator, Safety, Reliability, Maintainability and Quality Assurance, NASA.

Hearings continue March 23.

COMPUTER SECURITY IMPLEMENTATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials and the Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a joint hearing on implementation of the Computer Security Act (PL 100-235). Testimony was heard from Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB; VAdm. W.O. Studeman, USN, Director, National Security Agency, Department of Defense; Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; Curtis J. Smith, Associate Director, Career Entry and Employee Development Group, OPM; Francis A. McDonough, Deputy Commissioner, Federal Information Resources Management, GSA; and Howard G. Rhile, Jr., Associate Director, Information Management and Technology Division, GAO.

IMPACT OF NEW EMPLOYEE BENEFIT RULES ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings to examine the impact of new employee benefit rules on small business in complying with Section 89 of the Tax Code. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

REPORT OF THE PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REVIEW COMMISSION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on the 1989 report of the Physician Payment Review Commission. Testimony was heard from Dr. Philip R. Lee, Chairman, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

THE WORKING POOR

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources continued hearings on the problems of the working poor. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, March 22, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 1556-1579; 1 private bill, H.R. 1580; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res.

214 and 215, H. Con. Res. 80, and H. Res. 113-115 were introduced.

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Minority Employee: House agreed to H. Res. 114, relating to the compensation of a certain minority employee.

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Fair Labor Standards: House completed all general debate on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will begin on Thursday, March 23.

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H. Res. 111, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to by a voice vote. Earlier, by a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 177 nays, Roll No. 10, agreed to order the previous question.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 5141. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 7:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the following: International Trade Administration; and Bureau of Export Administration; and Civil Rights Commission. Testimony was heard from W. Allen Moore, Under Secretary, International Trade Administration; Paul Freedenberger, Under Secretary, Bureau of Export Administration; and William B. Allen, Chairman, Civil Rights Commission.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on the following: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army; Chemical Weapons and Demilitarization; and Protective Equipment. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: J.R. Sculley, Assistant Secretary (Research, Development and Acquisition); Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary; and John W. Shannon, Assistant Secretary (Installations and Logistics); and Thomas J. Welsh, Deputy Assistant for Chemical Matters, Department of Defense.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held a hearing on Secretary of Energy. Testimony was heard from Adm. James D. Watkins, USN (Ret.), Secretary of Energy.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the following: International Organizations and Programs; International Refugee Situation; and International Narcotics. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Sandra L. Vogel Gsang, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Development and Technology Specializing Agency Affairs; Jonathan Moore, Ambassador at Large, Coordination; and Ann B. Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued appropriation hearings (The Arts Programs). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: National Cancer Institute; and National Institute of Environmental Health Science. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NIH, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Samuel Broder, Director, National Cancer Institute; and Dr. David Rall, Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Science.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session to hold a hearing on NATO Burdensharing and European Construction Programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of the Secretary of Defense: John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary (European and NATO Policy), Office of the Assistant Secretary (International Security Policy); and Lt. Gen. Edwin S. Leland, USA, Chief of Staff, Headquarters, European Command.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on Compensation of the President; Office of Administration; Special Assistance to the President;

Executive Residence of the Vice President; White House Office; and Unanticipated Needs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the White House Staff: Paul W. Bateman, Deputy Assistant to the President, Management and Administration and Director, Office of Administration; Hector S. Irastorza, Jr., Special Assistant to the President and Deputy Director, Office of Administration; Ron R. Rasmussen, Director, Financial Management Division; and Gregory D. Cummings, Budget Officer.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Farmers Home Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Roland R. Vautour, Under Secretary, Small Community and Rural Development; and Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administrator, Farmers Home Administration.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Amtrak. Testimony was heard from S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; and W. Graham, Claytor, Jr., Chairman, Board of Directors, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK).

ARMS COPRODUCTION AGREEMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing to examine the results of the GAO review of U.S. Government management of military coproduction agreements with foreign countries. Testimony was heard from Joseph E. Kelley, Senior Association Director, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Glenn A. Rudd, Deputy Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense; Morton R. Dworken, Jr., Director, Office of Security Assistant and Sales, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Navy aircraft depot maintenance. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Pete DeMayo, Deputy Assistant Commander for Aviation Depots, Naval Air Systems Command, Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Strategic Defense Initiative program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ENTERPRISE ZONES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on Enterprise Zones. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance concluded hearings on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Joe Whitley, Acting Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; and Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

BANKING EXAMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance, Examination Audit and Review Task Force held a hearing on banking examinations. Testimony was heard from L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

DOMESTIC VOLUNTEER SERVICES ACT REAUTHORIZATION AND OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight and reauthorization hearing on the Domestic Volunteer Services Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Moody; Donna Alvarado, Director, ACTION; David Scotton, Chief of Staff, Peace Corps; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION BUDGET POLICIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission fiscal year 1990 budget policies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy: Martha O. Hesse, Chairman; Charles Trabandt; Charles G.

Stalon; Jerry Langdon, and Elizabeth Moler, all Commissioners.

C-5 AIRCRAFT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing regarding fraud, waste, and apparent conflict of interest associated with the C-5 aircraft. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GAO: Harry Finley, Director, Air Force Issues; Bud Harlow, Audit Manager; and Calvin Phillips, Evaluator in Charge; the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: Daniel Rak, Assistant Secretary, Office of Acquisition, Management and Policy; and Maj. Gen. Richard Smith, Deputy Chief of Staff, Office of Material Management, Headquarters Air Force Logistics Command.

LOCAL RAIL SERVICES REAUTHORIZING ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action H.R. 422, Local Rail Services Reauthorizing Act.

NARCOTICS REVIEW IN SOUTHWEST ASIA, THE MIDDLE EAST, EUROPE AND AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Narcotics Review in Southwest Asia, the Middle East, Europe and Africa. Testimony was heard from Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; and Thomas G. Byrne, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Intelligence, DEA, Department of Justice.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing met and approved pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 972, to increase the settlement authority of the Attorney General for claims arising from law enforcement activities of the Justice Department; and H.R. 650, State and Local Law Enforcement Compensation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stark, Vucanovich and Nelson of Florida; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Charles P. Smith, Director, Office of Justice Programs; Brent O. Hatch, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division; and Thomas Kelly, Deputy Assistant Director, Legal Counsel Division, FBI; Eric J. Fygi, Deputy General

Counsel, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on FBI DNA fingerprinting. Testimony was heard from John W. Hicks, Deputy Assistant Director, Laboratory Division, FBI, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice held an oversight hearing on the enforcement of federal criminal laws against financial institutions. Testimony was heard from Frederick D. Wolf, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT—COASTAL BARRIER RESOURCES SYSTEM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography held a joint oversight hearing on the Department of the Interior's report to Congress on the Coastal Barrier Resources System. Testimony was heard from Susan Reece-Lamson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior.

MARITIME ADMINISTRATION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration. Testimony was heard from William A. Creelman, Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; VAdm. Paul D. Butcher, USN, Commander, Military Sealift Command, Department of the Navy; representatives of State Maritime Academies; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight met for organizational purposes.

HIGH DEFINITION TELEVISION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on high definition television. Testimony was heard from Alfred C. Sikes, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Information, Department of Commerce; Craig Fields, Deputy Director, Defense

Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held an oversight hearing on the Bureau of Mines fiscal year 1990 authorization. Testimony was heard from T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

PAYEES IN THE SOCIAL SECURITY AND SSI PROGRAMS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security and the Subcommittee on Human Resources held a joint hearing on the use of representative payees in the Social Security and Supplemental Security Income programs. Testimony was heard from Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner for Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held an oversight hearing on fiscal year budget authorizations for the U.S. Customs Service, the U.S. International Trade Commission and the U.S. Trade Representative. Testimony was heard from Anne E. Brunsdale, Acting Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission; Joshua Bolten, General Counsel and Acting Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; William von Raab, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue April 4.

Thursday, March 23, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 74 public bills, H.R. 1581-1654; 1 private bill, H.R. 1655; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 216-226, H. Con. Res. 81-83, and H. Res. 116 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections (H. Rept. 101-15).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 272 yeas to 112 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 11, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, March 22.

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Fair Labor Standards Amendments: By a yea-and-nay vote of 248 yeas to 171 nays, Roll No. 16, the House passed H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to the Murphy amendment in the nature of a substitute that increases the minimum wage in October of each year to levels of \$3.85 in 1989, \$4.25 in 1990, and \$4.55 in 1991; establishes a 60-day training wage for those beginning their first job; and increases the small employer exemption to \$500,000 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 240 yeas to 179 noes, Roll No. 14).

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Rejected:

The Goodling amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to increase the minimum wage to \$4.25 an hour over three years in thirty cent increments per year; to create a "new hire" wage of \$3.35 in 1990 (and not less than 80 percent of the

minimum wage in subsequent years) payable for up to 180 days to a first-time employee; and to call for a 3-year study of the enforcement and demographics of the training wage (rejected by a recorded vote of 198 yeas to 218 noes, Roll No. 13); and

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The Miller of California amendment that sought to provide harsher administrative penalties to those who violate the minimum wage rules and Fair Labor Standards Act requirements (rejected by a recorded vote of 98 yeas to 321 noes, Roll No. 15).

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Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Monday, April 3, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

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Egypt and Israel Treaty of Peace: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 87, to commend the Governments of Israel and Egypt on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the Treaty of Peace between Israel and Egypt.

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Child Care Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 50, to designate the week beginning April 2, 1989, as "National Child Care Awareness Week".

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Recycling Month: House passed H.J. Res. 102, to designate April 1989 as "National Recycling Month".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call, two yea-and-nay votes, and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 5213, 5229, 5246, 5250, 5256.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 3:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

1988 DROUGHT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review the implementation of the Disaster Assistance Act of 1988 and issues related to the 1988 drought. Testimony was heard from Milton Hertz, Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Strategic Defense Initiatives. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. George L. Monahan, Jr., USAF, Di-

rector, Strategic Defense Initiatives Organization, Department of Defense.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute; National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders; and the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Claude Lenfant, Director, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute; Dr. Philip E. Gorden, Director, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; Dr. Jay Moskowitz, Acting Director, National Institute on Deafness and other Communication Disorder and Dr. Murray Goldstein, Director, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Food Safety and Inspection Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Kenneth A. Gilles, Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Services; and Lester M. Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Urban Mass Transportation Administration. Testimony was heard from Alfred DelliBovi, Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continue hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Army's antiarmor program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: James J. Richardson, Director, Armor/Antiarmor Division, Tactical Technology Office, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; and Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition, Department of the Army; and a public witness.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, emphasis on the growth in Army inventories. Testimony was heard from Richard A. Davis, Associate Director, Army Group, GAO; and Maj. Gen. Charles A. Murray, Director, Supply and Maintenance, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Department of the Army.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the RDT&E portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the University Research Initiative and test and evaluation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: George Millburn, Acting Deputy Under Secretary, Research and Advanced Technology; and Jack E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation.

FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION'S RURAL HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on the Farmers Home Administration's Rural Housing Programs. Testimony was heard from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

CONVEYANCE ON LAND

Committee on the District of Columbia: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1523, to authorize the conveyance to the Columbia Hospital for Women of certain parcels of land in the District of Columbia.

CHILD NUTRITION ACT AND THE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act. Testimony was heard from John Bode, Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Services, USDA.

INSURANCE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on H.R. 1093, Insurance Consumer Protection Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY AND DEPARTMENT OF STATE AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and H.R. 1487, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a joint hearing on Europe 1992: How Will It Affect International Trade and Investment? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH ACT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held a hearing on H.R. 1101, to extend the authorization of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 through the end of fiscal year 1993. Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held an oversight hearing on the Adjudicatory Procedures at the Department of Health and Human Services. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Louis Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA; and Ross Anthony, Associate Administrator, Program Development, Health Care Financing Administration; and public witnesses.

ANABOLIC STEROID RESTRICTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held an oversight hearing on H.R. 995, Anabolic Steroid Restriction Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stark and Baker; James E. Swagerty, Postal Inspector, Criminal Division, U.S. Postal Service; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice concluded oversight hearings on the enforcement of federal criminal laws against financial institutions. Testimony was heard from Representative Barnard; Joe Whitley, Acting Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; Rosemary Stewart,

Director, Office of Enforcement, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and public witnesses.

1990 DECENNIAL CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held a hearing on "The Status of Plans for the 1990 Decennial Census: An Update". Testimony was heard from Gene Dodaro, Associate Director, General Government Division, GAO; and C. Louis Kincannon, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Aviation Security. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Transportation: Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary; Monte Belger, Associate Administrator, Aviation Standards; and Raymond Salazar, Director, Civil Aviation Security, both with the FAA; Ambassador Clayton E. McManaway, Associate Coordinator, Counter-Terrorism, Department of State; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology concluded hearings on National Institute of Standards and Technology authorization. Testimony was heard from Representative Weldon; Francis A. McGarry, Fire Administrator, State of New York; William Connelly, Director, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990/1991 authorization. Testimony was heard from James C. Fletcher, Administrator, NASA.

Hearings continue April 4.

AIDS-HIV TESTING

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on risks and implications of AIDS-HIV Testing in non-traditional laboratories and in the Home. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. James Rundell, Department of Psychiatry, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, USAF, Department of Defense, Patricia Johns, Department of Laboratory Licensure, State of Florida; Dr. Donald Berns, Center for Laboratories and Research, Department of Health, State of New York.

MEDICARE AND MEDICAID BUDGET PRIORITIES IN THE 1990's

Select Committee on Aging: Held a hearing on "Medicare and Medicaid Budget Priorities in the 1990's". Testimony was heard from Richard C. Darman, Director, OMB; and public witnesses.

FOOD SECURITY AND METHODS OF ASSESSING HUNGER

Select Committee on Hunger: Held a hearing on "Food Security and Methods of Assessing Hunger". Testimony was heard from John Bode, Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Services, USDA; Dr. J. Michael McGinnis, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Health, Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Linda Randolph, Director, Office of Public Health, Department of Health, State of New York; and public witnesses.

Monday, April 3, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Robert H. Gentile, Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Rick Ventura, Assistant Secretary for Policy, Budget and Administration, Ralph W. Tarr, Solicitor, and James R. Richards, Inspector General, all of the Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—NSF

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Science Foundation, receiving testimony from Erich Bloch, Director, National Science Foundation.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS FOR THE HANDICAPPED

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on the Handicapped concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for discretionary programs of the Education of the Handicapped Act, after receiving testimony from Charles E.M. Kolb, Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, Patricia Smith, Acting Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Service, and Carol Cichowski, Director, Division of Special Education, Rehabilitation and Research Analysis, Office of Planning, Budget and Evaluation, all of the Department of Education; Frederick Weintraub, The Council for Exceptional Children, Reston, Virginia; Norena A. Hale, Minnesota State Department of Education, St. Paul; Pat Trohanis, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Sherril Moon, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond; Carla Lawson, Iowa Exceptional Parents Center, Fort Dodge; William Carriker, University of Virginia, Charlottesville; Jamie Ruppman, Vienna, Virginia, on behalf of the Consortium of Citizens with Disabilities; Frank Bowe, Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York; Steven Forness, UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute, Los Angeles, California; and Judith S. Palfrey, The Children's Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 1656-1660; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 227 and 228.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on National Institute of Dental Research and the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NIH, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Harald A. Loe, Director, National Institute of Dental Research; and Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defenses Nuclear Facilities Panel continued hearings relating to the Department of Energy defense

programs portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy.

Hearings continue April 6.

Testimony was heard from Richard C. Gorman, Director, OMB, and public witnesses. The Senate will meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

FOOD SECURITY AND METHODS OF ASSESSING HUNGER

The Senate will meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Monday, April 3, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate will meet on Tuesday, April 4, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior, receiving testimony in public of funds for their respective activities from Robert H. Gault, Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Rick Ven- tura, Assistant Secretary for Policy, Budget and Administration, Ralph W. Tate, Solicitor, and James R. Richards, Inspector General, all of the Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—NSF

Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Science Foundation, receiving testimony from Birch Block, Director, National Science Foundation.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bill introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 1056-1060, and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 237 and 238.

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Quorum Call—Voice: No quorum call or voice developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met in noon and adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LABOR-HEALTH EDUCATION

APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor-Health Education held a hearing on National Institute of Dental Research and the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NIH: Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health and Human Services, Dr. Harold A. Lee, Director, National Institute of Dental Research, and Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through March 31, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	28	30	..
Time in session.....	113 hrs., 25'	62 hrs., 16'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	3207	899	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	1,015	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	3	5	8
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total.....	84	67	151
Senate bills.....	5	2	..
House bills.....	2	8	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	22	3	..
House joint resolutions.....	5	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	10	9	..
House concurrent resolutions..	1	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	39	36	..
Measures reported, total.....	*47	*15	62
Senate bills.....	5	..	..
House bills.....	..	7	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	15	..	..
House joint resolutions.....	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	2	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	..	..
Simple resolutions.....	25	6	..
Special reports.....	3	..	..
Conference reports.....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	7	4	..
Measures introduced, total.....	884	2,080	2,964
Bills.....	684	1,655	..
Joint resolutions.....	89	226	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	25	83	..
Simple resolutions.....	86	116	..
Quorum calls.....	3	2	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	26	11	..
Recorded votes.....	..	3	..
Bills vetoed.....	..	..	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 10 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 15 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through March 31, 1989

Civilian nominations totaling 132, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	27
Unconfirmed.....	104
Rejected.....	1

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 1,113, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	710
Unconfirmed.....	403

Air Force nominations, totaling 5,804, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,721
Unconfirmed.....	83

Army nominations, totaling 10,409, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,624
Unconfirmed.....	7,785

Navy nominations, totaling 5,567, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	4,688
Unconfirmed.....	879

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 960, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	946
Unconfirmed.....	14

SUMMARY

Total nominations received this session.....	23,985
Total confirmed.....	14,716
Total unconfirmed.....	9,268
Total rejected.....	1

Tuesday, April 4, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and eleven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 684-694, S. Res. 87-91, and S.J. Res. 90-95.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:
Reported on Wednesday, March 29, during the recess:

S. 684, to authorize competitive oil and gas leasing and development on the Coastal Plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in a manner consistent with protection of the environment. (S. Rept. No. 101-10)

Reported today:

Special Report entitled "Report of the Activities of the Committee on Armed Services, United States Senate, 100th Congress, First and Second Sessions." (S. Rept. No. 101-11)

Special Report entitled "Report on the Activities of the Committee on the Judiciary of the United States Senate during the 100th Congress." (S. Rept. No. 101-12)

Special Report from the Committee on Rules and Administration entitled "Review of Legislative Activity During the 100th Congress." (S. Rept. No. 101-13)

Special Report entitled "Legislative Activities Report of the Committee on Foreign Relations, United States Senate, One Hundredth Congress." (Rept. No. 101-14)

Special Report entitled "Report to the Senate on the Jurisdiction and a Summary of the Activities of the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry for the 100th Congress." (S. Rept. No. 101-15)

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Measures Passed:

Congratulating the University of Michigan: Senate agreed to S. Res. 87, congratulating the University of Michigan on winning the NCAA Men's Basketball Championship.

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Congratulating the University of Tennessee: Senate agreed to S. Res. 88, congratulating the University of Tennessee Lady Vols and their coach on winning the 1989 NCAA Women's Basketball Championship.

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 89, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent Senator Kerry in the case of *Beauchamp v. Kerry, et al.*

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 90, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent Senator Cranston in the case of *Rodney F. Stich v. Senator Cranston, et al.*

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Congratulating Harvard University: Senate agreed to S. Res. 91, congratulating the Harvard University Ice Hockey team and their coach on winning the 1989 NCAA National Hockey Championship.

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Eastern Airlines Strike/Emergency Board: Senate resumed consideration of a motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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By unanimous consent the motion to proceed was withdrawn, and the cloture vote scheduled for Wednesday, April 5, was vitiated.

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Major Fraud Act Amendments of 1989—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 248, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States, and certain amendments proposed thereto, on Wednesday, April 5, at 2:30 p.m.

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Minimum Wage—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 4, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, on Thursday, April 6, at 1:30 p.m.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

John R. Bolton, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Herman Jay Cohen, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to Argentina.

Charles Edgar Redman, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Sweden.

Richard Reeves Burt, of Arizona, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of

Delegation on Nuclear and Space Talks and Chief Negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START).

Robert R. Glauber, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Hollis S. McLoughlin, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Kenneth Winston Starr, of Virginia, to be Solicitor General of the United States.

Susan Carol Schwab, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service.

Constance Horner, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Elaine L. Chao, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Transportation.

W. Henson Moore, of Louisiana, to be Deputy Secretary of Energy.

John Chatfield Tuck, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Energy.

John Theodore Sanders, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Education.

Frank Quill Nebeker, of Virginia, to be Chief Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

William G. Rosenberg, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Constance Berry Newman, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

Paul D. Coverdell, of Georgia, to be Director of the Peace Corps.

1 Coast Guard nomination in the rank of admiral.

4 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

2 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Army, Marine Corps, and Navy nominations.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the nomination of Lew W. Cramer, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service.

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Appointments by the Presiding Officer:

Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, in accordance with Public Law 99-498, Section 1505(a)(1)(B)(ii), reappointed Senator Wallop to the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development, effective January 3, 1989.

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National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, in accordance with Public Law 100-607, appointed the following individuals to the National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome: June E. Osborn, of Michigan, Larry Kessler, of Massachusetts, Harlon L. Dalton, of Connecticut, and Eunice Diaz, of California.

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Articles of Impeachment Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings—Motion Submitted: The Chair submitted for printing in the Congressional Record a motion submitted by Judge Alcee Hastings to the Secretary of the Senate requesting funds for Judge Hastings' defense, and without determining whether the committee appointed pursuant to S. Res. 38 had authority to act on the motion, the Chair referred the motion to the committee for initial consideration.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:15 p.m., and recessed at 5:36 p.m., until 1:30 p.m., on Wednesday, April 5, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Wendy L. Gramm, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission; Marvin R. Duncan, Acting Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration; Eric P. Thor, President and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit System Assistance Board; and Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 6.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense and the Subcommittee on Military Construction concluded joint hearings on recommendations for closure of certain military bases, after receiving testimony from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations; and Robert F. Hale, Assistant Director for National Security, and Wayne Glass, Principal Analyst, both of the Congressional Budget Office.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CRIME AND DRUG CRISIS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held hearings on the crime and drug crisis in the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Mayor Marion S. Barry, Jr., Maurice Turner, Police Chief, and Hallem H. Williams, Director, Department of Corrections, all of the District of Columbia Government; Fred Ugast, Chief Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia; Lawrence W. Sherman, University of Maryland, College Park, representing the Crime Control Institute; and Karst Besteman, Alcohol and Drug Problems Association, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 17.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Pryor, Breaux, Gorton, Adams, Sarbanes, and Mikulski, and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on military assistance, peacekeeping, and Economic Support Fund, receiving testimony from H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Richard E. Bissell, Assistant Administrator for Program and Policy Coordination, Agency for International Development; and Lt. Gen. Charles W. Brown, USA, Defense Security Assistance Agency.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed

budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Park Service, receiving testimony from William Penn Mott, Jr., Director, National Park Service, who was accompanied by several of his associates, all of the Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 10.

APPROPRIATIONS—EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Education, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; Charles E.M. Kolb, Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, James E. Cheek, President, Howard University, I. King Jordan, President, Gallaudet University, William E. Castle, Director, National Technical Institute for the Deaf, and Vice President, Rochester Institute of Technology, Tuck Tinsley III, President, American Printing House for the Blind, Daniel Bonner, Acting Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education, Alicia Coro, Acting Director, Office of Bilingual Education and Minority Languages Affairs, Patricia McGill Smith, Acting Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Bonnie F. Guiton, Assistant Secretary for Vocational and Adult Education, and Sally H. Christensen, Director, Budget Service, Office of Planning, Budget and Evaluation, all of the Department of Education.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, April 7.

APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Paul W. Bateman, Deputy Assistant to the President for Management, and Director, Office of Administration, Executive Office of the President; Thomas G. Moore, Acting Chairman, National Critical Materials Council; Robert G. Stanton, Regional Director, National Park Service (on behalf of funds for the White House residence); and Jean McKee, Acting Chairman, and Kathleen Day Koch, General Counsel, both of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, April 12.

APPROPRIATIONS—NSF/OFFICE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on

proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Erich Bloch, Director, National Science Foundation; and William R. Graham, Jr., Science Advisor to the President and Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 10.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support held hearings to review the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure for closure of certain military bases, receiving testimony from Hayden Bryan, Staff Director, Defense Secretary's Commission on Base Realignment and Closure.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—NASA

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology and Space resumed hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, focusing on aeronautics and space technology, receiving testimony from William F. Ballhaus, Jr., Director, Ames Research Center, and Acting Associate Administrator, Office of Aeronautics and Space Technology, and Robert Rosen, Acting Associate Administrator, Office of Aeronautics and Space Technology, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Richard E. Rowberg, Chief Scientist, Policy Research Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; John Swihart, Aerospace Industries Association, David Doniger, Natural Resources Defense Council, and Norris Krone, American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, all of Washington, DC; and Ronald Wickens, Federal Express, Memphis, Tennessee.

Hearing continue on Tuesday, April 11.

AUTOMOBILE FUEL EFFICIENCY STANDARDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Regulation and Conservation held oversight hearings on automobile fuel efficiency standards, focusing on corporate average fuel economy (CAFE) standards, and options for stabilizing global climate change, receiving testimony from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Conservation and Renewable Energy; Richard D. Morganstern, Director, Office of Policy Analysis, Environmental Protection Agency; Howard Smolkin, Managing Director, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; Charles Ebinger, International Resources Group, Ltd., and Clarence M. Ditlow III, Center for

Auto Safety, both of Washington, DC; Marina V.N. Whitman, General Motors Corporation, Detroit, Michigan, and Helen O. Petrauskas, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, receiving testimony from George F. Kennan, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 12.

RICO/FEDERAL LABOR POLICY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the racketeering suit against the Teamsters Union and the government's use of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) Act (P.L. 91-542) to impose trusteeships on labor unions and other business entities, receiving testimony from Benito Romano, U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of New York; and William J. McCarthy and James T. Grady, both on behalf of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 6.

AUTHORIZATIONS—ACTION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 for ACTION, the Federal Domestic Volunteer Agency, after receiving testimony from Senator Rockefeller; Donna Alvarado, Director, ACTION; John Egan, DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois; Derek Coelho, St. Francis House, Boston, Massachusetts; Kevin Smith, Literacy Volunteers of America—New York State, Buffalo, New York; Nancy Wood, Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana; Winifred Dowling, National Association of RSVP Directors, El Paso, Texas; Betty Pate Manley, National Association of Foster Grandparent Directors, San Jose, California; and Berryl Thompson, National Association of Senior Companion Directors, Opelousas, Louisiana.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 6.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 1661-1673; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 229, H. Con. Res. 84, and H. Res. 117 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 117, providing for the consideration of H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections (H. Rept. 101-16).

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U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States delegation of the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group for the first session of the 101st Congress the following members on the part of the House: Representatives de la Garza (Chairman), Yatron (Vice Chairman), Rangel, Miller of California, Gejdenson, Coleman of Texas, Berman, Lomax, Dreier of California, DeLay, Gilman, and Goodling.

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Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: The Speaker appointed as minority members of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families the following Members: Representatives Bliley, Wolf, Vucanovich, Packard, Hastert, Holloway, Grandy, Weldon, Smith of Texas, Smith of Vermont, Walsh, and Machtley.

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Select Committee on Hunger: The Speaker appointed Representative Faleomavaega as an additional majority member to the Select Committee on Hunger. The Speaker also appointed to that same committee the following minority members: Representatives Emerson, Roukema, Morrison of Washington, Gilman, Smith of Oregon, Bereuter, Upton, Herger, Hunter of California, and Wolf.

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Member To Be Sworn: It was made in order that Representative-elect Long be permitted to take the oath of office on Wednesday, April 5.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AFLATOXIN IN THE 1988 CORN CROP

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review

the incidence of aflatoxin in the 1988 corn crop and related issues. Testimony was heard from W. Kirk Miller, Administrator, Federal Grain Inspection Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Bureau of Indian Affairs. Testimony was heard from William Ragsdale, Assistant Secretary, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: National Institute of General Medical Sciences; the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; the National Eye Institute; and the National Library of Medicine. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Ruth L. Kirschstein, Director, National Institute of General Medical Sciences; Dr. Duane Alexander, Director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; Dr. Carl Kupfer, Director, National Eye Institute; and Dr. Donald A.B. Lindberg, Director, National Library of Medicine.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the FAA. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on Council of Economic Advisors, and the Office of Policy Development. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisors; and Dr. William L. Roper, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director, Office of Policy Development.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on EPA. Testimony was heard from William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS UNDER EDUCATION OF THE HANDICAPPED ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight and reauthorization hearing on Discretionary Programs under the Education of the Handicapped Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—AIDS AND OTHER EPIDEMICS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held an oversight hearing on AIDS and Other Epidemics of Infectious Diseases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. James Allen, Acting Director, National AIDS Program Office, Public Health Service; Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases and Associate Director for AIDS, NIH; Dr. Sam Matheny, Associate Administrator for AIDS, Health Resources and Services Administration; Dr. Gary Noble, Assistant Surgeon General and Deputy Director (HIV), Centers for Disease Control; Dr. Joseph Autry, Associate Administrator for Policy Coordination, Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration; and Dr. Paul D. Parkman, Director, Center for biologics Evaluation and Research, FDA; Dr. Ted Cooper, Chairman, AIDS Activities Oversight Committee, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NARCOTICS TRAFFICKERS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information and Agriculture held a hearing on Federal Strategies to Investigate and Prosecute Major Narcotics Traffickers. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Terrence M. Burke, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Operations Division, DEA; Anthony Daniels, Deputy Assistant Director, FBI; and Joe Whitley, Assistant Attorney General.

MEDICARE QUALITY OF CARE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on Medicare Quality of Care. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General; and Thomas G. Morford, Director, Health Standards and Quality Bureau, Health Care Financing Administration; and public witnesses.

UNIFORM POLL CLOSING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections. Testimony was heard from Representatives Swift and Thomas of California.

NOAA BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on NOAA fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of NOAA, Department of Commerce: William E. Evans, Administrator and Under Secretary; Elbert W.F. Friday, Jr., Assistant Administrator, Weather Services; Thomas N. Pyke, Jr., Assistant Administrator, Environmental Satellites, Data, and Information Services; Alan R. Thomas, Acting Assistant Administrator, Oceanic and Atmospheric Research; and Kent Burton, Assistant Secretary and Deputy Administrator, Oceans and Atmosphere; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RISKS OF COSMETIC SURGERY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on the Risks of Cosmetic Surgery. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 2.

BUDGET PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the Administration's fiscal year 1990 budget proposals relating to the IRS and the U.S. Tax Court. Testimony was heard from Michael J. Murphy, Acting Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury; the following officials of the GAO: Jennie S. Stathis, Director, General Government Division; and James R. Watts, Associate Director, Information Management and Technology Division; Arthur L. Nims III, Chief Judge, U.S. Tax Court; and public witnesses.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Joint Committee on Printing: Committee held an organizational business meeting where it took the following action:

Elected Senator Ford as Chairman, and Representative Annunzio as Vice Chairman; and

Adopted committee rules of procedure for the 101st Congress.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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Senate

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Measures Introduced: Eighteen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 695-712, S. Res. 92 and 93, and S.J. Res. 96.

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Measures Passed:

Major Fraud Act Amendments of 1989: By 82 yeas to 16 nays (Vote No. 28), Senate passed S. 248, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

Metzenbaum Amendment No. 14, to clarify the discretion of the Attorney General in authorizing payments to persons who furnish information relating to a possible prosecution.

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Rejected:

Bumpers Amendment No. 15, to eliminate the reward provisions of the Major Fraud Act Amendments of 1989. (By 55 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 27), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Bicentennial Celebration of the Inauguration of George Washington: Senate agreed to S.J. Res. 92, inviting the houses of worship of this Nation to celebrate the bicentennial of the inauguration of George Washington, the first President of the United States, by ringing bells at 12 noon on Sunday, April 30, 1989.

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Transfer of Obsolete Navy Drydock to Jacksonville, Florida: Senate passed H.R. 666, to allow an obsolete Navy drydock to be transferred to the city of Jacksonville, Florida, before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period.

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National Recycling Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 61, to designate April 1989 as "National Recycling Month", and the resolution was then agreed to.

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National Stroke Awareness Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 62, designating May 1989 as "National Stroke Awareness Month", and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Special Bicentennial Session of the Senate: Senate agreed to S. Res. 93, to provide for a special Bicentennial Session of the Senate on April 6, 1989.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report on international activities in science and technology for fiscal year 1988, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-28)

(2) Transmitting the Educational Excellence Act of 1989, which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-29)

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Appointment by the Minority Leader: The Minority Leader, in accordance with Public Law 100-294, announced the appointment of Senator Jeffords as a Member of the Presidential Commission on Child and Youth Deaths.

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Submission of Statements With Respect to the Senate's 200th Anniversary: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that, for the remainder of this week, any Senator who is recognized may submit statements with respect to the Senate's two-hundredth anniversary and the admission to the Union of that Senator's State.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—28)

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Recess: Senate convened at 1:30 p.m., and recessed at 7:19 p.m., and, in accordance with the provisions of S. Res. 93, will reconvene at 11 a.m., on Thursday, April 6.

Committee Meetings

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee began hearings on rural development issues, focusing on the role of financial institutions in restoring economic vitality in rural communities, and how to bridge the gap between remote communities in rural areas through telecommunications, receiving testimony from Neal J. Barber, Virginia State Department of Housing and Community Development, Richmond; Murray D. Lull, Smith County State Bank & Trust Company, Smith Center, Kansas, on behalf of the American Bankers Association; Stephen C. McConnell, Northern Community Investment Corporation, St. Johnsbury, Vermont; Larry Farmer, Mississippi Action for Community Education, Inc., Greenville; and Will Kitchen, Edina, Minnesota.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—SEC

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Securities and Exchange Commission, receiving testimony from David S. Ruder, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for defense intelligence programs, receiving testimony from William H. Webster, Director, and James H. Taylor, Executive Director, both of the Central Intelligence Agency; Vice Adm. William O. Studeman, USN, Director, National Security Agency; Lt. Gen. Harry E. Soyster, USA, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency; and Jimmie D. Hill, Acting Director, Special Air Force Programs.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Kerry, Exon, Cranston, and Wilson; Representatives Rhodes and Anderson; Arizona Governor Rose Mofford, Phoenix; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

GORBACHEV REFORMS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the implications of Gorbachev reforms for U.S. security, receiving testimony from Arnold Horelick, UCLA Center for the Study of Soviet International Behavior, Los Angeles, California; Gen. William E. Odom, USA (Ret.), Hudson Institute, Inc., Alexandria, Virginia; Stephen M. Meyer, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge; and Christopher Donnelly, Soviet Studies Research Center, United Kingdom Ministry of Defense.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Donald J. Atwood, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Levin and Lugar, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Wendell L. Willkie II, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Boschwitz, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

AUTHORIZATIONS—HIGHWAY SAFETY PROGRAMS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 673, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, after receiving testimony from Barry Felrice, Associate Administrator for Rulemaking, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; Joan Claybrook, Public Citizen, Clarence Ditlow, Center for Auto Safety, Albert J. Slechter, Chrysler Motors Corporation, David Snyder, American Insurance Association, and James E. Reagan, Government Employees' Insurance Corporation, on behalf of the National Association of

Independent Insurers, all of Washington, DC; A. Benjamin Kelley, Institute for Injury Reduction, Dunkirk, Maryland; Robert Munson, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan; Robert A. Rogers, General Motors Technical Center, Warren, Michigan; and Brian O'Neill, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, Arlington, Virginia.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of W. Henson Moore, of Louisiana, to be Deputy Secretary of Energy, John C. Tuck, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Energy, and Donna R. Fitzpatrick, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Management and Administration, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Moore was introduced by Senator Breaux, and Mr. Tuck was introduced by former Senator Howard Baker.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia, after receiving testimony from Senator Byrd; and Bradley D. Nash, Harpers Ferry, West Virginia; and

S. 280, to designate a segment of the Niobrara River in Nebraska as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after receiving testimony from Senators Exon and Kerrey; Representatives Virginia Smith and Hoagland; Nebraska State Senator Howard Lamb, and George Lincoln, Lincoln Industries, Inc, both of Lincoln, Nebraska; Beryl Kuhre, and Allen Steuter, Niobrara Valley Preserve, both of Johnstown, Nebraska; and Robert Hilski, Middle Niobrara Natural Resources District, Larry Shepperd, Board of Keya Paha County, both of Valentine, Nebraska; Ronald Klataske, National Audobon Society, Manhattan, Kansas; and Kevin J. Coyle, American Rivers, Inc., Washington, DC.

Testimony was also received on both the aforementioned bills, and S. 338, to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa from Denis Galvin, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL REPORT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations held hearings to review the President's annual International Narcotics Control Strategy Report, receiving testimony from Ann B. Wroblewski, Assistant Secre-

tary of State for International Narcotics Matters; and David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator for Operations, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Pamela Ann Rymer, of California, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Robert C. Bonner, to be U.S. District Judge for the Central District of California, Melinda Harman, to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, and William P. Barr, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Rymer and Mr. Bonner were introduced by Senator Wilson; Ms. Harman was introduced by Senator Gramm and Representatives Laughlin and Andrews; and Mr. Barr was introduced by Senators Warner and Robb.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills introduced: 47 public bills, H.R. 1674-1720; 1 private bill, H.R. 1721; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 230-231, H. Con. Res. 85-87, and H. Res. 118-121 were introduced.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 357 yeas to 29 nays, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 17, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, April 4.

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Member Sworn: Representative-elect Long presented herself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Uniform Poll Closing: By a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 154 nays, Roll No. 18, the House passed H.R. 18, to amend title 3, United States Code, and the Uniform Time Act of 1966 to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections.

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H. Res. 117, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Former POW Recognition: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 43, designating April 9, 1989, as "National Former Prisoners of War Recognition Day".

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Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness: House passed H.J. Res. 112, designating April 11, 1989, through April 30, 1989, as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week".

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Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that changes the designated week to April 23, 1989, through April 29, 1989, and April 23, 1990, through April 29, 1990.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Education Day, U.S.A.: House passed H.J. Res. 173, to designate April 16, 1989, as "Education Day, U.S.A.".

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Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that also designates April 6, 1990 as "Education Day, U.S.A.".

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Los Angeles Dodgers Victory: House agreed to H. Res. 119, congratulating the Los Angeles Dodgers on their 1988 World Series victory.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

Educational excellence: Message wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled the "Educational Excellence Act of 1989"—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-41); and

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International science and technology activities: Message wherein he transmits the annual report on international activities in science and technology for fiscal year 1988—referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today. There were no quorum calls.

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Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 5:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development approved for full Committee action the following Watershed Projects: Upper Locust Creek Watershed in Missouri and Iowa; and the Howard Creek Watershed in West Virginia.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on these projects. Testimony was heard

from Galen S. Bridge, Deputy Chief, Programs, Soil Conservation Service, USDA; and a public witness.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 12.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Missiles and Other Procurement, Army. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: Brig. Gen. William S. Chen, USA, Assistant Deputy, Support Management; Maj. Gen. Joe W. Rigby, USA, Director, Other Procurement; Maj. Gen. Samuel N. Wakefield, USA, Commanding General, Transportation Center and School; and James E. Mahiser, Program Executive Officer, Army Troop Support Command.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Operations and Maintenance, Navy and Marine Corps, and on Operations and Maintenance, Army. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: RAdm. R.M. Walsh, USN, Director, Operations Division, Office of Budget and Reports; Lt. Gen. William G. Carson, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff, Installations and Logistics; and Brig. Gen. Josue Robles, Jr., Assistant Director, Operations, Office of Army Comptroller.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission; Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation, and the Holocaust Memorial Commission. Testimony was heard from Representative Pepper, Chairman, Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission; Richard Hauser, Chairman, Board of Directors, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; and Sarah Bloomfield, Acting Executive Director, Holocaust Memorial Commission.

**LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases; Division of Research Resources; National Center for Nursing Research; and the J.E. Fogarty International Center. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Lawrence E. Shulman, Director, National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases; Dr. Robert A. Whitney, Acting Director, Division of Research Resources; Dr. Ada Sue Henshaw, Director, National Center for Nursing Research; and Dr. Phillip E. Schambra, Director, J.E. Fogarty International Center.

**MILITARY CONSTRUCTION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on Family Housing-Impact of Davis-Bacon. Testimony was heard from Bob Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations, Department of Defense.

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE
AND RELATED AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the following: Human Nutrition Information Service; Food and Nutrition Service; and Farm Credit Agencies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: John W. Bode, Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Services; James T. Heimbach, Acting Administrator, Human Nutrition Information Service; and Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service; Marvin R. Duncan, Acting Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration; and Eric P. Thor, President and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit System Assistance Board.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation continued hearings on the FAA. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL
GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government approved

for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: the OPM; Executive Residence; and Office of Federal Procurement. Testimony was heard from Constance Horner, Director, OPM; Robert G. Stanton, Regional Director, National Park Service, National Capitol Region, Department of the Interior; and Allan V. Burman, Deputy Administrator and Acting Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement, OMB.

**VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also concluded hearings on the EPA. Testimony was heard from John A. Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, EPA.

**FEDERAL FACILITIES COMPLIANCE WITH
THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT**

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on federal facilities compliance with the Solid Waste Disposal Act. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: William H. Parker III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment; Gary Vest, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health), Department of the Air Force; Nancy Stehle, Deputy Director, Environment, Office of the Assistant Secretary, Shipbuilding and Logistics, Department of the Navy; and Lewis D. Walker, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health); and Eric J. Fygi, Acting General Counsel, Department of Energy.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on military housing. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Maj. Gen. Peter J. Offringa, Assistant Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army; RAdm. Benjamin F. Montoya, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Department of the Navy; Maj. Gen. Joseph A. Ahearn, Director, Engineering and Services; and James F. Boatright, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations, both with the Department of the Air Force; and Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services, HQ, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

THIRD WORLD DEBT: THE BRADY PROPOSAL

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on "Third World Debt: The Brady Proposal". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHILD CARE PROPOSALS

Committee on Education and Labor: Concluded hearings on the following: H.R. 3, Child Development and Education Act of 1989; H.R. 30, Act for Better Child Care Services of 1989; and related proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATURAL GAS DECONTROL ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on H.R. 1595, Natural Gas Decontrol Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—AIDS AND OTHER EPIDEMICS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment concluded oversight hearings on AIDS and Other Epidemics of Infectious Diseases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director; Dr. John La Montagne, Director, Microbiology and Infectious Disease Program; and Dr. Judith Wasserheit, Chief, Sexually Transmitted Disease Branch, all with the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, NIH; Dr. Alan R. Hinman, Assistant Surgeon General and Director; Dr. Dixie Snider, Director, Division of Tuberculosis Control; and Dr. Willard Cates, Jr., Director, Divisions of Sexually Transmitted Diseases, all with the Center for Prevention Services, Centers for Disease Control; Dr. Frederick A. Murphy, Director; and Dr. Harold S. Margolis, Chief, Hepatitis Branch, Division of Viral and Rickettsia Diseases, both with the Center for Infectious Diseases, Centers for Disease Control; Dr. Robert H. Purcell, Chief, Hepatitis Virus Section, Laboratory of Infectious Disease, Centers for Disease Control; Dr. Paul D. Parkman, Director, Center for Biologics, Evaluation and Research, FDA; and public witnesses.

FAILURE OF THE TRANSIT CASUALTY COMPANY AND THE ANGLO-AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the failure of the Transit Casualty Company and the

Anglo-American Insurance Company. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 11.

FAIRNESS IN BROADCASTING ACT; TELEPHONE OPERATOR SERVICE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 315, Fairness in Broadcasting Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 971, Telephone Operator Service Consumer Protection Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FCC: Gerry Brock and Gregg Vogt; and public witnesses.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a joint hearing on Europe 1992: Will U.S. Firms Receive the Same Treatment as European Firms? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, VA, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans' nursing home; H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri; H.R. 964, amended, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, AL); and H.R. 999, amended, to amend the act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 915), as amended, establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on the Federal Bureau of Investigation authorization request for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from William S. Sessions, Director, FBI, Department of Justice.

ASSAULT WEAPONS AND OTHER FIREARMS ISSUES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on legislation relating to assault weapons and other firearms issues (H.R. 128, H.R. 467, H.R. 669, H.R. 825, H.R. 993, H.R. 1190, H.R. 1361, H.R. 1654 and H. Con. Res. 27). Testimony was heard from Representatives Stark, Collins, Torricelli and Campbell of California; Richard Abell,

Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice; Daniel M. Hartnett, Deputy, Director and Associate Director of Law Enforcement, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury; Barbara Fass, Mayor, Stockton, California; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1630, to amend title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for administrative naturalization; and H.R. 1662, amended, Torture Victim Protection Act.

NOAA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

SUPERCONDUCTING SUPER COLLIDER SITE SELECTION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on Superconducting Super Collider Site Selection Process. Testimony was heard from Robert O. Hunter, Director, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy; Flora Milans, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Raphael G. Kasper, Project Director, Super Collider Site Evaluation Committee, National Academy of Sciences/National Academy of Engineering; and a public witness.

COUNTERFEIT BOLTS AND FASTENERS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on H.R. 336, to provide for a system of standardization of measurement of bolts to increase bolt quality and reduce the danger of substandard bolt failure. Testimony was heard from Raymond Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; Bill D. Colvin, Inspector General, NASA; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization, with emphasis on long range goals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1335, Veterans' Compensation Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1336, to amend title 38, United States Code, to reduce from 2 years to 1 year the period of time that a surviving spouse must have been married to a veteran who dies while in receipt of compensation for a service-connected disability in order for the surviving spouse to be eligible for dependency and indemnity compensation; and H.R. 1334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove a limitation relating to the payment of pension to veterans furnished hospital care by the Veterans' Administration on a long-term basis. Testimony was heard from R. J. Vogel, Chief Benefits Director, Department of Veterans' Affairs; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to concluded hearings on fiscal year 1990/1991 Intelligence Budget. Testimony was heard from department witnesses.

Joint Meeting

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Joint Committee on Taxation: Committee held an organizational business meeting where it took the following action:

Elected Representative Rostenkowski as Chairman, and Senator Bentsen as Vice Chairman.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fourteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 713-726, and S. Res. 94.

Measures Passed:

Expression of Confidence in the Senate: Senate agreed to S. Res. 94, to express the Senate's confidence, hope, and trust for those who will serve in the Senate during its third century.

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National Recycling Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 102, to designate April 1989 as "National Recycling Month", and the resolution was then passed.

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989: Senate began consideration of S. 4, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill on tomorrow.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Reginald Bartholomew, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs.

Morris Berthold Abram, of New York, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the European Office of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

John E. Robson, of Georgia, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury.

Roger Bolton, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Jack Callihan Parnell, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Agriculture.

Richard Thomas Crowder, of Minnesota, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture.

Kay Coles James, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Phillip D. Brady, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation.

Susan S. Engeleiter, of Wisconsin, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting a report with respect to national emergencies in Panama, which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs. (PM-30)

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Messages From the President:

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 6:34 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Friday, April, 7, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Kenneth A. Gilles, Assistant Secretary for Marketing and Inspection Services, James W. Glosser, Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Lester M. Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, J. Patrick Boyle, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, and Lawrence Wachs, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for defense programs, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, receiving testimony from Senator Dole; Representatives Brooks and Hochbrueckner; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, April 12.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on East Asia and the Philippines, receiving testimony from David F. Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Carol C. Adelman, Assistant

Administrator for Asia and Near East, Agency for International Development.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Richard D. Morgan, Executive Director, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation; and James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 13.

CONVENTIONAL FORCES IN EUROPE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the negotiations on conventional forces in Europe, receiving testimony from Stanley R. Sloan, Senior Specialist in International Security Policy, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Gen. Andrew J. Goodpaster (USA-Ret.), Atlantic Council of the United States, Washington, DC; and Phillip A. Karber, BDM International, Inc., McLean, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence held hearings to examine environmental priorities for the Nuclear Weapons Complex, receiving testimony from Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs, Raymond P. Berube, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environment, and Roger P. Whitfield, Associate Director, Office of Defense Waste and Transportation Management, all of the Department of Energy; and Bruce Diamond, Director, Office of Waste Programs Enforcement, H. Christopher Grundler, Director, Federal Facilities Hazardous Waste Compliance Office, and Lisa Friedman, Associate General Counsel, all of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXXON OIL SPILL

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings to review the environmental and maritime implications of the Exxon Valdez oil spill, receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary, and Adm. Paul A. Yost, Commandant, and Capt. Richard M. Larrabee, both of the U.S. Coast Guard, all of the Department of Transportation; William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; William E. Evans, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and At-

mosphere; Steve Robinson, Deputy Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; and L.G. Rawl, Exxon Corporation, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMTRAK

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on S. 462, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1992 for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, (AMTRAK), after receiving testimony from S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; W. Graham Claytor, Jr., President and Chairman of the Board, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK); and Jim Kennedy, Railway Labor Executives Association, and Ross Capon, National Association of Railroad Passengers, both of Washington, DC.

LOCAL RAIL SERVICE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on S. 255, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Local Rail Service Assistance program, after receiving testimony from Senators Harkin, Kassebaum, and D'Amato; S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; Horace B. Edwards, Kansas State Department of Transportation, Topeka, on behalf of the National Conference of State Railway Officials of the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials; Mortimer Fuller, Genesee and Wyoming Industries, Greenwich, Connecticut, on behalf of the Regional Railroads of America; and Lynn Anderson, Dakota, Minnesota and Eastern Railroad, Brookings, South Dakota.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John D. Negroponte, of New York, to be Ambassador to Mexico, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Stevens, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

RICO/FEDERAL LABOR POLICY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine the racketeering suit against the Teamsters Union and the government's use of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) Act (P.L. 91-542) to impose trusteeships on labor unions and other business entities, receiving testimony from Anthony L. Giliberti and Arthur Eisenberg, both of the Teamsters Local 814, Long Island City, New

York; Edwin H. Stier, Teamsters Local 560, Union City, New Jersey; Eugene R. Anderson, Laborers International Union of North America, Local 6(A), and Brian Carroll, Fulton Fish Market, both of New York, New York; and Robert E. Welsh, Jr., Local 30/30B, United Slate, Tile and Composition Roofers, Damp and Waterproof Workers Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 12.

FEDERAL LEADERSHIP IN SCIENCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on the Federal Government's role in scientific research, education, and innovation, receiving testimony from Frank Press, President, National Academy of Sciences, and former Science Adviser to President Jimmy Carter; Donald F. Hornig, former Science Adviser to President Lyndon Johnson, and Lewis M. Branscomb, former, Chairman, National Science Board, both of Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and H. Guyford Stever, former Science Adviser to President Gerald Ford, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FEC/CIVIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD PROGRAM/AMERICAN FOLKLIFE CENTER

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings on the following measures:

Proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 and supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 for the Federal Election Commission, after receiving testimony from Danny Lee McDonald, Chairman, Lee Ann Elliott, Vice Chairman and Chairman, Finance Committee, and John Warren McGarry, Commissioner, all of the Federal Election Commission;

Proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, after receiving testimony from James H. Billington, The Librarian of Congress; and Stephen Janger, Close Up Foundation, Arlington, Virginia; and

Proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, and 1994 for the American Folklife Center of the Library of Congress, after receiving testimony from James H. Billington, The Librarian of Congress, and Alan Jabbour, Director, American Folklife Center, Library of Congress.

VA HEALTH-CARE FUNDING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings on the Department of Veterans' Affairs health-care funding programs, after receiving testimony from John A. Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, Gary DeGasta, Director, VA Medical

Center, White River Junction, Vermont, Tom Holthaus, Director, VA Medical Center, Togus, Maine, Tom Mullon, Director, VA Medical Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Jacqueline Parthemore, Chief of Staff, VA Medical Center, San Diego, California, Sam Threefoot, Chief of Staff, VA Medical Center, New Orleans, Louisiana, Steve Petty, Director of Social Work Services and Jerry Pettis, Memorial Veterans Hospital, both of Loma Linda, California, Anne Pope, Director of Social Work, VA Medical Center, Hines, Illinois, and Thresa Wilson, VA Medical Center, St. Louis, Missouri, all of the Department of Veterans' Affairs; Alfred Simmons, Baltimore, Maryland, and Robert Newsome, Alexandria, Virginia, both on behalf of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Jerry Cox, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Larry Dawson, Phoenix, Arizona, both on behalf of the Disabled American Veterans; and Richard Woodworth, Nashville, Tennessee, on behalf of the Paralyzed Veterans of America.

INDIAN WATER POLICY

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded joint oversight hearings with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources' Subcommittee on Water and Power on the implementation of Indian water rights policy, after receiving testimony from Michael J. Clinton, Bookman-Edmonston Engineering, Inc., on behalf of former Under Secretary of the Interior Ann Dore McLaughlin, Washington, DC; Wyoming Governor Michael Sullivan, Cheyenne, on behalf of the Western Governors Association; Lois G. Witte, Colorado State Deputy Attorney General, Denver, on behalf of the Conference of Western Attorneys General; Charles Wilkinson and David Getches, both of the University of Colorado School of Law, Boulder; Zach Willey, Environmental Defense Fund, Oakland, California; John Washakie, Shoshone Tribe, Wind River Reservation, Fort Washakie, Wyoming; Elliot Booth and William G. Lavell, both of the Colorado River Indian Tribes, Parker, Arizona; Marvin Osborne, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes of the Fort Hall Reservation, Fort Hall, Idaho; and Joe Ely and Robert Pelcyger, both of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, Nixon, Nevada.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 11.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 1722-1745; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 232, H. Con. Res. 88, and H. Res. 122 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, amended (H. Rept. 101-17).

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National Commission on AIDS: The Speaker appointed on the part of the House Mr. Don C. Des Jarlais from private life to the National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

1989 WHEAT CROP AND RELATED ISSUES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee Wheat, Soybean and Feed Grains held a hearing to review the outlook for the 1989 wheat crop and related issues. Testimony was heard from Ewen Wilson, Assistant Secretary, Economics, USDA; and public witnesses.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the Guard and Reserve. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Stephen Duncan, Assistant Secretary (Reserve Affairs); RAdm. F.N. Smith, USN, Chief, Naval Reserve; Maj. Gen. Edmund P. Looney, Jr., USMC, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff; Lt. Gen. Herbert R. Temple, USA, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. William F. Ward, USA, Chief, Army Reserve; Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick, USA, Director, Army

National Guard; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, USAF, Chief, Air Force Reserve; and Brig. Gen. Phillip Killey, USAF, Director, Air National Guard Bureau.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 11.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on UNICEF. Testimony was heard from Larry Bruce, Chairman, American Committee on UNICEF.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Secretary of Energy. Testimony was heard from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: National Institute on Aging; Office of the Director/Buildings and Facilities; and on the Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. T. Franklin Williams, Director, National Institute on Aging; John D. Mahoney, Associate Director, Administration, NIH; and Dr. Frederick K. Goodwin, Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on Commodity Futures Trading Commission. Testimony was heard from Wendy L. Gramm, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full Committee action fiscal year 1989 supplemental items.

The Subcommittee also concluded hearings on the FAA. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government contained appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from A. Alan Hill, Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel met in executive session to continue hearings relating to the Department of Energy defense programs portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the inertial confinement fusion program. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Paul Kavanaugh, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Military Applications, Department of Energy; James I. Davis, Associate Director, Lasers, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; David Cartwright, Program Director, Inertial Confinement Fusion, Los Alamos National Laboratory; J. Pace Vandevender, Director, Pulsed Power Science, Sandia, National Laboratory; Stephen E. Bodner, Head, Laser Plasma Branch, Naval Research Laboratory.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue hearings on the research, development, test and evaluation portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. The Subcommittee received a classified briefing on the Anti-Satellite and Strategic Defense Initiative program from Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander in Chief, U.S. Space Command; and Larry Gershwin, National Intelligence Officer, Soviet Strategic Programs, CIA.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance began markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue April 11.

TEMPORARY CHILD CARE FOR HANDICAPPED CHILDREN AND CRISIS NURSERIES ACT OVERSIGHT AND REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight and reauthorization hearing on the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act. Testimony was heard from Betty Stewart, Assistant Commissioner, The Children's Bureau, Office of Human Development Services, Department of Health and Human Services; Franklin Frazier, Director, Income Security Issues (Disability and Welfare), GAO; and public witnesses.

HEALTH INSURANCE SOLD BY PRIVATE INSURANCE COMPANIES TO SUPPLEMENT MEDICARE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on health insurance sold by private insurance companies to supplement Medicare. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATURAL GAS DECONTROL ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power approved for full Committee action H.R. 1722, Natural Gas Decontrol Act of 1989.

ACID RAIN LEGISLATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the following: H.R. 1470, Acid Deposition Control Act of 1989; H.R. 144, Acid Rain Abatement Act of 1989; and other proposals for acid rain control. Testimony was heard from Representatives Conte and Boehlert; and public witnesses.

CHILDREN'S TELEVISION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action, H.R. 1677, Children's Television Act of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RECENT INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MEETINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing on Update on Recent International Environmental Meetings. Testimony was heard from William A. Nitze, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Health and Natural Resources, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental Scientific Affairs, Department of State.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met to consider pending business.

AMERICAN HERITAGE TRUST ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 876, American Heritage Trust Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Regula; Michael McElwrath, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Policy and Analysis, Department of the Interior; George Dunlop, Assistant Secretary, Natural Resources and Environment, USDA; and public witnesses.

ASSAULT WEAPONS AND OTHER FIREARMS ISSUES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime continued hearings on legislation relating to assault weapons and other firearms issues (H.R. 128, H.R. 467, H.R. 669, H.R. 825, H.R. 993, H.R. 1190, H.R. 1361, and H. Con. Res. 27). Testimony was heard from Representatives Berman, Wyden and Porter; and public witnesses.

REFUGEE LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on the following: H.R. 1605, Emergency Refugee Act of 1989; and H. Con. Res. 73, expressing the sense of the Congress that the number of refugees admitted to the United States and the appropriation for programs for refugee migration and resettlement should be increased. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gilman, Sikorski and Cardin; Ambassador Jonathan Moore, U.S. Coordinator, Refugee Affairs, Department of State; Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Nancy Kingsbury, Director, Foreign Economic Assistance Issues Division, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held an oversight hearing on the clean-up operation of the

Exxon Valdez oil spill. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary; and Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; Kent Burton, Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Deputy Administrator, NOAA, Department of Commerce; David Olsen, Acting Assistant Director, Wildlife Resources, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Jim Makris, Director, Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, EPA; from the following officials of the State of Alaska: Steve McAlpine, Lt. Gov.; and John Devens, Mayor, City of Valdez; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development approved for full Committee action the Department of Energy authorization for fiscal year 1990.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on the Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from Robert O. Hunter, Director, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy; Richard Setlow, Associate Director, Life Sciences, Brookhaven National Laboratory; David A. Shirley, Director, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory; and Fred Morse, Associate Director, Research, Los Alamos National Laboratory.

Hearings continue April 13.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization. Testimony was heard from Noel W. Hinners, Associate Deputy Administrator (Institution), NASA.

Hearings continue April 11.

TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER IMPLICATIONS OF THE U.S./JAPAN FS-X DEAL

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials, Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight, and the Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a joint hearing on Technology Transfer Implications of the U.S./Japan FS-X Deal. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MONTGOMERY GI BILL

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held a hearing on H.R. 1358, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to the Montgomery GI bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Montgomery and Dornan of California; the following officials of the Department of Defense: Albert V. Conte, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs; Military Personnel Chiefs; Military Reserve Chiefs; and National Guard Chiefs; representatives of both veterans' organizations and military associations.

HEALTH INSURANCE AND THE UNINSURED

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on health insurance and the uninsured. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pease and Sabo; and public witnesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS—ADOPTED CHILDREN AND STEPCHILDREN

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on social security benefits for adopted children and stepchildren. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lancaster and McEwen; Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

IMPROVING THE HEALTH OF THE POOR

Select Committee on Hunger: Held a hearing on "Improving the Health of the Poor: A Development Cornerstone." Testimony was heard from Nyle Brady, Senior Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Science and Technology, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

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Friday, April 7, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Seven bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 727-733, S. Res. 95-97, and S.J. Res. 97.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special report entitled "Legislative and Oversight Activities During the 100th Congress By The Committee on Veterans' Affairs". (S. Rept. No. 101-16)

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Measures Passed:

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 95, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent the Senate, Senators Sanford, Heflin, and Wallop, former Senator Stennis, and a Senate employee in the case of *Candis O. Ray v. United States Senate, et al.*

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Education Day, U.S.A.: Senate passed H.J. Res. 173, designating April 16, 1989, and April 6, 1990, as "Education Day, U.S.A."

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National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 112, designating April 23-29, 1989, and April 23-29, 1990, as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week."

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Authorizing Testimony by Senate Employees: Senate agreed to S. Res. 96, to authorize testimony by two Senate employees in the case of *United States v. Gregory Sitzman, et al.*

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989: Senate continued consideration of S. 4, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Graham Amendment No. 20, to change the rate and effective implementation dates.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, and certain additional amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, April 11.

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Appointments by the Minority Leader: The Minority Leader, in accordance with Public Law 100-690, appointed Senators Cochran and Coats as Members of the National Commission on Drug-Free Schools.

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Authority for Record: Senators were authorized to introduce measures for the Record until 4:30 p.m. today.

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 2:41 p.m., until 4 p.m., on Monday, April 10. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 5846.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Education, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Charles E.M. Kolb, Deputy Under Secretary, Sally H. Christensen, Director, Budget Service, and Robert H. Davidson, Director, Postsecondary Analysis Division, Budget Service, all of the Office of Planning, Budget and Evaluation, James B. Thomas, Jr., Inspector General, Bruno Manno, Acting Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, and Sally K. Kirkgasler, Director, Policy Development Staff, Office of Postsecondary Education, all of the Department of Education.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 10.

NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence concluded hearings to examine environmental priorities for the Nuclear Weapons Complex, after receiving testimony from Keith Fultz, Director, Energy Issues, and William F. Fenzel, and Gary Jones, both Evaluators-in-Charge, all of the Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; and Dan W. Reicher and James D. Werner, both of the Natural Resources Defense Council, Washington, DC.

EARTHQUAKE HAZARDS REDUCTION PROGRAM

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings on S. 629, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program, after receiving testimony from Senator Cranston; Julius W. Becton, Jr., Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Robert L. Ketter, State University of New York at Buffalo; Lacy Suiter, Ten-

nessee Emergency Management Agency, Nashville; and George K. Bernstein, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Expert Review Committee of the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program.

UNITED STATES-CANADA FTA

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade concluded oversight hearings on the implementation of the United States-Canada Free Trade Agreement, focusing on the potential for bilateral arrangements to address United States-Canada trade problems, after receiving testimony from Joshua Bolten, General Counsel and Acting Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; Samuel H. Banks, Assistant Commissioner for Inspection and Control, and Lynn Gordon, Assistant Commissioner for Commercial Operations, both of the U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; Stanley S. Dennison, Coalition for Fair Lumber Imports, Atlanta, Georgia; Laurance G. Broderick, Rivendell Forest Products, Ltd., Englewood, Colorado, on behalf of the Alliance for Enforcement of the Canadian Lumber Export Tax; Robert G. Anderson, American Plywood Association, Tacoma, Washington; Robert J. Muth, ASARCO Incorporated, New York, New York; Don Herzog, Montana Pork Producers Council, Rapelje, on behalf of National Pork Producers Council; and Winston L. Wilson, U.S. Wheat Associates, Inc. Washington, DC.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Bruce S. Gelb, of New York, to be Director of the United States Information Agency, and Joseph Verner Reed, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief of Protocol for the White House, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Gelb was introduced by Senator Moynihan.

PAN AM 103 DISASTER

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations concluded hearings on the U.S. Government response to the Pan Am 103 airline disaster, after receiving testimony from Joan M. Clark, Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs, and Clayton E. McManaway, Associate Coordinator for Counter-Terrorism, both of the Department of State; Monte R. Belger, Associate Administrator for Aviation Standards, and Raymond A. Salazar, Director, Office of Civilian Aviation Security, both of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; and Burt Ammerman, Janine Boulanger, Eleanor Bright, Elizabeth Delude-Dix, Peter Lowenstein, Aphrodite Tsaris, and Doug Garczynski, all family members of victims of the Pan Am 103 disaster.

U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings to review the annual report of the United States Postal Service, receiving testimony from Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General, Michael S. Coughlin, Deputy Postmaster General, Comer S. Coppie, Senior Assistant Postmaster General for Finance, and Lewis A. Cox, General Counsel, all of the U.S. Postal Service.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, April 10.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

Joint Meetings

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for March, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Monday, April 10, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5847-5877

Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 734-738, and S. Res. 98.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on Friday, April 7, during the recess:

Richard Thomas McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development;

United States Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank; United States Alternate Governor of the African Development Fund; and United States Alternate Governor of the Asian Development Bank.

James O. Mason, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Fred M. Zeder II, of New York, to be President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

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Recess: Senate convened at 4 p.m., and recessed at 4:48 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, April 11, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 5877.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT/FOREST SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 17.

APPROPRIATIONS—HHS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Health and Human Services, receiving testimony from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary, and Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General, both of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, April 12.

APPROPRIATIONS—EPA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Environmental Protection Agency, receiving testimony from William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Richard T. McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

DOD QUALITY ASSURANCE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on quality assurance at the Department of Defense, focusing on wasteful spending within the Department which has resulted in the warehousing of defective spare parts, receiving testimony from Derek J. Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General, and Jack Katzen, Assistant Secretary for Production and Logistics, both of the Department of Defense; Brig. Gen. M. J. Pepe, U.S. Army, Defense Logistics Agency; and Maj. Gen. Richard D. Smith, U.S. Air Force, Material Management, Air Force Logistics Command.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SSA's TOLL-FREE TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to examine the impact of the Social Security Administration's new toll-free telephone system on the quality of its service, receiving testimony from Dorcas R. Hardy, Commissioner, Social Security Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Joseph F. Delfico, Director, Income Security Issues, Human Resources Division, General Accounting Office; William Bechill, Save Our Security Coalition, and John N. Sturdivant, American Federation of Government Employees, both of Washington, DC; Katheryn Lippert, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Myra Baillie, San Francisco, California; and Judith Price, Akron, Ohio.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 1746-1760; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 233-235, and H. Res. 123-125 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, amended (H. Rept. 101-17, filed April 6);

H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home (H. Rept. 101-18);

H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri (H. Rept. 101-19);

H.R. 964, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, Alabama, amended (H. Rept. 101-20); and

H.R. 999, to amend the Act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 915), as amended, establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation, amended (H. Rept. 101-21).

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Select Committee on Aging: The Speaker appointed as minority members of the Select Committee on Aging the following Members: Representatives Rinaldo, Hammerschmidt, Regula, Shumway, Snowe, Tauke, Courter, Schneider, Ridge, Smith of New Jersey, Boehlert, Saxton, Bentley, Lightfoot, Fawell, Meyers of Kansas, Blaz, Henry, Schuette, Spence, Clinger, Morella, Saiki, Porter, Duncan, and Stearns.

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Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: The Speaker appointed as minority members of the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control the following Members: Representatives Coughlin, Gilman, Oxley, Parris, Sensenbrenner, Dornan of California, Lewis of Florida, Inhofe, Herger, Shays, and Paxon.

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Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: The Speaker appointed to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence Representative Dornan of California, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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Los Angeles Dodgers Victory: It was made in order to make a technical correction in the engrossment of H. Res. 119, congratulating the Los Angeles Dodgers on the 1988 World Series Victory.

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Committee on House Administration: House agreed to H. Res. 123, establishing the order of minority membership on the Committee on House Administration.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

National emergency regarding Panama: Message wherein he transmits a report on developments since the last Presidential report of October 14, 1988, regarding the national emergency with respect to Panama—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-43); and

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Continuation of Panama emergency: Message wherein he notifies Congress that the national emergency with respect to Panama is to continue in effect

beyond April 8, 1989 and that such notice has been sent to the Federal Register for publication—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-44).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the Office of Assistant Secretary of Health. Testimony was heard from Dr. James F. Dickson III Acting Assistant Secretary, Health, Department of Health and Human Services.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies held a hearing on the FDA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA; and Dr. James F. Dickson III, Acting Assistant Secretary, Health.

FUEL ECONOMY ISSUES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on fuel economy issues and the availability of technologies to gain greater reductions in fuel economy. Testimony was heard from Steven Plotkin, Senior Associate, Office of Technology Assessment.

PAYMENT FOR OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL SURGERY UNDER MEDICARE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to payment for outpatient hospital surgery under Part B of the Medicare program. Testimony was heard from Michael Zimmerman, Director, Medicare and Medicaid Issues, GAO; Kerry Kemp, Study Director, Office of Technology Assessment; Michael Mangano, Assistant Inspector General, Analysis and Inspections, Department of Health and Human Services; J. B. Silvers, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; and public witnesses.

ASSAULT WEAPON IMPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on H.R. 1154, Assault Weapon Import Control Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Stark; Daniel M. Hartnett, Associate Director, Law Enforcement, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5947-6062

Measures Introduced: Twenty-five bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 739-763, S. Res. 99-101, and S.J. Res. 98.

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Measures Passed:

Amending Senate Rule XXV: Senate agreed to S. Res. 100, to amend Paragraph 3(c) of Rule XXV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989: Senate resumed consideration of S. 4, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

By 61 yeas to 39 nays (Vote No. 29), Graham Amendment No. 20, of a perfecting nature.

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Rejected:

By 41 yeas to 58 nays (Vote No. 30), Hatch Amendment No. 21, in the nature of a substitute.

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Pending:

Armstrong Amendment No. 22, to amend title II of the Social Security Act to increase the monthly earnings test limit, and to express the sense of the Congress regarding the phase-out and elimination of such test by the year 2000 for individuals who have attained retirement age.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill, and amendments proposed thereto, on tomorrow.

Appointments by the Presiding Officer:

Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 83-420, as amended by Public Law 99-371, reappointed Senator Inouye to the Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University.

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Membership on Select Committee on Indian Affairs: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to S. Res. 4, 95th Congress, S. Res. 448, 96th Congress, and S. Res. 127, 98th Congress, as amended by S. Res. 100, 101st Congress, appointed Senators Reid and Gorton to the Select Committee on Indian Affairs.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—30)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:13 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, April 12, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 6062.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Richard T. Crowder, of Minnesota, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs and Jack C. Parnell, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Crowder was introduced by Senator Boschwitz, and Mr. Parnell was introduced by Senator Wilson.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Roland R. Vautour, Under Secretary for Small Community and Rural Development, Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, John Marshall, Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Jack Van

Mark, Acting Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, and Robert E. Sherman, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 13.

APPROPRIATIONS—BIB/USIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Malcolm S. Forbes, Jr., Chairman, Board for International Broadcasting; and Marvin L. Stone, Acting Director, United States Information Agency.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 13.

B-2 BOMBER PROGRAM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings on the B-2 Bomber program, receiving testimony from John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; and Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of Air Force for Acquisition.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 13.

APPROPRIATIONS—EPA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; and A. Alan Hill, Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, April 17.

GORBACHEV REFORMS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the implications of Gorbachev's reforms for U.S. and allied security, after receiving testimony from James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress; Ed A. Hewett, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC; and Steven Rosefielde, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support resumed hearings to review the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure for closure of certain military bases, receiving testimony from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations); Robert Rauner, Director, Office of Economic Assistance, Department of Defense; Maj.

Gen. Charles Williams, USA, Director of Management, Office of the Army Chief of Staff; Rear Adm. James Doeblen, USN, Director, Shore Activities Division, Office of Chief of Naval Operations; and Lt. Gen. James McCarthy, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff, Programs and Resources, Headquarters, United States Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GLOBAL CHANGE—OCEANS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study to examine the effects of global climate change on oceans, receiving testimony from B. Kent Burton, Assistant Secretary of for Oceans and Atmosphere, Glenn A. Flittner, Acting Director, Office of Research and Environmental Information, National Marine Fisheries Service, and Alan R. Thomas, Acting Assistant Administrator for Oceanic and Atmospheric Research, all of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; John Wallace, University of Washington, Seattle; Peter Brewer, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute, Woods Hole, Massachusetts; Hugh Ducklow, University of Maryland, Horn Point Environmental Laboratory, Cambridge; and Francis Bretherton, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 20.

AGING AIRCRAFT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings to examine issues related to aging aircraft, after receiving testimony from Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator for Regulation and Certification, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; Clyde Kizer, Air Transport Association of America, Washington, DC; Benjamin A. Cosgrove, Boeing Commercial Airplanes, Seattle, Washington; and Dale S. Warren, McDonnell Douglas Corporation, Long Beach, California.

NASA'S BUDGET

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space resumed hearings to review the President's proposed budget request for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, focusing on space science and applications programs, receiving testimony from Lennard A. Fisk, Associate Administrator, and Kathryn S. Schmoll, Assistant Associate Administrator, both of the Office of Space Science and Applications, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Louis Lanzerotti, Chairman, Space Studies Board, National Research Council of the National Academy of Science; and

Sean Solomon, Association of American Universities, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 17

LINE ITEM VETO

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 14, S.J. Res. 23, and S.J. Res. 31, proposed amendments to the Constitution of the United States to allow the President to veto items of appropriations, after receiving testimony from Senators Dixon, Thurmond, Humphrey, McCain, Byrd, and Hatfield; Representative Edwards; Louis Fisher, Senior American Specialist, Government Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Neal E. Devins, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia; and James Miller, Citizens for a Sound Economy, Lawrence A. Hunter, United States Chamber of Commerce, James Dale Davidson, National Taxpayers Union, Raymond C. Scheppach, National Governors' Association, and Arnold Cantor, AFL-CIO, all of Washington, DC.

SWAP AGREEMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice held hearings on S. 396, to provide protection for the operation of interest rate and currency swap agreements when one of the parties files for bankruptcy relief, receiving testimony from Mark Brickell, Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York, on behalf of the International Swap Dealers Association, John Jerome, Milbank, Tweed, Hadley, and McCloy, and Frank G. Sinatra, Rebound Management Inc., all of New York, New York; and William Perlstein, Wilmer, Cutler and Pickering, and Doug Comer, Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hahn, and Feld, on behalf of the American Bankruptcy Institute, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PENSION PLAN REFORM

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on S. 685, to clarify the applicability of rules relating to fiduciary duties in relation to plan assets of terminated pension plans and to provide for an explicit exception to such rules for employer revisions meeting certain requirements, after receiving testimony from Arthur Wilson, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers, Christiana, Delaware; Morton Bahr, Communications Workers of America, on behalf of the AFL-CIO Subcommittee on Pension Terminations and Reversions, Jack Guildroy, American Association of Retired Persons, Karen Ferguson, Pension Rights Center, Eugene M. Kalwarski, Milliman and Robertson, Inc., and Chester S. Labedz, Jr., Tectron, Inc., on behalf of the ERISA Industry Committee, all of

Washington, DC; and Fred Kelso, Trenton, New Jersey.

NOMINATION

Committee on Small Business: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Susan S. Engeleiter, of Wisconsin, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Ms. Engeleiter, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Kasten and Kohl, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, April 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 42 public bills, H.R. 1761-1802; 1 private bill, H.R. 1803; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 236 and H. Con. Res. 89 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 126, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State (H. Rept. 101-22); and

H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989 (H. Rept. 101-23).

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Late Report: Committees on Appropriations and Foreign Affairs received permission to have until midnight tonight to file reports on H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Roanoke land transfer: H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home;

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Truman Historic Site: H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri;

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Technical corrections: H.R. 964, amended, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain

lands in Lamar County, Alabama). Agreed to amend the title; and

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Historic property preservation: H.R. 999, amended, to amend the Act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat 915), as amended, establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation. Agreed to amend the title.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 2:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing RDT&E, Navy, and on Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles Procurement. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: T.F. Faught, Jr., Assistant Secretary (Research, Engineering and Systems); and VAdm. P.F. McCarthy, Director, Research and Development Requirements, Test and Evaluation, both with the Department of the Navy; and Brig. Gen. William S. Chen, USA, Assistant Deputy for Systems Management, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development and Acquisition).

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Geological Survey. Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Health Care Financing Administration and on the SSA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Louis B. Hays, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration; and Dorcas R. Hardy, Commissioner, SSA.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from Adm. Paul A. Yost, USCG, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation.

NATIONAL PRIORITY LIST SITES

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on the Defense Environmental Restoration account and the status of federal facilities agreements at the Department of Defense National Priority List sites. Testimony was heard from William H. Parker III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation continued hearings on the manpower portions of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on medical staffing priorities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Maj. Gen. Larry D. Dillinghouse, USAF, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; Brig. Gen. Paul E. Landers, Directorate, Manpower and Organization, Deputy Chief of Staff, Programs and Resources; and Lt. Gen. Monte B. Miller, Surgeon General, all with the U.S. Air Force; Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel; Lt. Gen. Frank F. Ledford, Jr., Surgeon General; and Brig. Gen. Josue Robles, Jr., Assistant Director for Operations, all with the U.S. Army; Lt. Gen. John I. Hudson, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower, U.S. Marine Corps; VAdm. Jeremy Michael Boorda, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Manpower, Personnel and Training and Chief of Naval Personnel; VAdm. James A. Zimble, Surgeon General; and Robert Storey, Director, Civilian Manpower Division, all with the Department of the Navy.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance continued markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1722, Natural Gas Decontrol Act of 1989; H.R. 315, amended to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasters afford reasonable opportunity for the discussion of conflicting views on issues of public importance; H.R. 1677, Children's Television Act of 1989; and H.R. 765, amended to establish a commission to make recommendations to the President and Congress to assure a comprehensive national approach to effective, efficient, and expeditious environmental cleanup of contamination resulting from releases of hazardous substances at the Department of Energy facilities.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1602, amended, Trauma Care Systems Planning and Development Act of 1989; and H.R. 1359, to amend title IV of the Medicare Catastrophe Coverage Act of 1988 with respect to the U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care.

FAILURE OF THE TRANSIT CASUALTY COMPANY AND THE ANGLO-AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the failure of the Transit Casualty Company and the Anglo-American Insurance Company. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AID TO THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.

MEAT INSPECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on USDA's Discretionary Inspection Plan for meat and poultry processing plants. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Eduardo S. Delgado, Food Inspector; and Lester M. Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service; and public witnesses.

COAL PIPELINE ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 402, Coal Pipeline Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Manuel Lujan, Secretary of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993; H.R. 775, Public Rangeland Fee Act of 1989; and H.R. 1670, to make permanent the formula for determining fees for the grazing of livestock on public rangelands. Testimony was heard from Representatives Synar, Skeen and Stallings; James Duffus III, Director, Natural Resources Management Issues Resources Division, GAO; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; Roland G. Robison, Deputy Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 13.

**OVERSIGHT—AUTHORIZATION
ANTITRUST DIVISION—DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE**

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held an oversight and authorization hearing into the Antitrust Division, Department of Justice. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 840, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission; and H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration.

FOREIGN RELATIONS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1487, Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1990 and 1991. The rule makes in order the Foreign Affairs Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as original text to be considered by titles, with each title considered as read. Clause 7 of Rule XVI and clause 5(a) of Rule XXI are waived against the substitute. The rule makes it in order to consider en bloc the amendments to the substitute printed in the report accompanying this resolution, if offered by Rep. Dymally of California, or his designee. The amendments are in order although changing portions of the substitute not yet considered for amendment. The amendments are not subject to amendment or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony

was heard from Representatives Dymally and Snowe.

CREATING THE NEW WEALTH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on Creating the New Wealth: National Research and Development Funding in the 1990's. Testimony was heard from William R. Graham, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy; Victor L. Petersen, Director, Aerophysics, Ames Research Center, NASA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

**SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
AT COMMUNITY COLLEGES**

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Science and Technical Education at Community Colleges. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization, with emphasis on commercial programs. Testimony was heard from James T. Rose, Assistant Administrator, Commercial Programs, NASA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 13.

OVERSIGHT—FAA R&D

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held an oversight hearing on FAA R&D, including oversight of Public Law 100-591, Aviation Safety Research Act of 1988. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to graduate medical education and its support under the Medicare program. Testimony was heard from Michael Zimmerman, Director, Medicare and Medicaid Issues, GAO; Dr. Neal Vanselow, Chairman, Council on Graduate Medical Education, Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Philip Lee, Chairman, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

URUGUAY ROUND OF MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on the Uruguay Round of Multilateral Trade Negotiations. Testimony was heard from Carla Anderson Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

CARIBBEAN BASIN ECONOMIC RECOVERY EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade began markup of H.R. 1233, Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Expansion Act of 1989.

WORKING AT THE MARGINS: CHILDREN AND FAMILIES IN RURAL AMERICA; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Working at the Margins: Children and Families in Rural America". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Prior to the hearing, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

Joint Meetings

LIBRARY SERVICES AND CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on Labor and Human Services' Subcommittee on Education Arts, and Humanities held joint hearings with the House Committee on Education and Labor's Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the library services and construction program, receiving testimony from Charles E.M. Kolb, Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, and Anne Matthews, Director, Library Programs, Office of Educational Research and Improvement, both of the Department of Education; F. William Summers, Florida State University, Tallahassee, on behalf of the American Library Association; Gary Strong, California State Library, Sacramento, on behalf of the Chief Officers of State Library Agencies; Sara Parker, Pennsylvania State Library, Harrisburg; R. Earl Beck, Grenada, Mississippi, on behalf of the Mississippi Library Commission; Dorothy Elliott, St. Joseph Public Library, St. Joseph, Missouri; George Abrams, Seneca Nation of Indians, Salamanca, New York; Dale Thompson, Providence Public Library, Providence, Rhode Island; Jane Hatch, S.W. Kansas Library System, Dodge City; and Samuel Morrison, Chicago Public Library, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 764-768, S. Res. 102 and 103, S.J. Res. 99-101, and S. Con. Res. 26.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of child care, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-17)

S. 760, to implement the bipartisan accord of Central America of March 24, 1989, with amendments.

S. 767, to make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988.

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Measures Passed:

Amending Committee Funding Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 103, to amend Senate Resolution 66, agreed to February 28, 1989, and to make certain technical corrections.

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989: By 62 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 39), Senate passed H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 4, as amended, and after taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By 86 yeas to 11 nays (Vote No. 31), Armstrong Amendment No. 22, to amend title II of the Social Security Act to increase the monthly earnings test limit, and to express the sense of the Congress regarding the phase-out and elimination of such test by the year 2000 for individuals who have attained retirement.

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(2) Symms Modified Amendment No. 23, to express the sense of the Senate that the House of Representatives should immediately adopt and send to the Senate a bill to repeal or reform Section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code.

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(3) By unanimous vote of 98 yeas (Vote No. 32), Lott Modified Amendment No. 24 (to Modified Amendment No. 23), expressing the sense of the Senate regarding repeal of Section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code.

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(4) Jeffords Amendment No. 25, to provide for a maximum hour exemption for employees receiving remedial education.

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(5) Jeffords Amendment No. 26, to express the sense of the Senate that the rights and protections of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 should apply to Senate employees and to require the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration to report a Senate resolution that provides such rights and protections.

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(6) By 97 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 33), Boschwitz Amendment No. 27, to express the sense of the Senate regarding working poor families.

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(7) By 97 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 35), Nickles Amendment No. 30, to express the sense of the Senate that the Senate Finance Committee review and hold hearings on Public Law 100-360, the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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(8) Wallop Modified Amendment No. 31, to provide that each committee of the Congress that reports legislation that requires employers to provide new employee benefits or otherwise affecting employment levels and conditions shall seek an objective analysis of the impact of such legislation on employment, economic competitiveness, economic growth, the federal budget and international trade, and include such analysis in the committee report.

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(9) McClure Amendment No. 35, to modify the maximum hour exemption provided for irrigation districts.

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(10) Durenberger Amendment No. 36, to require the Secretary of Labor to conduct a study of the impact of the minimum wage increase on rural areas and high unemployment areas.

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(11) Durenberger Amendment No. 37, to require the Secretary of Labor to promulgate regulations that permit certain computer operators, systems analysts, software engineers, and similarly skilled technical workers to qualify for the professional exemption from the minimum wage requirements.

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(12) Kennedy (for Kerry) Amendment No. 38, to require the Secretary of Labor to conduct certain surveys and research.

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(13) Kennedy Amendment No. 40, to make certain technical corrections.

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(14) Dole Amendment No. 41, to impose a civil penalty for the willful or repeated violation of the minimum wage and maximum hour requirements.

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Rejected:

(1) Nickles Amendment No. 33, to provide that the Davis-Bacon Act shall apply only to a contractor, or subcontractor, whose annual gross volume sales made or business done is not less than \$500,001. (By 61 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 36), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Wallop Amendment No. 34 (to Nickles Amendment No. 33), to provide that the Davis-Bacon Act shall apply only to a contractor, or subcontractor, whose annual gross volume of sales made or business done is not less than \$500,000. (The amendment fell when Amendment No. 33 was tabled.)

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(3) Wallop Amendment No. 39, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act to permit an employee to take compensatory time off in lieu of compensation for overtime hours. (By 66 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 37), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

Nickles Amendment No. 32, to provide that an economic impact statement shall accompany the Conference Report of the Minimum Wage Restoration Act.

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 56 yeas to 42 nays (Vote No. 34), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected a motion to waive sections 303 and 311 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to consideration of Kasten Amendment No. 28, to delay for 1 year the effective date for section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Subsequently, the point of order that the amendment was in violation of the Congressional Budget Act was sustained, and the amendments thus fell.

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By 43 yeas to 56 nays (Vote No. 38), Senate rejected a motion to recommit the bill, with instructions.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate.

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S. 4, Senate companion measure, was subsequently returned to the calendar.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

W. Henson Moore, of Louisiana, to be Deputy Secretary of Energy.

John C. Tuck, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Energy.

Donna R. Fitzpatrick, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Management and Administration. **Page 6231**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Douglas P. Mulholland, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Diane Kay Morales, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy.

John Cameron Monjo, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Indonesia.

Ronald Frank Lehman II, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Thomas Jones Collamore, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Nancy Mohr Kennedy, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Education.

Dale Triber Tate, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Jerry D. Blakemore, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor. **Page 6231**

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the "Judicial Salary Act of 1989"; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (PM-31)

(2) Transmitting the "Government-Wide Ethics Act of 1989"; which was referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM-32) **Page 6171**

Messages From the President: **Page 6171**

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Record Votes: Nine record votes were taken today. (Total—39)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:11 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, April 13.

(For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 6227.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

GATT PROCEEDINGS/AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Domestic and Foreign Marketing and Product Promotion concluded hearings on the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade Proceedings in Geneva as they relate to agriculture, after receiving testimony from Ann M. Veneman, Associate Administrator, and Charles J. O'Mara, Assistant Administrator, International Trade Policy, both of the Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture; and Suzanne Early, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Agriculture, and Warren Lavorel, U.S. Coordinator for Multilateral Trade Negotiations, both of the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative.

CONTRA AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, S. 760, to implement the bipartisan agreement of March 24, 1989 on Central America by providing continued humanitarian assistance to the Nicaraguan Resistance.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Conrad and Daschle; Representative Campbell; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, May 3.

CONTRA AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations concluded hearings on S. 760, to implement the bipartisan agreement of March 24, 1989 on Central America by providing continued humanitarian assistance to the Nicaraguan Resistance, after receiving testimony from James A. Baker, III, Secretary, and Michael Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs, both of the Department of State.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADM./SSA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of

Health and Human Services, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Louis B. Hays, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, and Dorcas R. Hardy, Commissioner, Social Security Administration, both of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—U.S. COAST GUARD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the U.S. Coast Guard, receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—ARCHIVES/ GOVERNMENT ETHICS/FEC

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Claudine J. Weiher, Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration; Frank Q. Nebeker, Director, Office of Government Ethics, Office of Personnel Management; and Lee Ann Elliott, Vice Chairman, Federal Election Commission. Testimony was also received on behalf of the National Archives and Records Administration from Senator Sarbanes.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, April 14.

AVIATOR CAREER INCENTIVE PAY PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel concluded hearings on S. 653, to revise and improve the aviator career incentive pay program, and to extend through fiscal year 1992 the aviator retention bonus program, after receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Donald W. Jones, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Manpower and Personnel Policy; Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, USA, Deputy Chief of Army Staff for Personnel; Vice Adm. Mike Boorda, USN, Chief of Naval Personnel; Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, USAF, Deputy Chief of Air Force Staff for Personnel; and Lt. Gen. J.I. Hudson, USMC, Deputy Chief of Marine Corps Staff for Personnel.

BASE CLOSURES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support continued hearings to review the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure for closure of certain military bases, receiving testimony from Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General for Na-

tional Security and International Affairs, General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to recall.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, in lieu of S. 413.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Elaine L. Chao, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Transportation, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Wilson, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

EDUCATIONAL TV

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings to examine the influence of educational television on the intellectual development of children, after receiving testimony from Joseph Duffey and Daniel R. Anderson, both of the University of Massachusetts, Amherst; P. David Pearson, University of Illinois (Urbana), Champaign, Illinois; Shirley A. Hill, Mathematical Sciences Education Board, Prairie Village, Kansas; David A. Hamburg, Carnegie Corporation of New York, David V.B. Britt, Children's Television Workshop, and LeVar Burton, Lancit Media Productions, Ltd., all of New York, New York; Aletha C. Huston, University of Kansas, Lawrence, on behalf of the Center for Research on the Influence of Television on Children; and Edward L. Palmer, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of W. Henson Moore, of Louisiana, to be Deputy Secretary of Energy, John C. Tuck, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Energy, and Donna R. Fitzpatrick, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Management and Administration.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Henry E. Catto, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and Vernon A. Walters, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr.

Catto was introduced by Senators Bentsen and Gramm.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, receiving testimony from Robert H. Legvold, Columbia University, New York, New York; Uri Ra'anani, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Dimitri K. Simes, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington, DC; S. Frederick Starr, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio; John B. Dunlop, Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace, Stanford, California; Donald Horowitz, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina; Nancy Lubin, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and Walker Connor, Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 19.

RICO/FEDERAL LABOR POLICY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded hearings to examine the racketeering suit against the Teamsters Union and the government's use of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) Act (P.L. 91-542), to impose trusteeships on labor unions and other business entities, after receiving testimony from Raymond Maria, Deputy Inspector General, and Richard G. Hunsucker, Director of Elections, Trusteeships and International Union Audits, Office of Labor-Management Standards, both of the Department of Labor; Edward S.G. Dennis, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, and Floyd I. Clarke, Executive Assistant Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, both of the Department of Justice; and Lane Kirkland and Larry Gold, both of the American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO), Washington, DC.

CABLE TELEVISION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Monopolies and Business Rights held hearings on competitive problems in the cable television industry, focusing on proposed legislation to redefine effective competition in a manner that will enable cities to regulate cable rates when it comes to obtaining multi-channel video programming, and proposed legislation to require vertically integrated cable companies to make programming available for purchase by competing technologies on fair terms, receiving testimony from Mayor Thomas J. Volgy, Tucson, Arizona, on behalf of the U.S. Conference of Mayors and the National League of Cities; Mayor Pro-Tem Saul Ramirez, Laredo, Texas; Gene Kimmelman, Consumer Federation of America; James P. Mooney, National Cable Television Association;

Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters; Preston R. Padden, Association of Independent Television Stations, Inc., and Robert L. Schmidt, Wireless Cable Association, all of Washington, DC; and Gerald M. Levin, Time, Inc., and Janusz A. Ordover, New York University, both of New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held hearings on S. 7, S. 56, S. 137, S. 242, S. 326, S. 330, S. 332, S. 359, and S. 597, bills to provide for Federal and Congressional campaign finance reform, receiving testimony from Senators Byrd, Mitchell, Boren, Dole, Packwood, McConnell, Shelby, and Reid.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 20.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met to hear arguments on pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings from Representatives Bryant and Gekas, on behalf of the House Managers; and Terence Anderson, Counsel to Judge Hastings.

Also, committee met in closed session to deliberate on the issues raised by the House Managers and Judge Hastings' counsel.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 58 public bills, H.R. 1804-1861; 1 private bill, H.R. 1862; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 90, and H. Res. 127 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 118, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress (H. Rept. 101-24); and

H. Res. 127, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989 (H. Rept. 101-25).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Foley to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 298 yeas to 99 nays, Roll No. 19, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, April 11.

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Department of State Authorization: By a recorded vote of 338 ayes to 87 noes, Roll No. 24, the House passed H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

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Agreed to the Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Dymally en bloc amendment that provides for a compensation program for United States citizens injured by criminals with diplomatic immunity; establishes hiring preferences for United States citizens by overseas local guard programs run by the Bureau of Diplomatic Security; earmarks \$100,000 of existing funds for a United States Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations; requires a pilot program assisting economically and socially disadvantaged businesses; and requires a bi-annual State Department report dealing with the Palestine Liberation Organization;

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The Dymally technical amendments;

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The Kasich amendment that prevents the Department of State from providing housing allowances, differential payments, provision of housing or other comparable benefits for Department of State diplomatic/consular employees abroad, except for ambassadors, deputy chiefs of missions, counsellors, or senior representatives of any agency other than the State Department;

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The Kasich en bloc amendment that requires the State Department and the United States Information Agency to use private collection agencies for collecting debts owed to them by individuals and companies and to refer delinquent debt information to private credit bureaus;

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The Richardson amendment that prohibits funds to be obligated for any United States delegation to any meeting of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe (CSCE) unless the United States delegation to such a meeting includes representatives of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe;

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The Richardson amendment that requires the Secretary to form a task force to study the recruitment and promotion of Hispanic Americans at the State Department; provides for the submission of a report to Congress regarding efforts of the State Department to improve the percentage of individuals who

are at the assistant secretary and head of bureau level from underrepresented groups; requires the Secretary to contract for a private study of the foreign service examination for review and evaluation; and authorizes the Secretary of State to establish a foreign service fellowship program at the State Department, targeted for faculty at minority institutions of higher education;

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The Smith of New Jersey amendment that provides for the establishment of a program by the United States Information Agency for dissemination of information to other countries on ways to reduce global warming;

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The Kolbe amendment that requires that the Secretary of State report to Congress within 90 days of the date of enactment on the relationship between the United States and Mexico, focusing on various political, cultural, economic, and demographic issues regarding the two countries;

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The Regula amendment that places the sole responsibility for the management of all aspects of the United States relationship with the Organization of American States under the jurisdiction of the Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs;

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The Solomon amendment that provides for the withholding of the payment of the United States assessment for the United Nations peacekeeping activity in Angola unless all three parties to the Tripartite Agreement in Angola (Cuba, Angola, and South Africa), including the Secretary General of the United Nations, certify that all Cuban troops are being withdrawn from Angola according to the stipulations of that agreement;

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The Solarz amendment that requires a report to Congress on voting practices in the United Nations in order to provide more information on consensus voting and statistics on absences and abstentions;

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The Solomon en bloc amendment that provides for continued participation of the President and the Congress in the budget decisionmaking procedures of the United Nations;

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The Solomon amendment that prohibits expending obligated United States funds to the United Nations during any period for which an individual who has been expelled from another country for activities inconsistent with their diplomatic status, is admitted to the United States and accredited to serve as a representative to the United Nations;

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The Traficant amendment that provides for the award of contracts to domestic firms by the Secre-

tary and the Department, if the public interest so requires; if the final product produced will be assembled in the United States; if not less than 50 percent of the completed product was domestically produced, and if the difference between the bids of foreign and domestic firms is not more than 6 percent;

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The Gilman amendment that promotes continued United States Information Agency funding of scholarships at United States universities for Tibetans living in exile, which funding is to be maintained at least its current level; and

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The Snowe amendment, as amended by the Berman amendment, that reduces the total amounts authorized for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 to be each reduced by \$125,000,000, and expresses the sense of Congress concerning the funding of certain accounts and programs (agreed to by a recorded vote of 372 ayes to 56 noes, Roll No. 23).

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Rejected:

The Kanjorski amendment that sought to limit funding for the National Endowment for Democracy for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 to last year's funding level (rejected by a recorded vote of 209 ayes to 216 noes, Roll No. 21); and

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The Roth amendment that sought to prohibit use of funds to create an additional assistant secretary position or the establishment of a new bureau within the Department of State (rejected by a division vote of 88 ayes to 168 noes).

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The Clerk was authorized to make necessary technical and clerical corrections in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 126, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 330 yeas to 91 nays, Roll No. 20.

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Base Realignment and Closure: House consumed eight hours of debate on H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and Closure; but came to no resolution thereon. When consideration resumes on Tuesday, April 18, two hours of debate time will remain.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

Government-wide ethics: Message wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled the "Government-wide Ethics Act of 1989"—referred to the Committees on House Administration, Post Office and Civil Service, Judiciary, Ways and Means, Armed Services, and Rules and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-45); and

Judicial salaries: Message wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled the "Judicial Salary Act of 1989"—referred to the Committees on Post Office and Civil Service and Judiciary and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-46).

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call, two yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 6232, 6240, 6279, 6288, 6291, 6292.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AID TO THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Special Programs. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Indian Education, and on the Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation Commission. Testimony was heard from Daniel F. Bonner, Acting Assistant Secretary, Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education; and the following officials of the Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation Commission: Halley Atkinson; Ralph Watkins; and Sandra Massetto, all commissioners.

**LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Family Support Administration, and on the Assistant Secretary for Human Development. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Catherine Bertini, Acting Assistant Secretary, Family Support Services; and Robert E. Stovenour, Director, Office of Management Services.

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE
AND RELATED AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on Federal Highway Administration. Testimony was heard from Richard D. Morgan, Executive Director, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation.

**TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL
GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the Office of National Drug Control Policy. Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, National Drug Control Policy.

**VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the Department of Veterans Affairs. Testimony was heard from Edward J. Derwinski, Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Crotone Air Base, Italy. Testimony was heard from Ambassador John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and NATO Policy, Department of Defense.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portions of the fiscal years 1990/1991 de-

fense authorization, with emphasis on quality of life in the military. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Donald W. Jones, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Military Manpower and Personnel Policy); Barbara Spyridon Pope, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Family Support, Education and Safety); Sgt. Maj. Julius W. Gates, Department of the Army; Master Chief Machinist Mate Lewis M. Sikes, Jr., Fleet Master Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet, Department of the Navy; Chief Master Sgt. James C. Binnicker, Department of the Air Force; and Sgt. Maj. David W. Somers, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue April 18.

**FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM,
RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT**

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance continued markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

**CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL
EDUCATION ACT**

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education approved for full Committee action H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995.

**CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY
IMPROVEMENT ACT**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1762, Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 1989.

**UNISYS COMPUTERS AND RELATED
SOFTWARE**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing regarding the Army National Guard's procurement of up to \$40 million worth of Unisys computers and related software. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the National Guard: Lt. Gen. Herbert Temple; and Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick; and public witnesses.

**SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT
AMENDMENTS**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials concluded hearings on H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the ap-

plication of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities. Testimony was heard from Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; Leo P. Duffy, Special Assistant to the Secretary, Coordination of DOE Waste Management, Department of Energy; William H. Parker, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Environment), Department of Defense; Donald A. Carr, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Land and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; Thomas C. Jorling, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of New York; Arthur A. Davis, Secretary, Department of Environmental Resources, State of Pennsylvania; Richard L. Shank, Director, Environmental Protection Agency, State of Ohio; Thaddeus B. Wester, Deputy State Health Director, Department of Human Resources/Division of Health Services, State of North Carolina; and public witnesses.

HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES IN ANGOLA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on new reports of human rights violations in the Angolan Civil War. Testimony was heard from Gibson Lanpher, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal years 1990–1991.

FOREIGN AID REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved for full Committee action amended the following: selected portions of the Foreign Aid reauthorization legislation (including OPIC, Bureau for Private Enterprise, Trade and Development Program, Housing Guarantee Program, and Public Law 480); and funding for the Bureau of Export Administration.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported H. Res. 118, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the 101st Congress.

OIL SPILL INVESTIGATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met and agreed to a motion to authorize the issuance of subpoenas in the conduct of an investigation concerning the March 24, 1989 oil spill in Prince William Sound, Alaska, operations of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System, and associated matters.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on Copyright Office Report on Copyright Liability of States, and on H.R. 1131, Copyright Remedy Clarification Act. Testimony was heard from Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress.

FLOW OF ILLEGAL DRUGS INTO THE U.S. FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on the efforts of the U.S. Government to reduce the flow of illegal drugs into the U.S. from foreign countries. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: John C. Lawn, Administrator, DEA; and Anthony E. Daniels, Acting Assistant Director, Criminal Investigative Division, FBI; and Ann Wroblewski, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State.

OVERSIGHT—AUTHORIZATION ANTITRUST DIVISION—DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law concluded oversight and authorization hearings into the Antitrust Division, Department of Justice. Testimony was heard from Charles F. Rule, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1223, to reauthorize appropriations to carry out the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Marine Fisheries Program Authorization Act through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 1224, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act through fiscal year 1992; and H.R. 1225, amended, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 through fiscal year 1992.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 20, amended, Federal Employees Political Activities Act of 1989; H.R. 770, amended, Family and Medical Leave Act of 1989; H.R. 1149, to allow Members of Congress to use the franking privilege to disseminate copies of the Constitution of the United States; H.R. 1385, Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission Extension Act; and H.R. 481, amended, to designate the building located at 2566 Hylan Boule-

vard, Staten Island, NY, as the "Walter Edward Grady United States Post Office."

The Committee also adopted policies concerning commemorative legislation.

POSTAL SERVICE'S DRUG TESTING PROGRAM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held an oversight hearing on the Postal Service's drug testing program. Testimony was heard from Joel S. Trosch, Assistant Postmaster General, Employee Relations Department, U.S. Postal Service; and public witnesses.

NATION'S WETLANDS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources held a hearing on the status of our Nation's wetlands and laws related thereto, and to review the report of the National Wetlands Policy Forum of the Conservation Foundation. Testimony was heard from William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA; John S. Doyle, Jr., Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; and public witnesses.

AID TO THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 4 hours of debate on H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989, to be equally divided and controlled by Representative Foley and Representative Michel, or their designees. All points of order against the bill and against its consideration are waived. No amendment to the bill is in order except the amendments recommended by the Appropriations Committee, which may be offered en bloc. The amendments are debatable for 10 minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations, or their designees. All points of order against the amendments are waived. The amendments are not subject to amendment or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions, only if offered by Representative Michel, or his designee, which is debatable for 20 minutes. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fascell and Representatives Obey, Foglietta, Broomfield, and Edwards of Oklahoma.

CREATING THE NEW WEALTH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Concluded hearings on Creating the New Wealth: National Re-

search and Development Funding in the 1990's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RECENT FLIGHT IN SPACE

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on the presentation of the STS-29 Crew on Their Recent Flight in Space. Testimony was heard from the following crew members of the STS-29 flight: Capt. Michael L. Coats, USN, Mission Commander; Col. John E. Blaha, USAF, Pilot; Col. James F. Buchli, USMC, Mission Specialist 1; and Dr. James P. Bagian, Mission Specialist 3.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology approved for full Committee action amended the following: H.R. 94, Hotel and Motel Fire Safety Act of 1989; and Science and Engineering Education legislation.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials concluded oversight hearings on FAA R&D, including oversight of P.L. 100-591, Aviation Safety Research Act of 1988). Testimony was heard from Victor Rezendes, Associate Director, Transportation, GAO; and Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY DEVELOPMENT REFORM ACT TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Small Business: Ordered reported H.R. 1764, to make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988.

Prior to this action, the Committee met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 901, Veterans' Health-Care Programs Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 1199, Veterans Nurse Pay Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Dr. John Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, Veterans Health Services and Research Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans organizations and public witnesses.

REVENUE PROPOSALS CONTAINED IN THE ADMINISTRATION'S BUDGET

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing to review the revenue proposals of the Administration's budget for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Met for organizational purposes.

Joint Meeting

ECONOMICS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to discuss economic issues, after receiving testimony from Lawrence Klein, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Thirty-five bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 769-803, S. Res. 104-106, S.J. Res. 102, and S. Con. Res. 27.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Report to the Senate on the Activities of the Committee on Environment and Public Works for the One Hundredth Congress." (S. Rept. No. 101-18)

S. 774, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies. (S. Rept. No. 101-19)

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Measures Passed:

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 104, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as *amicus curiae* in the name of the Senate in *United States ex rel. Truong v. Northrop Corp.*, *United States ex rel. Stillwell v. Hughes Helicopters, Inc.*, *et al.*, and *United States ex rel. Hyatt v. Northrop Corp.*

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Senate Arms Control Observer Group: Senate agreed to S. Res. 105, reconstituting and reauthorizing the Senate Arms Control Observer Group.

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Senate Central American Negotiations Observer Group: Senate agreed to S. Res. 106, to reestablish a Senate Central American Negotiations Observer Group.

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Implementation of Bipartisan Accord on Central America: By 89 yeas to 9 nays (Vote No. 44), Senate passed H.R. 1750, to implement the bipartisan accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.

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Implementation of Bipartisan Accord on Central America: Senate considered S. 760, to implement the bipartisan accord on Central America of March 24, 1989, agreeing to committee amendments (with excepted committee Amendment No. 3, which was withdrawn), and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Rejected:

(1) Armstrong Amendment No. 43, to expand the definition of humanitarian assistance by allowing humanitarian aid to be used for verification and compliance of Sandinista democratization reforms. (By 70 yeas to 28 nays (Vote No. 40), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Wallop Amendment No. 44, to provide that not less than \$1,000,000 shall be made available only for the promotion of democratic activities in Nicaragua leading to a transition to democracy. (By 72 yeas to 26 nays (Vote No. 41), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 45, to provide non-lethal assistance to the Nicaraguan democratic resistance. (By 73 yeas to 25 nays (Vote No. 42), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 46, to assure full implementation of the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24 1989. (By a unanimous vote 98 yeas (Vote No. 43), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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The bill, S. 760, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Bruce S. Gelb, of New York, to be Director of the United States Information Agency.

Richard T. McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs.

Vernon A. Walters, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Henry E. Catto, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Four Foreign Service Officer's promotion lists.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Ivan Selin, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of State for Management.

Michel Rucker Darby, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

Rufus Hawkins Yerxa, of the District of Columbia, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative.

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—44)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 9:33 p.m., until 2:30 p.m., on Monday, April 17, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 6645.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for agriculture and rural development programs, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 18.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, receiving testimony from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, April 19.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings to review commander-in-chief posture for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Gen. Frederick F. Woerner, Commander-in-chief, U.S. Southern Command; and Gen. James J. Lindsay, Commander-in-chief, U.S. Special Operations Forces.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 18.

APPROPRIATIONS—HHS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Health and Human Services, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Catherine Bertini, Acting Assistant Secretary, Family Support Administration, and Robert Stovenour, Director, Office of Management Services, Office of Human Development Services, both of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Legislative Branch held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Walter J. Stewart, Secretary of the Senate; Henry K. Giugni, Senate Sergeant at Arms; and Robert D. Reischauer, Director, Congressional Budget Office.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 18.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings on aviation security issues, focusing on the bombing of Pan Am flight 103, recent security initiatives by the Federal Aviation Administration, and the need for legislation to enhance aviation security efforts at domestic and foreign airports, after receiving testimony from Senators Lautenberg and D'Amato; Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation, and Monte Belger, Associate Administrator for Aviation Standards, and Raymond A. Salazar, Director of Civil Aviation Security, both of the Federal Aviation Administration, all of the Department of Transportation; Clayton E. McManaway, Jr., Associate Coordinator for Counterterrorism, and Michael M. Mahoney, Director, Citizens Emergency Center, both

of the Department of State; Richard F. Lally, Air Transport Association of America, Washington, DC; Michael J. Kutchins, San Antonio, Texas, representing the American Association of Airport Executives; and Paul Hudson and Brian Barry, Albany, New York, both representing the victims of Pan Am flight 103.

U.S. ELECTRICITY SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings to examine the supply and demand for electricity in the United States during the remainder of the 20th century, focusing on shortages in the Northeast Region, receiving testimony from W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary of Energy; Peter A. Bradford, New York State Public Service Commission, and William E. Davis, New York State Energy Office, both of Albany; Richard M. Flynn, New York Power Authority, New York, New York; and George W. Edwards, Jr., The United Illuminating Company, New Haven, Connecticut, on behalf of the Edison Electric Institute and the New England Power Pool.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Bruce S. Gelb, of New York, to be Director of the United States Information Agency, Richard T. McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs, and to be U.S. Alternate Governor of the International Bank of Reconstruction and Development, Inter-American Development Bank, African Development Bank, U.S. Alternate Governor of the African Development Fund and Asian Development Bank, Vernon A. Walters, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, Henry E. Catto, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and four foreign service officer's promotion lists.

Also, committee failed to approve for reporting S.J. Res. 82, disapproving the certification by the President with respect to Mexico under section 481(h) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; and began consideration of S.J. Res. 100, disapproving the certification by the President with respect to the Bahamas under section 481(h) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Michael H. Armacost, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Japan, and James R. Lilley, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to

the People's Republic of China, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of William P. Barr, of Virginia, to be Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; and

S. 593, to exempt from the antitrust laws any joint discussion, consideration, review, action, or agreement among certain television industry executives pursuant to the development and dissemination of voluntary guidelines designed to alleviate the negative impact of violence in telecast material, with amendments.

IMPACT OF SEC. 89 (IRS) ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings to review the impact on small business of section 89 of the Tax Reform Act of 1986 which encourages employers to provide health and life insurance benefits to their employees, after receiving testimony from Senator Symms; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Office of Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Ann Houle, League of Minnesota Cities, St. Paul; Terry Neese, Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Oklahoma City, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, Small Business Council; Reed Stigen, Charles Bailly and Company, Moorhead, Minnesota, representing the Minnesota Society of Certified Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; Valerie Hansen, Big Buck Building Centers, Racine, Wisconsin, representing the Small Business Legislative Council and the National Lumber and Building Materials Dealers Association; James Lagos, Lagos and Lagos, Springfield, Ohio, representing the National Small Business United; William McGehee, Spurling Fire and Burglar Alarm, Fort Smith, Arkansas, representing the National Federation of Independent Business; Ron Morris, True Oil, Casper, Wyoming; and Earlyn Church, Superior Technical Ceramics Corporation, St. Albans, Vermont, representing the National Association of Manufacturers.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, April 18.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued in closed session to deliberate on the pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hast-

ings raised by the House Managers and Judge Hastings' Counsel.

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Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 135 public bills, H.R. 1863–1997, and 2001; 3 private bills, H.R. 1998–2000; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 237–242, H. Con. Res. 91–95, and H. Res. 128 and 129 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1385, to make permanent the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission (H. Rept. 101–26);

H.R. 20, to amend title 5, United States Code, to restore to Federal civilian employees their right to participate voluntarily, as private citizens, in the political processes of the Nation, and to protect such employees from improper political solicitations, amended (H. Rept. 101–27); and

H.R. 770, to entitle employees to family leave in certain cases involving a birth, an adoption, or a serious health condition and to temporary medical leave in certain cases involving a serious health condition, with adequate protection of the employees' employment and benefit rights, and to establish a commission to study ways of providing salary replacement for employees who take any such leave, amended (H. Rept. 101–28).

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Nicaraguan Resistance Humanitarian Assistance: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 309 yeas to 110 nays, Roll No. 27, the House passed H.R. 1750, to implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.

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Rejected the Dornan of California motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report it back forthwith containing an amendment to continue humanitarian assistance to the Nicaraguan Resistance through February 28, 1990, unless a law is enacted requiring the termination of assistance, and to provide procedures for consideration of military assistance if free and fair elections are not held in Nicaragua as scheduled (rejected by a recorded vote of 94 ayes to 329 noes, Roll No. 26).

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Agreed to the Appropriations Committee amendments en bloc.

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H. Res. 127, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call, one ye-a-and-nay vote, and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 6416, 6423, 6424.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TONGASS TIMBER MANAGEMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1368, Tongass Timber Management Act.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Weapons and Other Procurement, Navy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: RAdm. S.F. Loftus, USN, Director, Budget and Reports; and RAdm. G.N. Gee, USN, Director, Surface Combat Systems Divisions.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Operation and Maintenance, Air Force, and on Operation and Maintenance, Defense Agencies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Brig. Gen. John L. Finan, USAF, Director, Budget, Operations Office of the Comptroller of the Air Force; Derek Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General; and William H. Reed, Director, Defense Contract Audit Agency.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the following: Office of Secretary; Office of Solicitor; and on the Inspector General. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Interior: Rick Ventura, Assistant Secretary, Policy Budget and Administration; Ralph W. Tarr, Solicitor; and James R. Richards, Inspector General.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on Health and Human Services Departmental Management. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dennis

P. Williams, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget; Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General; and Edward Mercado, Acting Director, Office for Civil Rights.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Testimony was heard from Howard M. Smolkin, Managing Director, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government held a hearing on the OMB. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies concluded hearings on the Department of Veterans' Affairs. Testimony was heard from Anthony J. Principi, Deputy Secretary, Department of Veterans' Affairs.

NUCLEAR WEAPONS REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel met in executive session to hold a hearing on nuclear weapons requirements. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Nuclear Weapons Council: Robert C. Duncan, Chairman; Gen. Robert Herres; and Troy E. Wade, both members.

CHILD CARE IMPROVEMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation held a hearing on H.R. 1277, to improve the availability, management, quality, and safety of child care for members of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Barbara Pope, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Family Support, Education and Safety); Karen Keesling, Assistant Secretary, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, Department of the Air Force; Kenneth Bergquist, Assistant Secretary, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, Department of the Navy; and Judy Ann Miller,

Deputy Assistant Secretary (Civilian Personnel Policy, Nonappropriated Funds and Security Policy), Department of the Army.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulations and Insurance approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1502, to authorize the appropriation of funds for the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia, Marion S. Barry, Mayor; Maurice T. Turner, Jr., Chief of Police; and David A. Clarke, Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on Round 1 of the Clean Coal Technology Program. Testimony was heard from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; and Keith Fultz, Director, Energy Issues Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO.

FUTURE OF U.S.-JAPAN SECURITY COOPERATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science, Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on the Future of U.S.-Japan Security Cooperation. Testimony was heard from William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; and Adm. Timothy W. Wright, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Security Affairs, East Asia and Pacific Affairs, Department of Defense.

EUROPE 1992: PRODUCT STANDARDS AND TESTING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a joint hearing on Europe 1992: Product Standards and Testing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ECONOMIC AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN; NICARAGUA AND THE UNITED STATES: A NEW ERA?

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs approved for full Committee action recommendations on Economic and Military Assistance for Latin America and the Caribbean for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Nicaragua and the United States: A New Era? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held an oversight hearing on problems and procedures of the investigation and prosecution of Federal crimes on Indian reservation and on H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of Interior law enforcement services. Testimony was heard from W.P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Bob Ricks, Deputy Assistant Director, FBI; and Philip N. Hogen, U.S. Attorney, District of South Dakota.

OVERSIGHT—OIL SPILL DAMAGE TO NATIONAL PARKS IN ALASKA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on oil spill damage to National Parks in Alaska. Testimony was heard from Boyd Evison, Regional Director, Alaska Regional Office, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 536, to amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, to allow claims against the United States under that chapter for damages arising from certain negligent medical care provided members of the Armed Forces; and H.R. 972, amended, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to

settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

The Subcommittee also discussed H.R. 650, State and Local Law Enforcement Compensation Act.

UNDERWATER RESEARCH

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on Unprecedented Application of State of the Art Communication and Robotics Technology to Underwater Research. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

PANAMA CANAL REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal/Outer Continental Shelf approved for full Committee action H.R. 1763, to authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1990 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal.

POSTAL REORGANIZATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services approved for full Committee action H.R. 982, Postal Reorganization Act Amendments of 1989.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization, with emphasis on Technology Spin-Offs. Testimony was heard from Representative Watkins; the following officials of NASA: James T. Rose, Assistant Administrator, Commercial Programs; Robert Savely, Chief, Artificial Intelligence Section, Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center; James Larimer, Chief, Human Interface Research Branch; Lennard Haslim, Project Manager; and Paul Kutler, Chief, Fluid Dynamics Division, all with Ames Research Center; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 18.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs held a hearing on DVA National Cemetery System, Arlington National Cemetery and the American Battle Monuments Commission. Testimony was heard from Arthur S. Hammerschlag, Deputy Director, National Cemetery System, Department of Veterans Affairs; Raymond J. Costanzo, Superintendent, Arlington National Cemetery; Maj. Gen. A.J. Adams, Secretary, American Battle Monuments Commission; repre-

sentatives of veterans' organizations; and public witnesses.

HEALTH CARE SERVICES FOR AGING VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on health care services for aging veterans. Testimony was heard from Representative Florio; Dr. Daniel H. Winship, Associate Deputy Chief Medical Director, Programs and Operations, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans organizations; and public witnesses.

REVENUE PROPOSALS CONTAINED IN THE ADMINISTRATION'S BUDGET

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings to review the revenue proposals of the Administration's budget for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from Representative Wyden, Morrison of Washington, Callahan, and Thomas of Georgia; William J. Flaherty, Director, Department of Administrative Services, State of Ohio; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENT: WHAT WORKS

Select Committee on Hunger: International Task Force held a hearing on "Development: What Works". Testimony was heard from Leonard H. Robinson, Jr., President, African Development Foundation; Dr. E. Samba, Director, Onchocerciasis Control Program, World Health Organization; and public witnesses.

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Monday, April 17, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twelve bills were introduced, as follows: S. 804-815.

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Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act: Senate began consideration of S. 774, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill on tomorrow.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Alan Charles Raul, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Agriculture.

Paul Dundes Wolfowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

Peter F. Secchia, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to Italy.

Twenty-nine Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Air Force and Marine Corps nominations.

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989—Conferees: The Chair, under authority granted Wednesday, April 12, 1989, appointed Senators Kennedy, Metzenbaum, Simon, Hatch, and Jeffords as conferees on the part of the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:30 p.m., and recessed at 6:32 p.m., until 8:30 a.m., on Tuesday, April 18, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 6757.)

Committee Meetings

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CRIME AND DRUG CRISIS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia resumed oversight hearings on the crime and drug crisis in the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Jay B. Stephens, U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia; and Mayor Marion S. Barry, Jr., Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AFRICA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on Africa and Southern Africa, receiving testimony from Allison Rosenberg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; and Walter Bollinger, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Africa, Agency for International Development.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOSSIL ENERGY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for fossil energy programs, receiving testimony from James A. Wampler, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Fossil Energy.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, April 19.

APPROPRIATIONS—HHS

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, April 14, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Health and Human Services, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from James F. Dickson III, Acting Assistant Secretary for Health, and Walter W. Dowdle, Acting Director, Centers for Disease Control, both of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 18.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, April 14, committee concluded hearings, in open and closed sessions, on developments in the international security environment and their implications for U.S. security requirements, after receiving testimony from Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., USN, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

SCENIC BYWAYS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: On Friday, April 14, Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism concluded hearings on the importance of scenic byways to national tourism, and a proposed National Scenic Byways Program to identify, protect, and enhance the nation's scenic roads, after receiving testimony from Representatives Oberstar and Vucanovich; F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Derrick A. Crandall, American Recreation Coalition, Lester P. Lamm, Highway Users Federation, and J. Jackson Walter, National Trust for Historic Preservation, all of Washington, DC; William H. Whyte, on behalf of Scenic America, New York, New York; John Archer, American Automobile Association, Falls Church, Virginia; O.L. Moore, West Virginia Recreation Vehicles Association, Nitro; and Steve Richer, Nevada Commission on Tourism, Carson City.

DOE—FERC MEMBERSHIP TERMS/NEW POSITION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 388, to provide for 5-year staggered terms for members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, and S. 389, to establish the

position of Assistant Secretary of Energy for Natural Gas, after receiving testimony from John C. Tuck, Under Secretary of Energy; Catherine Cook, General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy; Nicholas Bush, Natural Gas Supply Association, George Lawrence, American Gas Association, Danny Conklin, Independent Petroleum Association of America, Vernon Jones, The Williams Companies, Inc., on behalf of the Interstate Natural Gas Association of America, Patrick Raffaniello, Southwest Energy Resource Foundation, Charles Curtis, Van Ness, Feldman, Sutcliffe & Curtis, and Sally Katzen, Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering, on behalf of the American Bar Association Section on Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice, all of Washington, DC; and Robert Light, New Mexico State Legislature, Carlsbad.

PETROLEUM PRODUCT PRICES

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Regulation and Conservation concluded oversight hearings to examine recent increases in petroleum product prices since the Valdez oil spill, after receiving testimony from Senators Cranston and Bryan; Representative Bates; California State Controller Gray Davis, Sacramento; W. Henson Moore, Secretary of Energy; Joe T. McMillan, Exxon Company, USA, Houston, Texas; John H. Lichtblau, Petroleum Industry Research Foundation, Inc., New York, New York; Edwin S. Rothschild, Citizen/Labor Energy Coalition, Washington, DC; Tracy Stanton, Bexley, Ohio, on behalf of the Service Station Dealers of America; and Tom Potter, Tom Potter Oil Company, Moorehead City, North Carolina and Phillip R. Chisholm, Washington, DC, both on behalf of the Petroleum Marketers Association of America.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: On Friday, April 14, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William G. Rosenberg, of Michigan, to be Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation, Environmental Protection Agency, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Levin, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Reginald Bartholomew, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, April 14, committee concluded hearings on the nominations

of Paul D. Coverdell, of Georgia, to be Director of the Peace Corps, and Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to Argentina, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Coverdell was introduced by Senators Nunn and Fowler, and Mr. Todman was introduced by Representative de Lugo. Testimony was also received on the nomination of Mr. Coverdell from Timothy Carroll, National Council of Returned Peace Corps Volunteers, Washington, DC.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT CONTRACTING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: On Friday, April 14, committee concluded oversight hearings to review Indian participation in government procurement contracting, after receiving testimony from Horace J. Crouch, Director, Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, Department of Defense, on behalf of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition; Johnnie L. Albertson, Deputy Associate Administrator for Minority Small Business and Capital Ownership Development, Small Business Administration; Steve Stallings, National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development, El Monte, California; William P. Brown, McDonnell Douglas Helicopter, Mesa, Arizona; Dan Press, Heron, Burchette, Ruckert and Rothwell, Washington, DC; Ray Goetting, Laguna Industries, Laguna, New Mexico; Robert Perry, Raytheon Service Company, Arlington, Virginia; Jay Cooper, Northrop Corporation, Hawthorne, California; Phillip Martin, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Philadelphia, Mississippi; and Edward Lone Fight, Three Affiliated Tribes of Fort Berthold, Fort Berthold, North Dakota.

the House for the further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Federal employees political activities: H.R. 20, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, to restore to Federal civilian employees their right to participate voluntarily, as private citizens, in the political processes of the Nation and to protect such employees from improper political solicitations (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 297 yeas to 90 nays, Roll No. 28);

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Martin Luther King, Jr., Holiday: H.R. 1385, to make permanent the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission (passed by a recorded vote of 305 yeas to 84 noes, Roll No. 29); and

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Natural gas decontrol: H.R. 1722, amended, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price control on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act. Agreed to amend the title.

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Older Americans Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 45, designating May 1989 as "Older Americans Month".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 6794, 6795.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on the Secretary of the Treasury. Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

On April 14, the Subcommittee held a hearing on Africa Regional and on Disaster Assistance. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Chester A. Crocker, Assistant Secretary, African Affairs; and Alison Rosenberg, Deputy Assistant Secretary, African Affairs; the following officials of AID: Walter G. Bollinger, Acting Assistant Administrator, Africa; and Julia V. Taft, Director, Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance; and James L. Woods, Deputy Assistant Secretary, African Affairs, Department of Defense.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 2002-2020; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 130 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act (H. Rept. 101-29).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Foley to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Committee Funding: House agreed to H. Res. 118, providing amounts from the contingent fund of

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on ACTION and on the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science. Testimony was heard from Donna Alvarado, Director, ACTION; and Jerald C. Newman, Chairman, National Commission on Libraries and Information Service.

MEDICARE PAYMENTS TO PHYSICIANS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to medicare payments to physicians. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE'S COLLECTION PROCESS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the lack of accounting controls in U.S. Customs Service's collection process. Testimony was heard from James R. Watts, Associate Director, Information Management and Technology Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: David M. Nummy, Acting Assistant Secretary, Management; Maurice S. Moody, Director of Audit (Financial Management Service), Office of the Inspector General; and Michael H. Lane, Deputy Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service; and a public witness.

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Tuesday, April 18, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nineteen bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 816-834, S. Res. 107 and 108, S.J. Res. 103-105, and S. Con. Res. 28 and 29.

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Measures Passed:

Commending Elizabeth O. Shotwell-Valeo: Senate agreed to S. Res. 107, commending Elizabeth Shotwell-Valeo for faithful and outstanding service to the United States Senate.

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Adjournment Resolution: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 97, providing for a conditional adjournment of the House from Tuesday, April 18, 1989, until Tuesday, April 25, 1989, and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from Wednesday, April 19, or Thursday, April 20, or Friday,

April 21, or Saturday, April 22, 1989, until Monday, May 1, 1989.

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Health of the Nation's Children: Senate passed S.J. Res. 104, to express the sense of Congress with respect to the health of the Nation's children.

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Commemorating the Anniversary of the Armed Services Airborne Units: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 28, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Airborne units of the United States Armed Forces.

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Providing for Participation by Congressional Members in Ceremonies Marking the 200th Anniversary of the Constitution and Inauguration of President George Washington: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 96, providing for participation by delegations of Members of both Houses of Congress in ceremonies to be held in April 1989 in New York City marking the 200th anniversaries of the implementation of the Constitution as the form of government of the United States, the convening of the first Congress, the inauguration of President George Washington, and the proposal of the Bill of Rights as the first ten amendments to the Constitution.

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Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 774, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By unanimous vote of 98 yeas (Vote No. 45), Specter Amendment No. 49, expressing the sense of the Congress that the 800-bed correctional treatment facility in the District of Columbia be completed at the earliest possible date to assist against crime generally and drug-related crime specifically.

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(2) Heinz Amendment No. 51, to expand the Racketeering Influence and Corrupt Organizations Act (RICO) to include crimes against financial institutions and the Federal deposit insurance system.

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(3) Exon Amendment No. 53, to strengthen enforcement capabilities and auditing requirements over Federally insured credit unions.

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Rejected:

(1) Kerrey Amendment No. 50, to broaden the membership and qualifications of the members of the Oversight Board of the Resolution Trust Corpo-

ration. (By 66 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 46), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Nickles Amendment No. 54, to provide discretionary authority for the treatment of certain deposits as deposits for insurance purposes. (By 62 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 49), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 48 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 47), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive Titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to consideration of Graham Amendment No. 52, to provide for \$50 billion in on-budget Treasury borrowing. Subsequently, a point of order that the amendment was in violation of section 311(a) of the Congressional Budget Act was sustained, and the amendment thus fell.

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By 88 yeas to 11 nays (Vote No. 48), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion, pursuant to section 904, to waive Titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to consideration of the bill.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of certain amendments to be proposed on Wednesday, April 19.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Richard Thomas McCormack, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Alternate Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, United States Alternate Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank, United States Alternate Governor of the African Development Bank, United States Governor of the African Development Fund, and United States Alternate Governor of the Asian Development Bank.

William Pelham Barr, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Walter J.P. Curley, of New York, to be Ambassador to France.

David George Ball, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Richard Thomas Crowder, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Jack Callihan Parnell, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

2 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Foreign Service, Air Force, Army and Navy nominations.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report of the Commodity Credit Corporation; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry. (PM-33)

(2) Transmitting five revised deferrals of budget authority affecting programs in the Departments of Agriculture, Defense-Civil, Energy, Health and Human Services-Social Security Administration, and Justice; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations and the Committee on the Budget. (PM-34)

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Appointments:

Board of Trustees of the Kennedy Center: The Chair, as President of the Senate, pursuant to Public Law 85-874, appointed Senator Hatfield to the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

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Board of Trustees of the Kennedy Center: The Chair, on behalf of the President of the Senate, pursuant to Public Law 85-874, appointed Senator Mitchell to the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, vice Senator Hatfield.

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Bicentennial of George Washington's Inauguration: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to H. Con. Res. 96, appointed the following Senators as members of the Senate delegation to ceremonies in New York City on April 29-30, 1989, commemorating the two-hundredth anniversary of George Washington's inauguration: Senators Moynihan, D'Amato, and Lautenberg.

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Federal Council on the Aging: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 93-29, as amended by Public Law 98-459, appointed Mrs. Mary J. Majors, of Iowa, to the Federal Council on the Aging.

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—49)	

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:30 a.m., and recessed at 9:22 p.m., until 8:30 a.m., on Wednesday, April 19, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 7040.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Jack C. Parnell, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, and Richard T. Crowder, of Minnesota, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William C. Bailey, Acting Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs, LaVern F. Nepl, Acting Administrator, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service and Commodity Credit Corporation, Thomas O. Kay, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, Christopher Goldthwait, Assistant General Sales Manager, George W. Scaling, Chief, Soil Conservation Service, and Robert E. Sherman, Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for defense programs, focusing on National Guard and Reserve activities, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick, Direc-

tor, Army National Guard; Maj. Gen. William F. Ward, Chief, Army Reserve; Brig. Gen. Philip G. Killey, Director, Air National Guard; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, Chief of Air Force Reserves; Rear Adm. F.N. Smith, Director of Naval Reserve; Maj. Gen. E.P. Looney, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Marine Corps Staff for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; and Lt. Gen. Herbert R. Temple, Jr., Chief, National Guard Bureau, Department of the Army.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—HHS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Health and Human Services, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Frederick K. Goodwin, Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, and John H. Kelso, Acting Administrator, Health Resources and Services Administration, both of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, May 1.

APPROPRIATIONS—OPM/OFFICE OF FEDERAL PROCUREMENT POLICY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Constance Horner, Director, Office of Personnel Management; and Allan V. Burman, Acting Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement Policy.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—VETERANS AFFAIRS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Veterans Affairs, receiving testimony from Edward J. Derwinski, Secretary of Veterans' Affairs.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 2.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Donald J. Atwood of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, and 8,733 routine nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and the Air Force.

NATO DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the military strategy and operational requirements for NATO defense and rapid reinforcement, receiving testimony from Gen. Thomas C. Richards, USAF, Deputy Commander in Chief, U.S. European Command; Gen. Duane H. Cassidy, USAF, Commander in Chief, U.S. Transportation Command; and Gen. Colin L. Powell, USA, Commander in Chief, Forces Command.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

SEC

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Securities and Exchange Commission, and S. 646, S. 647, S. 648, S. 649, and S. 651, bills to improve the flow of information to shareholders, streamline the issuance of debt securities, ensure the integrity and efficiency of capital markets, and strengthen the Securities and Exchange Commission enforcement tools to protect investors and police the securities markets, receiving testimony from David S. Ruder, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Committee resumed markup of a proposed concurrent resolution on the fiscal year 1990 budget for the Federal Government, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 169, to provide for improved coordination of national scientific research efforts and to provide for a national plan to improve scientific understanding of the Earth system and the effect of changes in that system on climate and human well-being, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 577, to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasts afford reasonable opportunity for the discussion of conflicting views on issues of public importance, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 605, to authorize funds for the Consumer Product Safety Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$34,500,000 in supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, \$36,500,000 for fiscal year 1990, and \$38,179,000 for fiscal year 1991);

S. 673, to authorize funds for programs of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$74,099,000 for fiscal year 1990, and \$77,505,000 for fiscal year 1991);

S. 462, to authorize funds for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK), with an amendment. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$630,000,000 in supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, \$656,000,000 for fiscal year 1990, \$684,000,000 for fiscal year 1991, and \$712,000,000 for fiscal year 1992);

S. 255, to authorize funds for the Local Rail Service Assistance Program. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$10,000,000 in supplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, \$25,000,000 for fiscal year 1990, and \$25,000,000 for fiscal year 1991);

S. 104, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Liberty*;

S. 572, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Navatek I*;

S. 475, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Nancy Ann*;

S. 638, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Nor'wester*; and

The nominations of Elaine L. Chao, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Transportation, Wendell L. Willkie II, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce, Rear Adm. Howard B. Thorsen as Commander, Atlantic Area, United States Coast Guard, the following officers of the United States Coast Guard for appointment to the grade of rear admiral: Joseph E. Vorbach, George D. Passmore, Jr., and Ernest B. Acklin, Jr., and rear admiral (lower half): John N. Faigle, Peter A. Bunch, David F. Ciancaglini, and William J. Ecker, and routine lists of Coast Guard nominations.

MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 819, to strengthen the enforcement of motor carrier safety laws, and the implementation of the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program, focusing on issues related to the implementation of requirements for annual safety inspection of trucks and buses, safety fitness ratings of motor carriers, the formation of a national uniform system for licensing commercial drivers, and a Department of Transportation report on improving truck brake performance, receiving testimony from Richard P. Landis, Associate Administrator for Motor Carriers, Federal Highway Administration, Department of

Transportation; John Andelin, Associate Director, Office of Technology Assessment; Paul Rothberg, Science Policy Research Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and Steve Herman, Motor Carrier Department of Public Safety, Phoenix, Arizona.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of William G. Rosenberg, of Michigan, to be Assistant Administrator for the Environmental Protection Agency.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on the health effects of air pollution, receiving testimony from Philip A. Bromberg, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Morton Lippmann, New York University Medical Center, Tuxedo; Homer Boushey, University of California, San Francisco; Robert F. Phalen, University of California, Irvine; Michael K. Schonbrun, National Jewish Center for Immunology and Respiratory Medicine, Denver, Colorado; Christopher Green, General Motors Research Lab, Warren, Missouri; E. Regis McFadden, Jr., University Hospitals of Cleveland, Ohio, on behalf of the American Mining Congress and the National Coal Association; and Thomas Godar, American Lung Association, Philip J. Landrigan, American Academy of Pediatrics, and Bailus Walker, Jr., American Public Health Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHILD CARE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 55, S. 159, S. 187, S. 364, S. 392, S. 409, S. 412, S. 569, S. 601, and S. 692, bills to provide quality affordable child care, receiving testimony from Senators Dodd, Domenici, Wilson, and Coats; Delaware State Representative Jane Maroney, on behalf of the National Conference of State Legislatures, and Charles E. Hayward, Delaware State Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, on behalf of the American Public Welfare Association, both of Wilmington; Wake County Commissioner Herb Stout, Raleigh, North Carolina, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; Caroline Zinsser, Center for Public Advocacy Research, New York, New York; Rebecca A. Maynard, Mathematica Policy Research, Inc., Princeton, New Jersey; and Raymond C. Scheppach, National Governors' Association, Marian Wright Edelman, Children's Defense Fund, Elizabeth Kepler, Family Research

Council, Sandra L. Hofferth and Roberta Barnes, both of The Urban Institute, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Michael H. Armacost, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Japan, Reginald Bartholomew, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs, Paul D. Coverdell, of Georgia, to be Director of the Peace Corps, James R. Lilley, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China, and Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to Argentina.

AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT/FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 808, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, and proposed legislation authorizing funds for foreign assistance programs, receiving testimony from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations held hearings on treaties relating to mutual legal assistance in criminal matters, including the Treaty with the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning the Cayman Islands relating to Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 100-8), the Mutual Legal Assistance Cooperation Treaty with Mexico (Treaty Doc. 100-13), the Treaty with Canada on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 100-14), the Treaty with Belgium on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 100-16), the Treaty with the Commonwealth of the Bahamas on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 100-17), and the Treaty with Thailand on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 100-18), receiving testimony from Mary Mochary, Principal Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State; and Edward Dennis, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MODIFICATION OF THE McCARRAN- FERGUSON ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on S. 719, to limit the Federal antitrust exemption and to reaffirm the continued State regulation of the business of insurance, receiving testimony from West Virginia State Attorney General Charles G. Brown, Charleston, on behalf of the National Asso-

ciation of Attorneys General; Earl Pomeroy, National Association of Insurance Commissioners and Commissioner of Insurance for North Dakota, Bismarck; James Serota, American Bar Association, New York, New York; Timothy Russell, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies, Foley, Alabama; and J. Robert Hunter, National Insurance Consumer Organization, Stephen Brobeck, Consumer Federation of America, Mavis A. Walters, Insurance Services Office, Craig A. Berrington, American Insurance Association, Erland Stevens, National Association of Casualty and Surety Agents and Independent Insurance Agents of America, and John Head, National Association of Independent Insurers, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 50 public bills, H.R. 2021–2069 and 2072; 2 private bills, H.R. 2070 and 2071; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 243 and 244, H. Con. Res. 96–100, and H. Res. 131–134 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101–30).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 290 yeas to 102 nays, Roll No. 30, the House approved the Journal of Monday, April 17.

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Member Sworn: Representative-elect Browder presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States delegation to attend the meeting of the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Gejdenson, Chairman, Fascell, Vice Chairman, Hamilton, de la Garza, Oberstar, LaFalce, Kost-

mayer, Broomfield, Horton, Stangeland, Martin of New York, and Miller of Washington.

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White House Conference on Library: The Speaker appointed Mr. Gordon Ambach, from private life, on the part of the House as a member to the Advisory Committee of the White House Conference on Library and Information Services.

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200th Anniversary of Washington's Inaugural: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 96, providing for participation by delegations of Members of both Houses of Congress in ceremonies to be held in April 1989 in New York City marking the 200th anniversaries of the implementation of the Constitution as the form of government of the United States, the convening of the first Congress, the inauguration of President George Washington, and the proposal of the Bill of Rights as the first ten amendments to the Constitution.

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Fair Labor Standards Act: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

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For consideration of the House bill, and the Senate amendment (except section 115 and title II), and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Murphy, Ford of Michigan, Clay, Williams, Hayes of Illinois, Perkins, Payne of New Jersey, Goodling, Petri, Bartlett, Armey, and Fawell.

For consideration of section 115 and title II of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Jacobs, and Archer.

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Agreed to the Dannemeyer motion to instruct House conferees to agree to section 204 of the amendment providing for hearing, on the catastrophic health care portion of the bill (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 408 yeas, Roll No. 31).

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District Work Period: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 97, providing for a conditional adjournment of the House from Tuesday, April 18, 1989, until Tuesday, April 25, 1989, and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from Wednesday, April 19, or Thursday, April 20, or Friday, April 21, or Saturday, April 22, 1989, until Monday, May 1, 1989.

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Base Realignment and Closure: House failed to pass H.J. Res. 165, disapproving the recommendations of the Commission on Base Realignment and

Closure (failed by a yea-and-nay vote of 43 yeas to 381 nays, Roll No. 32).

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Resignations-Appointments: Notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Tuesday, April 25, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

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Committee Resignations: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Gingrich wherein he resigned as a member of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation; and

Read and accepted a letter from Representative Walsh wherein he resigns as a member of the Joint Committee on Printing.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 131, electing Representative Grant to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation; and

House agreed to H. Res. 132, electing Representative Gingrich to the Joint Committee on Printing.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

Budget deferrals: Message wherein he transmits five deferrals of budget authority affecting programs in the Departments of Agriculture, Defense-Civil, Energy, Health and Human Services-Social Security Administration, and Justice—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-49); and

Commodity Credit Corporation: Message wherein he transmits the report of the Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1987—referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 6832, 6842, 6870. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon, and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 87, adjourned at 5:03 p.m. until noon on Tuesday, April 25.

Committee Meetings

FUTURES INDUSTRY INVESTIGATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a briefing on the report on futures industry investigation. The Subcommittee was briefed by public witnesses.

DIRE EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported amended the fiscal year 1989 Emergency Supplemental bill.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials and the Subcommittee on Research and Development continued joint hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on advanced submarine technology and antisubmarine warfare. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Vice Adm. William D. Smith, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Navy Program Planning), Department of the Navy; and Robert A. Moore, Deputy Director, Systems and Technology, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency.

FSX FIGHTER

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on the proposed joint development of the FSX fighter with Japan. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WAIVERS UNDER THE AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Select Committee on Aging held a joint oversight hearing on waivers under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act. Testimony was heard from Clarence Thomas, Chairman, EEOC; and public witnesses.

EMPLOYEE PENSION PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1661, to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to clarify the applicability of rules relating to fiduciary duties in relation to plan assets of terminated pension plans and to provide for an explicit exception to such rules for employer reversions meeting certain requirements.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action recommendations on the Foreign Aid authorization bill for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

U.S. EXPORT PROMOTION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on U.S. Export Promotion: How Effective Are Our Government Programs? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FEDERAL INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture held a hearing on Federal Information Dissemination Policies and Practices. Testimony was heard from John J. Franke, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Administration, USDA; Edward J. Hanley, Director, Office of Information Resources Management, EPA; John Penhollow, Director, Office of EDGAR Management, SEC; and public witnesses.

FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Personnel and Police approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 770, Family and Medical Leave Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also considered other pending business.

NRC AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1549, to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for fiscal years 1990, and 1991.

ABANDONED MINE LAND

Committee on Interior: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on abandoned mine land. Testimony was heard from Roger L. Williams, Abandoned Mine Lands Manager, Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, State of Virginia; David H. Rosenbaum, Director, Division of Abandoned Lands, Department of Natural Resources, State of Kentucky; Michael L. Kasti, Director, Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Program, Conservation Commission, State of Oklahoma; Fred R. Banta, Director, Division of Mined Land Reclamation, Department of Natural Resources, State of Colorado; Russell A. Fields, Executive Director, Department of Minerals, State of Nevada; and public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION EXCLUSION AND DEPORTATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law approved for full Committee action the amended H.R. 1280, Immigration Exclusion and Deportation Amendments of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 840, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission; H.R. 1486, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration; H.R. 1223, to reauthorize appropriations to carry out the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Marine Fisheries Program Authorization Act through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 1224, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 1225, amended, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 1668, amended, Ocean and Coastal Programs Authorization Act of 1989; and H.R. 1763, to authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1990 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal.

NATION'S WETLANDS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources continued hearings to review the status of our Nation's wetlands and to review the report of the National Wetlands Policy Forum of the Conservation Foundation. Testimony was heard from Ralph Morgenweck, Assistant Director, Fish and Wildlife Enhancement, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; William E. Evans, Under Secretary, Oceans and Atmosphere, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and Wilson Scaling, Chief, Soil Conservation Service, USDA.

QUALITY: ITS ROLE IN A MODERN, COMPETITIVE AMERICA

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology, hearing on Quality: Its Role In A Modern, Competitive America. Testimony was heard from Curt Reimann, Associate Director, Quality Programs, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings on NASA fiscal year 1990 authorization. Testimony was heard from Stephanie Lee Miller,

Director, Office of Commercial Space Transportation, Department of Transportation.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MORTGAGE INDEMNITY LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 1415, Veterans' Home Loan Mortgage Indemnity Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Kaptur; R.J. Vogel, Jr., Chief Benefits Director, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans' organizations; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL CREDIT REFORM

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on Federal credit reform and borrowing by off-budget agencies. Testimony was heard from David Mullins, Assistant Secretary, Domestic Finance, Department of the Treasury; Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; Robert D. Reischauer, Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

INFLATION

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the current rate of inflation, level of inflation in the next two years, and the effect of monetary, fiscal and regulatory policies on inflation, after receiving testimony from Larry Summers, Harvard University, Cambridge; Joel Popkin, Joel Popkin and Company, Washington, D.C.; and Jerry Jordon, First Interstate Bancorp, Los Angeles, California.

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Wednesday, April 19, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Thirty-four bills and thirteen resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 835-868, S. Res. 109-115, and S.J. Res. 106-111.

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Measures Passed:

Education and Training for Competitive America Act: Senate passed H.R. 678, to make a technical correction in the Education and Training for Competitive America Act of 1988, after agreeing to a

Mitchell (for Pell) Amendment No. 63, in the nature of a substitute.

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Anti-Drug Abuse Act Technical Corrections: Senate passed H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, after agreeing to a Mitchell (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 64, to make technical corrections in titles V and XIX of the Public Health Service Act relating to certain mental health demonstration projects and block grants.

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Business Opportunity Development Reform Act: Senate passed S. 767, to make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988.

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Situation in Lebanon: Senate agreed to S. Res. 108, expressing the sense of the Senate concerning the situation in Lebanon.

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National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Centennial Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 84, to designate April 30, 1989, as "National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Centennial Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Flight Attendant Safety Professionals' Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 91, designating April 28, 1989, as "Flight Attendant Safety Professionals' Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Commemoration of the Anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 124, to recognize the 75th anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act of May 8, 1914, and its role in establishing our Nation's system of State Cooperative Extension Services, and the resolution was then passed.

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Authorizing Senate Legal Counsel Representation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 111, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to represent, and to authorize the production of documents by, a Subcommittee of the Committee on Governmental Affairs in the case of *United States v. Eugene Robert Wallach, et al.*

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Commending the Courage of Albert Gore III: Senate agreed to S. Res. 112, to commend the courage of Albert Gore III, the 6-year-old son of Senator Albert Gore, Jr.

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V-22 Aircraft Program: Senate agreed to S. Res. 115, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding continuation of the V-22 aircraft program of the Department of Defense.

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Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act: By 91 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 51), Senate passed S. 774, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Durenberger Amendment No. 56, to encourage the House of Representatives to repeal special tax rules affecting troubled financial institutions concurrent with the adoption of the Financial Institutions Reform Bill.

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(2) Wirth Amendment No. 57, to provide that the Resolution Trust Corporation shall compile and maintain a list of properties with natural, cultural, recreational or scientific values of special significance.

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(3) Murkowski Modified Amendment No. 58, to restrict the use of brokered deposits by financial institutions that do not meet applicable minimum capital requirements.

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(4) Bumpers Modified Amendment No. 59, to prevent financial institutions from entering into vendor agreements in exchange for stock purchases or capital investments.

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(5) Riegle (for Sasser) Amendment No. 60, to confirm the eligibility of First Federal Savings Bank, Memphis, Tennessee, to change its charter.

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(6) Mack Amendment No. 61, to establish a criteria for annual auditing procedures.

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(7) Riegle Amendment No. 62, to make technical and conforming corrections.

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Rejected:

(1) Graham Amendment No. 55, to require the confirmation of the Chairman of the Office of Savings Association. (By 61 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 50), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that if the House returns S. 774 to the Senate, that it be held at the desk and that it be in order, upon receipt of the House companion bill, and after consultation between the Majority and Mi-

nority Leaders, that the Senate move to consideration of the House companion measure, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and that the text of S. 774, as amended, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the House bill, as amended, be advanced to third reading, that the Senate insist on its amendments, and request a conference with the House thereon, and the chair be authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate.

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Passage Vitiating:

Health of the Nation's Children: Senate vitiated passage of S.J. Res. 104, to express the sense of the Congress with respect to the health of the Nation's children, which had been passed on April 18, and the joint resolution was referred to the appropriate committee.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Susan S. Engeleiter, of Wisconsin, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

Donald J. Atwood, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Elaine L. Chao, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Transportation.

Wendell Lewis Willkie, II, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce.

James Roderick Lilley, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, to be Ambassador to Argentina.

Reginald Batholomew, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs.

Paul D. Coverdell, of Georgia, to be Director of the Peace Corps.

Jack Callihan Parnell, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Agriculture.

Richard Thomas Crowder, of Minnesota, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

James O. Mason, of Georgia, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Health.

Nancy Mohr Kennedy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Education for Legislation.

John T. Sanders, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Education.

56 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.
3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

14 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

43 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, and Navy nominations.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Roderick Allen DeArment, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Labor.

H. Lawrence Garrett, III, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Navy.

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Appointments:

Senate Arms Control Observer Group: The Majority Leader, pursuant to S. Res. 105, adopted April 13, 1989, appointed Senator Byrd as Majority Administrative Cochairman, Senators Pell and Nunn as Cochairmen for the majority, and Senators Kennedy, Moynihan, Gore, Levin, Sarbanes, and Bumpers as Members of the Senate Arms Control Observer Group.

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Senate Arms Control Observer Group: The Minority Leader, pursuant to S. Res. 105, adopted April 13, 1989, appointed Senator Stevens as Administrative Cochairman, Senator Lugar as Cochairman, and Senators Wallop, Warner, Nickles, Rudman, Chafee, Garn, and Lott as Members of the Senate Arms Control Observer Group.

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Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 86-380, appointed Senator Robb to the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, vice Senator Sasser.

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Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276h-276k, as amended, appointed Senators Fowler and Murkowski as members of the Senate Delegation to the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the First Session of the 101st Congress, to be held in Ixtapa, Mexico, April 27-May 1, 1989.

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 4355(a), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy: Senators Reid (Appropriations) and Shelby (Armed Services).

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy: Senators Wirth (Armed Services) and DeConcini (At-Large).

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursu-

ant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy: Senators Mikulski (Appropriations) and Sarbanes (At-Large).

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 14 U.S.C. 194(a), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Senators Hollings (Commerce, Science and Transportation) and Dodd (At-Large).

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 1295(b), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Senators Hollings (Commerce, Science and Transportation) and Inouye (At-Large).

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports on Thursday, April 27, 1989, from 12 noon to 3 p.m., during the recess of the Senate.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—51)

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:17 p.m., pursuant to H. Con. Res. 97, until 1 p.m., on Monday, May 1, 1989.

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve U.S. agricultural programs, receiving testimony from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies

held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for agriculture and rural development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Burns, Exon, Heflin, and Pressler; Nebraska State Senator Sandra Scofield, Lincoln; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, State, Justice, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Commerce, receiving testimony from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TERRITORIAL GOVERNMENTS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for territorial governments, receiving testimony from David Heggstad, Director, Budget and Technical Assistance, Office of Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior; Virgin Islands Governor Alexander Farrelly; American Samoa Governor Peter T. Coleman; Mike Reidy, Director, Guam Bureau of Budget and Management Research; Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands Lieutenant Governor Pedro Tenorio; Federated States of Micronesia Resident Representative Jesse Marehalau; Republic of the Marshall Islands Chief Secretary Oscar de Brum; and Republic of Palau Vice President Kuniwo Nakamura.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 2.

UNIFIED COMMANDS/U.S. FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings to review military strategy and operational requirements of the maritime oriented unified commands and U.S. Forces, Korea, receiving testimony from Adm. Huntington Hardisty, USN, Commander in Chief, U.S. Pacific Command; Gen. Louis C. Menetrey, USA, Commander, U.S. Forces, Korea; and Maj. Gen. Henry C. Stackpole III, USMC, Director of Plans and Policies, U.S. Atlantic Command.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Paul D. Wolfowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Lugar, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Committee ordered the following measure favorably reported:

An original concurrent resolution on the budget setting forth recommended levels of total budget outlays, Federal revenues, and new budget authority for fiscal year 1990.

MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on S. 819, to strengthen the enforcement of motor carrier safety laws, and the implementation of the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program, focusing on issues related to the implementation of requirements for annual safety inspection of trucks and buses, safety fitness ratings of motor carriers, the formation of a national uniform system for licensing commercial drivers, and a Department of Transportation report on improving truck brake performance, after receiving testimony from Thomas J. Donohue, American Trucking Associations, Inc., Gene Berghoffen, National Private Truck Council, and Douglas Turner, Bonanza Bus Lines, on behalf of the American Bus Association Committee, all of Alexandria, Virginia; K. Michael O'Connell, Owner-Operators Independent Drivers Association of America, Inc., R.V. Durham, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America, David F. Snyder, American Insurance Association, and Earl Eisenhart, Commission of Accredited Truck Driving Schools, all of Washington, D.C.; John Cook, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, Arlington, Virginia; George Viverette, American Automobile Association, Falls Church, Virginia; Ed Jack Compton, Jr., Houston Lighting and Power, Houston, Texas, on behalf of the Texas Truck Safety Alliance; Rainey Turpin, AIG Insurance Company, Manchester, New Hampshire; and Donald W. Estes, Ryder Systems, Inc., Miami, Florida, on behalf of the Professional Truck Drivers Institute of America.

URANIUM ENRICHMENT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held hearings on S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not previously been recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy to its customers, receiving testimony from W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary of Energy; James E. Rushton, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Joseph M. Farley, Alabama Power Company, Birmingham, on behalf of the Edison Electric Institute and the American Nuclear Energy Council; and Charles H. Mon-

tange and Jill Lancelot, both of the National Taxpayers Union, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALASKA OIL SPILL

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded hearings to examine the impact of the recent oil spill in Prince William Sound, Alaska, and to review the adequacy of efforts to prevent air and water pollution at the Trans-Alaska Pipeline's Valdez terminal, after receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Clyde L. Lusk, Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; Alaska Governor Steve Cowper, and Michelle H. O'Leary and Fredericka Ott, both of the United Fisherman of Alaska, all of Juneau; William D. Stevens, Exxon Company, U.S.A., and Frank Iarossi, Exxon Shipping Company, both of Houston, Texas; Ivan L. Henman and Theo L. Polasek, both of the Alyeska Pipeline Service Company, and Michael M. Wenig, Trustees for Alaska, all of Anchorage; and Michael L. Fisher, Sierra Club, Washington, D.C.

CHILD CARE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 55, S. 159, S. 187, S. 364, S. 392, S. 409, S. 412, S. 569, S. 601, and S. 692, bills to provide quality affordable child care, receiving testimony from Senators Wallop and Boschwitz; Representative Holloway; Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor; John L. Carr, Department of Social Development and World Peace, on behalf of the United States Catholic Conference, Robert P. Dugan, Jr., National Association of Evangelicals, Gerald W. McEntee, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, and Nancy Duff Campbell, National Women's Law Center, all of Washington, D.C.; Richard D. Land, The Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, Nashville, Tennessee; Barbara Reisman, Child Care Action Campaign, New York, New York; Maureen Dermott, Kinder-Care Learning Centers, Inc., Woodbridge, Virginia; Mark A. Walsh, Apple-A-Daycare Centers, Inc., Fairport, New York, on behalf of the National Child Care Association; and David F. Russo, SAS Institute, Inc., Cary, North Carolina, on behalf of the American society for Personnel Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

UNESCO

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to review recent changes and U.S. interest in the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), receiving testimony from Leonard Sussman, Freedom House, New

York, New York; Gene Lyons, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire; Ed Feulner, The Heritage Foundation, Mary Hatwood Futrell, National Education Association, Terry Morton, International Council on Monuments and Sights, and Derk Kinane-Roelofsma, all of Washington, D.C.; Walter Rosenblith, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge; and Paul Perrot, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings to examine the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, receiving testimony from Michael Mandelbaum, Council on Foreign Relations, and Seweryn Bialer, Columbia University, both of New York, New York; Arnold L. Horelick, UCLA Center for the Study of Soviet International Behavior, Santa Monica, California; Richard F. Starr, Hoover Institution, Stanford, California; and David C. Jordan, University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ASSAULT WEAPONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution approved for full committee consideration, without recommendation, the following bills:

S. 386, to control the sale and importation of assault weapons, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 747, to protect the rights of legal owners while attacking the problems associated with the illegal use of assault weapons.

COMPUTER SOFTWARE RENTAL AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks held hearings on S. 198, to protect certain computer programs, receiving testimony from Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress; Heidi Roizen, Software Publishers Association, and Bruce M. Kennedy, American Association of Law Libraries, both of Washington, D.C.; Jon Shirley, Microsoft Corp., Redmond, Washington; Michael J. Lyons, Asyst Technologies Inc., Naperville, Illinois; David Laird, University of Arizona Library, Tucson, on behalf of the American Library Association; Luanne James, ADAPSO, Arlington, Virginia; and Troy Cooper, Erol's Inc, Springfield, Virginia, on behalf of the Video Software Dealers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 345, to grant employees family and temporary medical leave under certain circumstances; and

The nominations of James O. Mason, of Georgia, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Health, Nancy Mohr Kennedy, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Education for Legislation, and John T. Sanders, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Education.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to further deliberate on pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings raised by the House Managers and Judge Hastings' Counsel.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Tuesday, April 25.

Committee Meetings

REVIEW CLIMATIC CHANGES AND AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture and the Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a joint hearing to review climatic changes and agriculture. Testimony was heard from Orville Bentley, Assistant Secretary, Science and Education, USDA; Alan Thomas, Acting Assistant Administrator, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Shelby Tilford, Earth Sciences and Applications Division Director, Office of Space, Science and Applications, NASA; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Missiles and Other Procurement, Air Force. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: John J. Welch, Assistant Secretary (Acquisition); and Maj. Gen. Edward R. Bracken, USAF, Director, Logistics, Plans and Programs, Headquarters, USAF.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on Middle East Regional. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Edward S. Walker; and A. Peter Burleigh, both Deputy Assistant Secretaries,

Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; Edward Gnehm, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asia, Department of Defense; and Carol Adelman, Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Asia and Near East, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on the Office of Territorial and International Affairs, and on the Bureau of Land Management. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: David Heggstad, Director, Office of Budget and Technical Assistance; and Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on the following: National Labor Relations Board; Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Railroad Retirement Board; Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission; and on the National Council on Disability. Testimony was heard from James M. Stephens, Chairman, NLRB; Robert P. Baker, Acting Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Thomas J. Simon, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; Ford B. Ford, Chairman, Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission; and Paul G. Hearne, Executive Director, National Council on Disability.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on Department of Housing and Urban Development. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems and the Subcommittee on Investigations continued joint hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on requirements for close support and close air support. Testimony was heard from John E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, Department of Defense; Hans Mark, former Secretary of

the Air Force; and Maj. Gen. Perry Smith, USAF (Ret.).

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the status of the Department of Defense commercial activities program. Testimony was heard from Jack Katzen, Assistant Secretary, Production and Logistics, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue April 27.

NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education, Subcommittee on Human Resources, Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Select Education held a joint oversight hearing on the National Youth Service (H.R. 660, Citizenship and National Service Act of 1989, H.R. 717, American Conservation and Youth Service Corps Act of 1989, H.R. 948, National Volunteer Service Act of 1989, H.R. 1000, National Community Service Act of 1989, and related bills). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT EXTENSION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on legislation to extend Title I of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (including authorization for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve). Testimony was heard from Representative Akaka; J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; Keith Fultz, Director, Energy Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

INSURANCE ISSUES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on insurance, with emphasis on the similarities between insolvencies of insurance companies and savings and loan institutions. Testimony was heard from Fred Wolf, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—SEC REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on the reauthorization of the SEC for fiscal years 1990/1991. Testimony was heard from David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC.

THE INTERNATIONAL DEBT CRISIS: A REVIEW OF THE BRADY PLAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on "The International Debt Crisis: A Review of the Brady Plan". Testimony was heard from Charles H. Dallara, Assistant Secretary Designate for International Affairs, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 16.

SMITHSONIAN HIRING PRACTICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation continued hearings on Smithsonian Hiring Practices. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Smithsonian Institution: Robert McCormick Adams, Secretary; and W. Richard West, Jr., member, Cultural Equity Subcommittee, Cultural Education Committee; and a public witness.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Held a hearing on the recommendations of The National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from Paul A. Volcker, Chairman, The National Commission on the Public Service.

Hearings continue April 27.

NATIONAL SAVINGS RATE OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS TRADING PARTNERS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the national savings rate of the United States and its trading partners. Testimony was heard from Senators Roth and Heinz; Robert D. Reischauer, Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG MISUSE AMONG THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Human Services held a hearing on Drug Misuse among the Elderly and Its Impact on Community Based Care. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General; Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA; and Dr. T. Franklin Williams, Director, National Institute on Aging; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

VETERANS' PROGRAMS

Joint Hearings: Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs concluded joint hearings with the House Com-

mittee on Veterans' Affairs to review the legislative recommendations of certain veterans organizations, receiving testimony from Don R. Pears, National Commander, on behalf of the Veterans of World War I of the U.S.A., Inc., Jimmy T. Smith, National Commander, on behalf of AMVETS, Mary R. Stout, National President, on behalf of the Vietnam Veterans of America, and Walter W. Krueger, President, on behalf of the Non-Commissioner Officers Association, all of Washington, DC.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, May 1, 1989, at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for agriculture and rural development programs, receiving testimony from Senators Thurmond and Glenn; Puerto Rico Resident Commissioner Jaime B. Fuster; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—NOAA

Committee on Appropriations: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Commerce, State, Justice, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, receiving testimony from William E. Evans, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 2.

THIRD WORLD DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: On Thursday, April 20, committee held hearings on the military strategy and operational requirements of the unified commands oriented to Third World defense and unconventional warfare, receiving testimony from Gen. James J. Lindsay, USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Special Operations Command; Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, USA, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Central Command; and Rear Adm. Richard C. Ustick, USN, Chief of Staff, U.S. Southern Command.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on submarine shipbuilding and related technology, receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Dan Cooper, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Submarine Warfare); and Robert A. Moore, Deputy Director, Systems and Technology, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings on S. 566, to authorize a new corporation to support State and local strategies for achieving more affordable housing, and to increase homeownership, receiving testimony from Rhode Island Governor Edward DiPrete, Providence; James Rouse, The Rouse Company, Columbia, Maryland; and David Maxwell, Fannie Mae, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COAL DISTRIBUTION AND UTILIZATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Thursday, April 20, committee concluded hearings on S. 318, to facilitate the national distribution and utilization of coal, after receiving testimony from Marvin J. Boede, United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipefitting Industry, on behalf of the Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL-CIO, Jack Otero, Communication International Union, and K.O. Richardson, Railway Labor Executives' Association Task Force on Coal Slurry, William H. Dempsey, Association of American Railroads, John J. Kearney, Jr., Edison Electric Institute, David Senter, American Agriculture Movement, Inc., on behalf of National Farmers Union and National Farmers Organization, and Joseph E. Lema, National Coal Association, on behalf of American Mining Congress, all of Washington, DC; and Henry J. Brolick, Williams Technologies, Inc., and Stuart D. Serkin, both on behalf of the Coal and Slurry Technology Association, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

URANIUM ENRICHMENT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development continued hearings on S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of

Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not previously been recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy to its customers, receiving testimony from Alan L. Dean and Harold Seidman, both of the National Academy of Public Administration, Washington, DC; Charles Brown, Virginia Power, Richmond; and William Badger, Maryland Public Service Commission, Annapolis, on behalf of the National Association of Regulatory Commissioners.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 11.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: On Friday, April 21, committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Constance Horner, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Health and Human Services, and Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Human Development Services, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

TRADE ACT

Committee on Finance: On Thursday, April 20, committee resumed oversight hearings on the implementation of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act (P.L. 100-418), receiving testimony from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; Irvin J. Elkin, Associated Milk Producers, Inc., Amery, Wisconsin; Wayne Bennett, American Soybean Association, Lonoke, Arkansas; Jason Berman, Recording Industry Association of America, Inc., Washington, DC, on behalf of International Intellectual Property Alliance; and C.L. Clements, Pfizer Inc., New York, New York, on behalf of Intellectual Property Committee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REFORMS

Committee on Finance: On Thursday, April 20, Subcommittee on Medicare and Long-Term Care resumed hearings to review physician payment reforms under the Medicare Program, receiving testimony from Senator Hatch; Frank Delay, American Association of Retired Persons, Mesa, Arizona; Alan R. Nelson, American Medical Association, Salt Lake City, Utah; George W. Weinstein and Jane McDermott, both of West Virginia University, Morgantown, both on behalf of the American College of Surgeons; Joseph F. Boyle, American Society of Internal Medicine, Washington, DC; Robert Graham, American Academy of Family Physicians, Kansas City, Missouri; Edwin P. Maynard, American College of Physicians, Boston, Massachusetts; and Jacek B. Franaszek, American College of Emergency Physicians, Hinsdale, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Thursday, April 20, committee concluded hearings to review an international environmental agenda for the 101st Congress, after receiving testimony from Russell Train, World Wildlife Fund, and Gus Speth, World Resources Institute, both of Washington, DC; and Patrick Michaels and S. Fred Singer, both of the University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

NOMINATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: On Friday, April 21, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Michael W. Farrell, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: On Friday, April 21, committee resumed hearings on proposals to establish a corporation to administer a program of voluntary national service, and to provide for the education and training of participants in such Corps, including S. 3, S. 232, S. 322, S. 382, S. 408, S. 539, S. 540, S. 541, S. 576, and S. 650, receiving testimony from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; John A. Briscoe, Pennsylvania Governor's Office of Citizen Service, Harrisburg; Cynthia Brown, Leadership in Community Service Program, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Cynthia Parsons, Chester, Vermont, and Jacqueline Loso, South Burlington, Vermont, both on behalf of SerVermont; Leon Horne, Tacoma Public Schools, Tacoma, Washington, on behalf of the National Education Association; Greg Humphrey, American Federation of Teachers, Washington, DC; Stanley Hill, AFSCME, New York, New York; James Oglesby, University of Missouri, Columbia, on behalf of the National School Boards Association; and Donald Gainey, West Warwick High School, West Warwick, Rhode Island, on behalf of the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Thursday, April 20, committee resumed hearings on S. 7, S. 56, S. 137, S. 242, S. 326, S. 330, S. 332, S. 359, and S. 597, bills to provide for Federal and Congressional campaign finance reform, receiving testimony from former U.S. Senator William Proxmire, Nancy M. Neuman, The League of Women Voters, Fred Wertheimer, Common Cause, James M. Ratcliffe, National Association of Manufacturers, and Ned Massee, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, all of Wash-

ington, DC; and David B. Magleby, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 2073–2105; 3 private bills, H.R. 2106–2108; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 245–249, H. Con. Res. 101 and 102, and H. Res. 135–137 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 840, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission, amended (H. Rept. 101–31);

H.R. 1223, to authorize appropriations to carry out the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Marine Fisheries Program Act through fiscal year 1992 (H. Rept. 101–32);

H.R. 1224, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act through fiscal year 1992: (H. Rept. 101–33);

H.R. 1225, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 through fiscal year 1992, amended (H. Rept. 101–34);

H.R. 1763, to authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1990 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal (H. Rept. 101–35);

H. Res. 87, impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi for high crimes and misdemeanors, amended (H. Rept. 101–36);

H. Res. 135, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101–37);

H.R. 1149, to allow Members of Congress to use the franking privilege to disseminate copies of the Constitution of the United States (H. Rept. 101–38); and

H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration, amended (H. Rept. 101–39).

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Select Committee on Aging: The Speaker appointed Representative James as an additional minority member to the Select Committee on Aging.

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Select Committee on Hunger: The Speaker appointed Representative Smith of New Jersey as an

additional member of the Select Committee on Hunger.

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Late Report: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to have until 5 p.m. today to file a report on H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Federal Maritime Commission: H.R. 840, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission. Agreed to amend the title;

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NOAA marine fisheries: H.R. 1223, to authorize appropriations to carry out the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Marine Fisheries Program Act through fiscal year 1992;

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Anadromous fish programs: H.R. 1224, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act through fiscal year 1992;

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Interjurisdictional fisheries: H.R. 1225, amended, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 through fiscal year 1992. Agreed to amend the title; and

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Panama Canal authorization: H.R. 1763, to authorize expenditures for fiscal 1990 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal.

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George Washington Inaugural Bicentennial: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 92, to invite the houses of worship of this Nation to celebrate the bicentennial of the inauguration of George Washington, the first President of the United States, by ringing bells at 12 noon on Sunday, April 30, 1989.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed that the House will meet at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 26.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Jewish Heritage Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 25, to designate the week of May 7, 1989, through May 14, 1989, as "Jewish Heritage Week".

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Law Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 52, to express gratitude for law enforcement personnel.

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Drinking Water Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 60, to designate the period commencing on May 1, 1989, and ending on May 7, 1989, as "National Drinking Water Week".

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Sons of American Revolution: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 84, to designate April 30, 1989, as "National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Centennial Day".

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TONGASS NATIONAL FOREST

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review appraisal of stumpage value for timber sold from the Tongass National Forest. Testimony was heard from George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs held a hearing on Latin and Central America Regional and on the Inter-American Foundation. Testimony was heard from Richard Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of Defense; Michael G. Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; Fred Schieck, Acting Assistant Administrator, Latin America and the Caribbean, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and Debra Szekely, President, Inter-American Foundation.

On April 24, the Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

On April 24, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Forest Service. Testimony was heard from F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, USDA.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

On April 24, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the National Mediation Board and on the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission. Testimony was heard from Walter C. Wallace, Chairman, National Mediation Board; and E. Ross Buckley, Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.

On April 20, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the following: the Physician Payment Review Commission; the Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; the Soldiers' and Airmen's Home; and the U.S. Institute of Peace. Testimony was heard from Dr. Philip R. Lee, Chairman, Physician Payment Review Commission; Stuart H. Altman, Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; Lt. Col. George H. McKee, USAF, (Rtd.), Governor, Soldiers' and Airmen's Home; and Ambassador Samuel W. Lewis, President, U.S. Institute of Peace.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: On April 21, Subcommittee on Transportation concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Elaine Chao, Deputy Secretary, Department of Transportation.

On April 20, the Subcommittee on Transportation continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE-GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: On April 20, the Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service-General Government concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on NASA. Testimony was heard from Dale D. Myers, Acting Administrator, NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. Testimony was heard from Richard B. Cheney, Secretary of Defense and Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., USA Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on matters relating to the Department of Defense Environmental Restoration program. Testimony was heard from William H. Parker III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the District of Columbia: On April 22, the Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health held an oversight hearing on the state of the local judiciary in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Jay Stephens, U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia; Judith C. Rogers, Chief Judge, District of Columbia Court of Appeals; Fred B. Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia, Larry Polansky, Executive Officer of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals; Kim Taylor, Public Defender for the District of Columbia and public witnesses.

Hearings continue April 29.

CARL PERKINS VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995.

AIDS AND THE USE OF INTRAVENOUS DRUGS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: On April 24, the Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on AIDS and the use of intravenous drugs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TELEMARKETING FRAUD PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1354, Telemarketing Fraud Prevention Act.

FOREIGN AID FOR AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa approved for full Committee action recommendations for fiscal years 1990-1991 Foreign Assistance for Africa.

NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION ACT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections approved for full Committee action the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 15, National Voter Registration Act of 1989.

FEDERAL LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, NV, for national defense. Testimony was heard from Representative Bilbray; George Abbey, Deputy Associate Administrator, Space Flight, NASA; Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended the following measures: H. Res. 87, impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi for high crimes and misdemeanors; H.R. 1662, Torture Victim Protection Act of 1989; H.R. 536, to amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, to allow claims against the United States under that chapter for damages arising from certain negligent medical care provided members of the Armed Forces; H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

The Committee also acted on private claims bills and considered other Committee business.

RELEASE OF DOCUMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice met and authorized the managers in the impeachment proceedings of Alcee L. Hastings, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, to release material received by the subcommittee in executive session under whatever conditions they choose.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive detection equipment at certain airports located outside the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Robert Knisely, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Budget and Programs; and Darlene M. Freeman,

Deputy Director, Office of Civil Aviation Security, FAA; and public witnesses.

MARITIME ADMINISTRATION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration. Testimony was heard from Chairman Jones and Representative Lent.

DIRE EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989. The rules waives sections 311(a) and 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act and waives clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI against the bill, except against three specified provisions. The rule makes in order the amendments printed in the report accompanying this resolution, to be offered only by the Member designated or his designee and only in the order specified in the report. First, the amendment offered by Representative Conte of Massachusetts, or his designee, debatable for one hour. Second, the amendment offered by Representative Foley of Washington, or his designee, debatable for one hour. The amendments are not subject to amendment or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against the Foley amendment are waived. All points of order against the Conte amendment are waived, except against specified provisions of the Conte amendment. If both amendments are adopted, only the latter amendment adopted is considered as having been finally adopted and reported back to the House. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten; and Representatives Smith of Iowa, Traxler, Panetta, Berman, Morrison of Connecticut, Penny, Yates, Conte, Michel, Frenzel, Skeen and Hancock.

EPA BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space and Technology; Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on EPA fiscal year 1990 budget. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LONG-TERM STRATEGIES RELATING TO THE NATIONAL SAVINGS RATE FOR THE U.S.

Committee on Ways and Means: On April 20, the committee continued hearings on long-term strategies relating to the national savings rate of the U.S. Tes-

timony was heard from Representatives Tauzin and Levine of California; and public witnesses.

PHYSICIAN INCENTIVE PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to physician incentive payments by prepaid health plans. Testimony was heard from Sarah Jagger, Deputy Director, Operations, Human Resources Division, GAO; Karen Davis, Commissioner, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

FUEL ETHANOL IMPORTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on fuel ethanol imports from Caribbean Basin Initiative Countries. Testimony was heard from Representatives Anthony and Durbin; Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Vern Simpson, Acting Director, Office of Industries, U.S. International Trade Commission; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Select Committee on Aging: Met for organizational purposes.

ARE SOCIAL SECURITY CHANGES WORKING?

Select Committee on Aging: On April 21, the Subcommittee on Retirement Income and Employment held a hearing on Are Social Security Changes Working? A Report from the Field. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SSA, Department of Health and Human Services: Herbert R. Doggette, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Operations; John Dyer, Deputy Commissioner, Management; Ernesto Graham, Claims Representative; and Joy Sloan, Teleservice Representative; and public witnesses.

JOINT MEETING, CHANGING STRUCTURE OF AMERICAN AGRICULTURE

Joint Economic Committee: On Monday, April 24, committee concluded hearings on the changing structure of American agriculture, focusing on the Federal role in the growing dominance of large farms in America, after receiving testimony from Robert Bergland, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Washington, D.C.; J.B. Penn, Sparks Commodities, Inc., McLean, Virginia; and Robert L. Thompson, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

Wednesday, April 26, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, May 1, 1989, at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 2110-2136; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 250-252, H. Con. Res. 103, and H. Res. 138-141 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 138, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration (H. Rept. 101-40).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 288 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 33, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, April 25.

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Education and Training Amendments: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 678, to make a correction in the Education and Training for a Competitive America Act of 1988—clearing the measure for the President.

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Late Report: Committee on Education and Labor received permission to have until midnight on Friday, April 28, to file a report on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs received permission to sit today and tomorrow, April 27, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Resignation: Read a letter from Alan M. Kranowitz wherein he resigns as Floor Assistant to the Minority, effective April 30, 1989.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental: House completed all general debate and began reading for amendment on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supple-

mental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration will resume at a later date.

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Agreed to the Murtha amendment that bars appropriated funds from being used to enforce Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms regulations relating to malt beverage glass returnable bottles of 12 ounces or less for those bottles ordered on or before April 21, 1989, as long as any new bottles ordered after April 21, 1989, will be in full compliance with such regulations.

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Rejected the Foley amendment that sought to cut by 0.57% previously enacted fiscal year 1989 discretionary appropriations for domestic, defense, and foreign aid programs, but would not cut previously appropriated discretionary program funding within the bill (rejected by a recorded vote of 172 yeas to 252 noes, Roll No. 35).

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The following points of order were sustained against provisions of the bill:

Language that sought to enable the Secretary of Defense and the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to adjust wage rates for civilian employees hired for certain health care occupations as authorized by the Administrator of Veterans Affairs; and

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Language that sought to require air carriers to use explosive detection equipment, especially technology equivalent to or better than, thermal neutron analysis technology to ensure the safety of air carrier passengers.

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H. Res. 135, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 223 yeas to 198 nays, Roll No. 34.

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Holocaust Remembrance: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 50, permitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for a ceremony to commemorate the days of remembrance of the victims of the Holocaust.

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Agreed to the Frost technical amendment.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 7483, 7497, 7537. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Intelligence, and on RDT&E, Defense Agencies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation; Craig I. Fields, Deputy Director, Research; and Robert A. Moore, Deputy Director, Systems and Technology, both with the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; and other departmental witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies concluded hearings on NASA. Testimony was heard from Dale D. Myers, Acting Administrator, NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUCLEAR TEST BAN READINESS PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel held a hearing on Department of Energy action on compliance with the Nuclear Test Ban Readiness program. Testimony was heard from Troy E. Wade, II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; and Ray Kidder, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

CLEAN AIR ACT COMPLIANCE

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing regarding Department of Defense compliance with the Clean Water Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Miller of California; the following officials of the GAO: Robert Procaccini, Assistant Director; Peter Guerreiro, Associate Director, Environment Issues; and Teresa Spisak, Evaluator in Charge; the following officials of the Department of Defense: William H. Parker, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment; Col. Hugh McAler, USA, Special Assistant, Environment, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army, Installations and Logistics; Nancy Stehle,

Deputy Director, Environment, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Shipbuilding and Logistics; and Col. Steve TerMaath, USAF, Assistant, Environmental Quality, Office of Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Environment, Safety and Occupational Health.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development and the Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems met in executive session to conclude joint hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on strategic special access programs and the strategic modernization program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Acquisition; and Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Acquisition.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings on fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the Secretary of Defense annual report to Congress on National Defense Stockpile Requirements. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Jack Katzen, Assistant Secretary, Production and Logistics; Lt. Gen. Charles McCausland, USAF, Director, Defense Logistics Agency; C. Wesley Carson, Acting Director, Strategic and Critical Defense Materials; and J. Wayne Kulig, Executive Director, Stockpile Management, Defense Logistics Agency.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Began markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held an oversight hearing on National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health. Testimony was heard from Dr. Donald Millar, Director, National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services.

HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE TREATMENT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitive-

ness held a hearing on health insurance coverage of drug and alcohol abuse treatment. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RENEWABLE ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on H.R. 1216, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies. Testimony was heard from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewables, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

HEALTH INSURANCE SOLD TO THE ELDERLY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing concerning health insurance sold to the elderly. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ISSUES: INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR IRELAND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 Foreign Assistance Issues: International Fund for Ireland. Testimony was heard from Representatives Foley and Donnelly; and public witnesses.

FORMER HUD OFFICIAL

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on Trading on Position and Conflict of Interest by former HUD Official. Testimony was heard from John Ols, Associate Director, Resources, Community and General Economic Development Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: Conrad Arnolts, General Engineer; and C. Duncan MacRae, General Deputy Assistant Secretary, both with Policy, Development and Research; and Burton Bloomberg, Associate General Counsel; and public witnesses.

FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported amended H.R. 770, Family and Medical Leave Act of 1989.

The Committee also considered other pending business.

COAL PIPELINE ACT; NRC AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 402, Coal Pipeline Act of 1989; and H.R. 1549, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Authorization Act for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

CATEGORIES OF NATIONALS; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law approved for full Committee action H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on Immigration Service and Executive Office for Immigration Review Budgets. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service; and David L. Milhollan, Director, Executive Office for Immigration Review; and public witnesses.

WATER SUPPLY POLICIES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources held a hearing concerning the water supply policies of the Federal government for both municipal and industrial and agricultural water supply. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hopkins, Hubbard and Perkins; G. Edward Dickey, Deputy, Policy and Evaluation, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works, Corps of Engineers; C. Dale Duvall, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; Howard C. Tankersley, Director, Watershed Projects Division, Soil Conservation Service, USDA; Roy Torkelson, Deputy Commissioner, Administration and Finance, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of New York; and public witnesses.

COLD FUSION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on Cold Fusion. Testimony was heard from Mike Saltmarsh, Fusion Energy Program, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management. Testimony was heard from William F. Ballhaus, Jr., Director, Ames Research Center, NASA; and a public witness.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care approved for full Committee

action the DVA Medical Construction Resolution for fiscal year 1990.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: H.R. 1780, to amend title 38, United States Code, to revise the eligibility for outpatient medical services furnished by the Department of Veterans' Affairs; H.R. 1931, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans' Affairs to provide certain procreative services, and reimbursement of certain adoption expenses, for married veterans with service-connected disabilities; and other health care matters. Testimony was heard from Representative Lewis of Florida; Dr. John Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, Veterans Health Services and Research Administration, Department of Veterans' Affairs; representatives of veterans' organizations; and public witnesses.

SECURITY COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on the Consumer-Price-Index Measure used in calculating Social Security cost-of-living adjustments. Testimony was heard from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; Harry C. Balantyne, Chief Actuary, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; Frederick Ribe, Assistant Director, Fiscal Analysis, CBO; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL TRADE POLICY AGENDA

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade concluded hearings on the national trade policy agenda. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce.

CARIBBEAN BASIN ECONOMIC RECOVERY EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade began markup of H.R. 1233, Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Expansion Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

EUROPE 1992

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the potential effects of the economic integration of the European Community (Europe 1992) on U.S. economy and U.S.-EC economic relations, after receiving testimony from Stephen Cooney, National Association of Manufacturers, and Gary Horlick, O'Melveny and Myers, both of Washington, D.C.; and Seamus O'Cleireacain, Columbia University and SUNY Purchase, New York, New York.

Thursday, April 27, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, May 1, 1989, at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 2137-2159; 1 private bill, H.R. 2160; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 104-105, and H. Res. 142 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Moakley to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Perkins wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 142, electing Representative Long to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs; and Representative Browder to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation and the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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200th Anniversary of Washington's Inaugural: The Speaker appointed the following Members on the part of the House to attend the ceremonies commemorating the 200th anniversary of the implementation of the Constitution as the form of government of the United States, the convening of the first Congress, the inauguration of George Washington as the first President of the United States, and the proposal of the Bill of Rights as the first ten amendments to the Constitution: Representatives Boggs, Crane, Scheuer, Solarz, Weiss, Green, Ackerman, Dornan of California, Hochbrueckner, Engel, and Lowey of New York.

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Select Committee on Hunger: The Speaker appointed Representative Engel as an additional majority member to the Select Committee on Hunger.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 11:46 a.m.

Committee Meetings

STATUS OF THE EXPORT ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review the status of the Export Enhancement Program. Testimony was heard from Richard Crowder, Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Programs, USDA; and public witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 1.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on the conversion to contract performance of trainer aircraft maintenance at Columbus Air Force Base, Mississippi, and proposed cost comparison of direct support and general support functions at Fork Polk, Louisiana. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Paul W. Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations and Housing, Department of the Army; and Lloyd K. Mosemann, II, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Logistics, Department of the Air Force.

Hearings continue May 3.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials continued hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on naval arms control issues. Testimony was heard from Roger Harrison, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; and the following officials of the Department of Defense: Robert G. Joseph, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Forces and Arms Control Policy; and VAdm. Charles R. Larson, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Plans, Policy and Operations), Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue May 4.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue May 1.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on the Budget: Ordered reported fiscal year 1990 Budget Resolution.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2109, to authorize the appropriation of funds for the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system; and H.R. 2031, to authorize the conveyance to the Columbia Hospital for Women of certain parcels of land in the District of Columbia.

NATIONAL UNIFORM STANDARDS FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY FOR PROFESSIONAL BOXING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness held a hearing on proposals to assist professional boxing to establish national uniform standards for health and safety. Testimony was heard from Representatives Richardson and Williams; Larry Hazzard, Commissioner, State Athletic Control Board, Department of Law and Public Safety, State of New Jersey; John H. Holladay, Jr., Chairman, State Athletic Commission, State of South Carolina; and public witnesses.

GROUNDWATER MONITORING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing concerning groundwater monitoring at land disposal facilities regulated under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and a public witness.

RAILROAD DRUG ABUSE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1208, Railroad Drug Abuse Prevention Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; James

L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; and public witnesses.

MINERAL LEASING ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 643, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims.

GRAND ISLAND NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kildee and Davis; F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—POST EMPLOYMENT RESTRICTIONS FOR FEDERAL OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held an oversight hearing on Post Employment Restrictions for Federal Officers and Employees. Testimony was heard from Senator Thurmond; Representatives Kaptur, Wolpe and Brown of Colorado; the following members of the President's Commission on Federal Ethics Law Reform: R. James Woolsey; and Judith Hippler Bello; John C. Keeney, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Frank Q. Nebeker, Director, Office of Government Ethics, OPM; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—REAUTHORIZATION OF COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on reauthorization for the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Commission on Civil Rights: William Barclay Allen, Chairman; Murray Friedman, Vice Chairman; Mary Frances Berry, Esther Gonzalez-Arroyo Buckley, Sherwin T.S. Chan, Robert A. Destro and Francis S. Guess, all Commissioners; and public witnesses.

JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE: DISCIPLINE AND CONDUCT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Administration of Justice held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1620, Judicial Discipline and Impeachment Reform Act of 1989; and H.R. 1930, to amend section 371 of title 28, United States Code, to provide that justices and judges in senior status, in order to receive certain salary increases, be certified as having performed

a certain amount of work each year. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Judicial Conference of the United States: Frank M. Coffin, Senior Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit and Chairman, Committee on the Federal Judicial Branch; John C. Godbold, Director, Federal Judicial Center; and Walter K. Stapleton, Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit and Chairman, Committee on the Code of Conduct; and a public witness.

NOAA FLEET MODERNIZATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on H.R. 897, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Fleet Modernization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Francis D. Moran, Director, Office of NOAA Corps Operations, NOAA, Department of Commerce; RAdm. Richard F. Pittenger, Oceanographer of the Navy, Department of the Navy; John Ols, Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

NOAA SATELLITE OCEANOGRAPHY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on NOAA Satellite Oceanography. Testimony was heard from Thomas N. Pyke, Jr., Assistant Administrator, Satellite and Information Services, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Shelby G. Tilford, Director, Earth Science and Applications Division, Office of Space, Science and Applications, NASA; RAdm. Richard F. Pittenger, Oceanographer of the Navy, Department of the Navy; Robert W. Correll, Assistant Director, Geological Sciences, NSF; and a public witness.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on the recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Thomas S. McFee, Assistant Secretary, Personnel Administration; Dr. James B. Wyngaarden, Director, NIH; and James Fletcher, former Administrator, NASA.

Hearings continue May 2.

DOE BUDGET

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on Department of Energy fiscal year 1990 budget (Environmental

Safety and Health Programs). Testimony was heard from Peter Brush, Acting Assistant Secretary, Environment, Safety and Health, Department of Energy; Tim Oppelt, Director, EPA; William Wiley, Director, Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratory; John T. Whitten, Associate Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory; John Schock, Program Leader, Energy, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; and Tim E. Myrick, Manager, Office of Waste Management Operations, Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

GAO STUDY OF DISABLED VETERANS AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PLAN

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held a hearing on GAO study of disabled veterans affirmative action plans in certain federal agencies. Testimony was heard from Bernard L. Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resources Issues, GAO; Thomas McFee; Assistant Secretary, Personnel Management, Department of Health and Human Services; Thomas Komarek, Assistant Secretary, Administration and Management, Department of Labor; Harriet Jenkins, Assistant Administrator, Equal Opportunity Programs, NASA; Curtis J. Smith, Associate Director, Career Entry Employee Development, OPM; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

PROBLEMS OF THE WORKING POOR

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources concluded hearings on the problems of the working poor. Testimony was heard from Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor.

UTILIZATION OF PENSION PLAN ASSETS IN LEVERAGED BUYOUTS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the utilization of pension plan assets in leveraged buyouts and related transactions. Testimony was heard from David Walker, Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits, Department of Labor; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Office of Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Kathleen Utgoff, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; Joseph F. Delfico, Senior Associate Director, Human Resources Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

CARIBBEAN BASIN ECONOMIC RECOVERY EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action amended

H.R. 1233, Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Expansion Act of 1989.

BORN HOOKED: CONFRONTING THE IMPACT OF PRENATAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Born Hooked: Confronting The Impact of Prenatal Substance Abuse." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HEALTH STRATEGIES FOR U.S. CHILDREN: LESSONS FROM THE THIRD WORLD

Select Committee on Hunger: Domestic Task Force and the International Task Force held a joint hearing on Health Strategies For United States Children: Lessons From The Third World. Testimony was heard from Dr. Stanley Foster, Field Service Division, Centers for Disease Control, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

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Monday, May 1, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7650-7703

Measures Introduced: Nine bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 869-877, S.J. Res. 112 and 113, and S. Con. Res. 30.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Thursday, April 27, during the recess:

S. Con. Res. 30, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. (S. Rept. No. 101-20)

Reported today:

S. 419, to provide for the collection of data about crimes motivated by race, religion, ethnicity, or sexual orientation. (S. Rept. No. 101-21)

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Measures Passed:

Permitting the Use of the Capitol Rotunda: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 50, permitting the use of the Rotunda of the Capitol for a ceremony to commemorate the days of remembrance of Victims of the Holocaust.

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Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission: Senate began consideration of S. 431, to authorize funding for the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission.

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Pending:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 65, providing for a two-year extension of the Commission.

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 66 (to Amendment No. 65), to delete funding for the Commission.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and the pending amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, May 2.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Turkey.

Melvyn Levitsky, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters.

Kenneth W. Gideon, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Shirley D. Peterson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

William Lucas, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Michael Philip Skarzynski, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Gerald L. Olson, of Minnesota, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Alfred A. Dellibovi, of New York, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Galen Joseph Reser, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Robert Refugio Davila, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education.

Sidney Linn Williams, of Virginia, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador.

E. Patrick Coady, of Virginia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

John B. Taylor, of California, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Air Force and Navy nominations.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the agreement between the United States and the Republic of Korea concerning fisheries off the coasts of the United States; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-35)

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Appointments:

National Commission on Drug-Free Schools: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-690, announced the appointments of Senators Shelby and Graham to the National Commission on Drug-Free Schools.

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Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 1295(b), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Senator Breaux from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and Senator Hollings from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, ex officio.

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United States Capitol Preservation Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-696, appointed Senators Moynihan and Reid to the United States Capitol Preservation Commission.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m., and recessed at 5:10 p.m., until 10 a.m., Tuesday, May 2, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 7704.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—NIH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Institutes of Health, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from James B. Wyngaarden, Director, Samuel Broder, Director,

National Cancer Institute, Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, Murray Goldstein, Director, National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Stroke, Jay Moskowitz, Director, National Institute of Deafness and Communicative Disorders, Ruth L. Kirschstein, Director, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, Donald Lindberg, Director, National Library of Medicine, Claude Lenfant, Director, National Institute of Heart, Lung and Blood, Harald Loe, Director, National Institute of Dental Research, Phillip Gorden, Director, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Duane Alexander, Director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Carl Kupfer, Director, National Eye Institute, David F. Rall, Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, T. Franklin Williams, Director, National Institute on Aging, Lawrence E. Shulman, Director, National Institute of Arthritis, and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases, Robert A. Whitney, Jr., Director, Division of Research Resources, Ada Sue Hinshaw, Director, National Center for Nursing Research, and Philip E. Schambra, Director, Fogarty International Center, all of the National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, May 3.

APPROPRIATIONS—FEMA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Federal Emergency Management Agency from Julius Becton, Director, FEMA.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 768, to provide all Americans with basic health benefits, receiving testimony from Elliott Richardson, Milbank, Tweed, Hadley and McCloy, former Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Deborah Steelman, Epstein, Becker, and Green, and Sterling Tucker, American Diabetes Association, all of Washington, DC; Barbara Matula, American Public Welfare Association Taskforce on Access to Healthcare, Raleigh, North Carolina; David Ramsey, Louisiana Secretary of Health and Hospitals, Baton Rouge, representing the National Association of Public Hospitals; John Polk, Council of Smaller Enterprises, Cleveland, Ohio; Eva Phillips, Takoma Park, Maryland; Mary Reich, Naperville, Illinois; and Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Mendez, Denver, Colorado.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 2161–2167 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995, amended (H. Rept. 101–41, filed April 28).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued markup of H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the District of Columbia: On April 29, the Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health continued oversight hearings on the state of the local judiciary in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Fred Cooke, Corporation Counsel, District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 20.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS BEACH RESTORATION PROJECT

Committee on Government Operations: On April 28, the Subcommittee on Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources held a hearing on Corps of Engineers Beach Restoration Project at Ocean City, MD. Testimony was heard from Representative Dyson; J. Dexter Peach, Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; the following officials of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior: Dominic Dottavio, Deputy As-

sociate Regional Director, Southeastern Region; and Thomas L. Hartman, Superintendent, Cape Hatteras National Seashore; Robert W. Page, Assistant Secre-

tary, Civil Works, Department of the Army; Dr. Torrey C. Brown, Secretary, Department of Natural Resources, State of Maryland; and a public witness.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through April 30, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	38	43	..
Time in session.....	187 hrs., 52'	110 hrs., 20'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	4,510	1,455	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	1,428	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	6	12	18
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	1	..
Measures passed, total.....	123	103	226
Senate bills.....	8	2	..
House bills.....	7	23	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	27	10	..
House joint resolutions.....	9	10	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	11	9	..
House concurrent resolutions..	3	4	..
Simple resolutions.....	58	45	..
Measures reported, total.....	*52	*41	93
Senate bills.....	9	..	..
House bills.....	..	26	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	15	..	..
House joint resolutions.....	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	3	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	..	..
Simple resolutions.....	25	13	..
Special reports.....	10	..	..
Conference reports.....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	10	9	..
Measures introduced, total.....	1,124	2,659	3,783
Bills.....	868	2,160	..
Joint resolutions.....	111	252	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	30	105	..
Simple resolutions.....	115	142	..
Quorum calls.....	3	4	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	51	22	..
Recorded votes.....	..	9	..
Bills vetoed.....	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden.....	..	..	..

* These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 20 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 41 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through April 30, 1989

Civilian nominations, totaling 182, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	50
Unconfirmed.....	129
Withdrawn.....	2
Rejected.....	1

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 1,335, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,108
Unconfirmed.....	227

Air Force nominations, totaling 5,853, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,809
Unconfirmed.....	44

Army nominations, totaling 11,675, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	10,410
Unconfirmed.....	1,265

Navy nominations, totaling 5,763, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,535
Unconfirmed.....	228

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,490, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	960
Unconfirmed.....	530

Summary

Total nominations received.....	26,298
Total confirmed.....	23,872
Total unconfirmed.....	2,423
Total withdrawn.....	2
Total rejected.....	1

Tuesday, May 2, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7760-7849

Measures Introduced: Twenty-three bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 878-900, S. Res. 116-117, S.J. Res. 114-115, and S. Con. Res. 31.

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Measures Passed:

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 117, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as amicus curiae in the name of the Senate in *United States ex rel. Newsham, et al. v. Lockheed Missiles and Space Company, Inc.*

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Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission: By 90 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 57), Senate passed H.R. 1385, to authorize funding for the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 431, and after taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

(1) Helms Modified Amendment No. 70 (to Nunn Amendment No. 67), to express the sense of the Congress that the bronze replica of the Declaration of Independence should be returned to its place of prominence in the Rotunda of the United States Capitol.

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(2) By unanimous vote of 96 yeas (Vote No. 56), Nunn Amendment No. 67, to restrict certain activities of the Commission, and to require such Commission to be subject to the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

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(3) Biden Amendment No. 72, of a technical nature.

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Rejected:

(1) By 11 yeas to 86 nays (Vote No. 52), Helms Amendment No. 66 (to Helms Amendment No. 65), to delete funding for the Commission.

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(2) By 6 yeas to 92 nays (Vote No. 53), Helms Amendment No. 65, providing for a two-year extension of the Commission.

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(3) By 19 yeas to 80 nays (Vote No. 54), Helms Amendment No. 68 (to Nunn Amendment No. 67), to prohibit the Commission from engaging in lobbying activities.

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(4) By 7 yeas to 91 nays (Vote No. 55), Helms Amendment No. 69 (to Nunn Amendment No. 67), to prohibit the Commission from engaging in certain educational activities.

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Withdrawn:

Helms Amendment No. 71 (to Nunn Amendment No. 67), to express the sense of the Congress that each Member of Congress who supports the extension of the Commission should personally contribute to the Commission the sum of \$1,000.

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S. 431, Senate companion measure, was indefinitely postponed.

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Congressional Budget Resolution: Senate began consideration of S. Con. Res. 30, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, with the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Domenici (for Symms) Amendment No. 73, to express the sense of the Senate that the assumptions underlying the reserve totals included in the resolution do not include an increase in Federal excise taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for a vote to occur on Amendment No. 73 at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, May 3.

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Senate will continue consideration of the concurrent resolution and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, May 3.

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Technical Corrections—Conferees: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Kennedy, Adams, and Hatch.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report of the National Endowment for the Humanities; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-36)

(2) Transmitting the annual report of the Federal Council on the Aging; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-37)

(3) Transmitting the first Comprehensive Triennial Report on Immigration, 1989; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (PM-38)

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Chic Hecht, of Nevada, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas.

Thomas Michael Tolliver Niles, of the District of Columbia, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the European Communities, with the rank and status of Ambassador.

Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain.

Francis Anthony Keating II, of Oklahoma, to be General Counsel of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Franklin Eugene Bailey, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

James E. Cason, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Charles E. Hess, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Carol T. Crawford, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

David Philip Prosperi, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

David J. Gribbin III of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Louis A. Williams, of Wyoming, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Air Force nominations.

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Appointment:

National Women's Business Council: The Minority Leader, in accordance with Public Law 100-533, appointed Sandra R. Herre, of Wisconsin, as a Member of the National Women's Business Council.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—57)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:02 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, May 3, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 7849.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SBA/LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Small Business Administration from Susan S. Engeleiter, Administrator, SBA; and in behalf of funds for the Legal Services Corporation from Michael B. Wallace, Chairman, Terence J. Wear, President, and Thomas F. Smegal, Jr., Member, Board of Directors, all of the Legal Services Corporation; Robert D. Raven, American Bar Association, Washington, DC.; and Bill Whitehurst, State Bar of Texas, Austin.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, May 10.

APPROPRIATIONS—REFUGEES AND MIGRATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on refugees and migration, receiving testimony from Jonathan Moore, U.S. Coordinator for Refugee Affairs, Department of State.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY/INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Energy and the Department of the Interior, receiving testimony from Senators Lott, Exon, Cranston, Wilson, and Levin; Representative Beilenson; James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; and Manuel Lujan, Jr., Secretary of the Interior.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury,

receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—NASA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from Dale D. Myers, Acting Administrator, NASA.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

BALLISTIC AND CRUISE MISSILE PROLIFERATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology concluded hearings on ballistic and cruise missile proliferation in the Third World, after receiving testimony from Senator DeConcini; Representative Berman; H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary of State for Political-Military Affairs; Jim E. Hinds, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Negotiations Policy; and Janne Nolan, Brookings Institution, Geoffrey Kemp, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, and Seth Carus, Washington Institute for Near East Policy, all of Washington, DC.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on future Navy surface forces, receiving testimony from Vice Adm. John W. Nyquist, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Surface Warfare); Capt. Clark Graham, USN, Commanding Officer, David Taylor, Naval Ship Research and Development Center; and Rear Adm. G.N. Gee, USN, Director, Surface Combat Systems Division.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings to examine the effects of vehicle fuel economy standards on global warming, receiving testimony from Senator Metzenbaum; Steve Plotkin, Senior Associate, Energy and Materials Program, Office of Technology Assessment; Barry Felrice, Associate Administrator for Rulemaking, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; John Berg, Assistant Secretary for Conservation and Renewable Energy, and Carmen Difiglio, Deputy Director, Office of Policy Integration, both of the Department of Energy; Richard D. Morganstern, Director, Office of Policy Analysis, Environ-

mental Protection Agency; Helen O. Petrauskas, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan; Marina N. Whitman, General Motors Corporation, Detroit, Michigan; and Robert G. Liberatore, Chrysler Corporation, Deborah Bleviss, International Institute for Energy Conservation, Marc R. Ledbetter, American Council For An Energy-Efficient Economy, and Clarence Ditlow, Center for Auto Safety, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ENERGY CONSERVATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Regulation and Conservation concluded hearings on S. 247, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 through 1992 for State energy conservation programs, after receiving testimony from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary for Conservation and Renewable Energy, and Frank M. Stewart, Director, Office of State and Local Programs, both of the Department of Energy; Henry Lee, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Cherry Duckett, Arkansas Industrial Development Corporation, Little Rock; Carol Tombari, Energy Management Center, Austin, Texas; William Concannon, Executive Office of Communities and Development, Boston, Massachusetts; Fred Tucker, Dixie Community Action Agency, Hugo, Oklahoma.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for foreign assistance programs, after receiving testimony from Alan Woods, Administrator, Agency for International Development (AID); Reginald Bartholomew, Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs; and Lt. Gen. Charles Brown, Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Morris B. Abram, of New York, to be the U.S. Representative to the European Office of the United Nations, John R. Bolton, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Organizations Affairs, and Douglas P. Mulholland, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Intelligence and Research, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Abram was introduced by Senator Moynihan.

NARCOTICS CONTROL STRATEGY REPORT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings to review the President's Annual Interna-

tional Narcotics Control Strategy Report, after receiving testimony from William van Raab, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee resumed hearings to assess challenges and responses to the global spread of chemical and biological weapons, focusing on U.S. enforcement of export controls on chemical and biological agents and related materials as it impacts on the non-proliferation of their use, receiving testimony from William van Raab, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; James LeMunyon, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration; Roger Harrison, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, and Paul Wisgerhof, Office of International Trade Controls, Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs, both of the Department of State; and Paul Freedenberg, Baker and Botts, Richard Perle, American Enterprise Institute, and Max Turnipseed, Chemical Manufacturers Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Kenneth W. Starr, of Virginia, to be Solicitor General of the United States, Department of Justice, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner, Robb, and Sanford, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

ADOLESCENT SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Families, Drugs and Alcoholism concluded hearings to examine alcohol and other drug abuse treatment of adolescents, after receiving testimony from Elaine Johnson, Office of Substance Abuse Programs, Rockville, Maryland; Mitchell S. Rosenthal, The Phoenix House, New York, New York; Robert A. Lewis, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana; Lois Olson, Missouri State Department of Mental Health, Jefferson City; Jeanne H. Wurmser, CPC Mental Health Services, Inc., Eatontown, New Jersey, on behalf of the National Council of Community Mental Health Centers; and Leigh Rudd, Greenwich, Connecticut.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 2168–2198; 1 private bill, H.R. 2199; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 253–256, H. Con. Res. 106, and H. Res. 143–145 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 (H. Rept. 101–42);

H. Res. 143, providing for the consideration of H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995 (H. Rept. 101–43);

H.R. 1326, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Commission for fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101–44); and

H. Res. 145, providing for the consideration of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 (H. Rept. 101–45).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 290 yeas to 102 nays, Roll No. 36, the House approved the Journal of Monday, May 1.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Member Sworn: Representative-elect Thomas of Wyoming presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the oath of Office by the Speaker.

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Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Walter Edward Grady Building: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 481, amended, to designate the building located at 2566 Hylan Boulevard, Staten Island, New York, as the "Walter Edward Grady United States Post Office". Agreed to amend the title.

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Franking Privilege: By a yea and nay vote of 174 yeas to 231 nays, Roll No. 37, the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1149, to allow Members of Congress to use the franking privilege

to disseminate copies of the Constitution of the United States.

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Special Olympics Torch Relay: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 71, authorizing the 1989 Special Olympics Torch Relay to be run through the Capitol Grounds.

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Agreed to the Anderson amendment that clarifies the official name of the event as the 1989 Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Maritime Administration Authorization: House passed H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Jones of North Carolina amendment that clarifies the roles of the Navy and the Maritime Administration in managing the Ready Reserve Force; and

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The Traficant amendment that provides Buy-American provisions to permit the Transportation Department to award a contract to a higher-bidding United States firm instead of a foreign firm if the State and Commerce Departments and the United States Trade Representative determine that such a preference is in the public interest.

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H. Res. 138, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

U.S.-Korea fishery agreement: Message wherein he transmits the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Korea Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-58);

Aging Council: Message wherein he transmits the 1988 annual report of the Federal Council on the Aging—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor; and

Endowment for the Humanities: Message wherein he transmits the twenty-third annual report of the National Endowment for the Humanities covering the year 1988—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Stroke Awareness Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 62, designating May 1989 as "National Stroke Awareness Month".

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Correctional Officers Week: House passed H.J. Res. 135, to designate the week beginning May 7, 1989, as "National Correctional Officers Week".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 7721, 7732. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Shipbuilding and Conversion. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary (Shipbuilding and Logistics); VAdm. Peter M. Hekman, USN, Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command; and VAdm. John W. Nyquist, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Surface Warfare).

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES RELATING TO DOD GOVERNMENT-OWNED CONTRACTOR-OPERATED ACTIVITIES

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on environmental issues relating to Department of Defense government-owned contractor-operated activities. Testimony was heard from William H. Parker, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense; Bruce Diamond, Director, Waste Program Enforcement, EPA; and public witnesses.

**FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM,
RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT**

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

**FREDERICKSBURG AND SPOTSYLVANIA
BATTLEFIELDS MEMORIAL NATIONAL
MILITARY PARK EXPANSION ACT**

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 875, Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania Battlefields Memorial National Military Park Expansion Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Slaughter of Virginia and Mrazek; Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

**OVERSIGHT—DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
AUTHORIZATION**

Committee on the Judiciary: Held an oversight hearing on Department of Justice Authorization. Testimony was heard from Richard Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States.

**MAGNUSON FISHERY CONSERVATION
AND MANAGEMENT ACT
REAUTHORIZATION**

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 2061, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act through fiscal year 1992. Testimony was heard from James Brennan, Assistant Administrator, Fisheries, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Ambassador Edward E. Wolfe, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Oceans and Fisheries Affairs, Department of State; RAdm. Ted Leland, USCG, Chief, Office of Law Enforcement and Defense Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

**RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL
COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE**

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on the recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AVIATION SECURITY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive detection equipment at certain airports lo-

cated outside the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment.

**CARL D. PERKINS VOCATIONAL
EDUCATION ACT AMENDMENTS**

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hawkins and Representatives Watkins and Goodling.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 5 hours of general debate, including 2 hours of debate on economic goals and policies, on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI and section 305(a)(1) of the Congressional Budget Act are waived against consideration of the concurrent resolution. The rule makes in order an amendment if offered by the chairman or ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget, to be debatable for thirty minutes, equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendment is not subject to amendment. The rule provides that no other amendment to the concurrent resolution is in order except the amendments printed in the report accompanying the rule to be offered in the order designated in the report. The amendments are to be offered in the following order by the member specified, or his designee: (1) the amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Dannemeyer, to be debatable for one hour; (2) the amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Dellums, to be debatable for three hours; (3) the amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Kasich, to be debatable for one hour; and (4) the amendment in the nature of a substitute to be offered by Representative Gephardt, to be debatable for one hour. The debate time on each amendment is to be equally divided and controlled by the member offering the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendments are not subject to amendment. All points of order against the amendments are waived. The rule provides that it shall be in order to offer the amendments designated even if a previous amendment in the nature of a substitute has been adopted. If more than one amendment is adopted, only the last amendment adopted is considered as finally adopted and reported back to the House. The rule also makes in order amendments provided in section 305(a)(5) of the Congressional Budget Act

necessary to achieve mathematical consistency. Testimony was heard from Chairman Panetta and Representatives Russo, Boxer, Durbin, Alexander, Delums, Gephardt, Dorgan of North Dakota, Cardin, Frenzel, Buechner, Kasich, and Dannemeyer.

INTER-AMERICAN SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on H.R. 2152, to reinvigorate cooperation between the United States and Latin America in science and technology. Testimony was heard from John Boright, Director, International Division, NSF; Leon Lederman, Director, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory; and public witnesses.

INFORMERCIALS AND MARKETING SMALL BUSINESS GOVERNMENT GRANT AND LOAN PROGRAMS FOR PROFIT

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Exports, Tax Policy and Special Problems held a hearing entitled: "Informercials and Marketing Small Business Government Grant and Loan Programs for Profit". Testimony was heard from Frank Swain, Chief Counsel, Office of Advocacy, SBA; William Johnson, Deputy Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, FCC; William McCleod, Director, Consumer Affairs Bureau, FTC; Jeff Padden, Director, Small Business Services, Department of Commerce, State of Michigan; Jeff Mitchell, Assistant Deputy Director, Small Business Bureau, Department of Commerce, State of Illinois; David O'Donnell, Director, Small Business Services, Department of Commerce and Economic Development, State of Virginia; and a public witness.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION RULES—EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on H.R. 1864, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify the anti-discrimination rules applicable to certain employee benefit plans. Testimony was heard from Representative LaFalce; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Office of the Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Frank S. Swain, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, SBA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

MINIMUM WAGE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Stand-

ards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Wednesday, May 3, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-two bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 901-922, S. Res. 118 and 119, S.J. Res. 116-118, and S. Con. Res. 32.

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Congressional Budget Resolution: Senate resumed consideration of S. Con. Res. 30, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, taking action of amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Domenici (for Symms) Modified Amendment No. 73, to express the sense of the Senate that the assumptions underlying the reserve totals included in the resolution do not include an increase in Federal excise taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel.

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(2) By 54 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 58), Exon Amendment No. 74, expressing the sense of the Senate that the participants in the Bipartisan Budget Agreement Between the President and the Joint Leadership of Congress should begin negotiations on an agreement for further deficit reduction.

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(3) By 97 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 59), Specter Modified Amendment No. 75, to reallocate funds to relieve State prison overcrowding and to provide additional funds for the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

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(4) Sasser (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 76, to provide funding for health care services for people with AIDS and an expedited drug approval process.

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(5) Heinz Amendment No. 77, expressing the sense of the Senate that the Congress should accurately reflect the Federal budget deficit by excluding all Social Security revenues and expenditures from such deficit and any deficit reduction calculations.

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(6) Moynihan Amendment No. 78, expressing the sense of the Senate in support for funding increases provided in the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

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(7) Symms (for Wallop) Amendment No. 79, to reallocate funding from Amtrak to the Bureau of U.S. Travel and Tourism.

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(8) Rockefeller Amendment No. 80, to increase funding for Veterans' health care benefits and services.

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Rejected:

(1) Simon Amendment No. 81, to provide increased funding for education, training, and social services. (By 64 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 60), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of certain additional amendments to be proposed.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Thursday, May 4.

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the European Economic Community Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and Foreign Relations. (PM-39)

(2) Transmitting the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Iceland Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and Foreign Relations. (PM-40)

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Messages From the President:

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—60)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:14 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Thursday, May 4, 1989.

(For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 8006.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, focusing on the Army Corps of Engineers, receiving testimony from Robert W. Page, Assistant Secretary for Civil Works, Lt. Gen. Henry J. Hatch, Chief, Corps of Engineers, and Brig. Gen. Patrick J. Kelly, Director of Civil Works, all of the Department of the Army.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education and related agencies receiving testimony from Senators Exon, Kerrey, Metzenbaum, Pressler, Simon, and Matsunaga; Representative Akaka; Pago Pago Delegate Faleomavaega; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—NASA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from Dale D. Myers, Acting Administrator, NASA.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, May 15.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, receiving testimony from Richard B. Cheney, Secretary of Defense; and Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., USN, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of H. Lawrence Garrett III, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Navy, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

RISK RETENTION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee concluded oversight hearings on the implementation of the Liability Risk Retention Act (P.L. 99-563), after receiving testimony from Susanne Howard, Associate Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, and Jane W. Molloy and Edward Barrett II, both Senior Policy Analysts, all of the Department of Commerce; David Gates, National Association of Insurance Commissioners, Michael J. Mullen, National Risk Retention Association, and Lucien P. Laborde, Jr., Corroon and Black, representing the National Association of Insurance Brokers, all of Washington, DC; David Bossman, American Feed Industry Insurance Company, Arlington, Virginia; James T. McIntyre, Risk and Insurance Management Society, Inc., New York, New York; George Shaffer, Insurance Center, Inc., Albuquerque, New Mexico, representing the Independent Insurance Agents of America, Inc., and the National Association of Casualty and Surety Agents; Karl W. Koch, Savers Property and Casualty Insurance Company, Overland Park, Kansas; and John Salisbury, Housing Authority Risk Retention Group, Inc., Cheshire, Connecticut, representing the Public Risk Management Association.

INDOOR AIR QUALITY ACT

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Oceans and Water Protection held hearings on S. 657, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 through 1994 for programs to reduce the threat to human health posed by exposure to contaminants in the air indoors, receiving testimony from Erich Bretthauer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Research and Development, and Stephen Shapiro, Environmental Protection Specialist, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; Marjorie Browne, Specialist in International Relations, Congressional Research Employees Association, Library of Congress; Charles Lamielle, National Center for Environmental Health Strategies, Voorhees, New Jersey; Philip Bromberg, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Chapel Hill, representing the American Lung Association; and Stephen Brobeck, Consumer Federation of America, Paul Cammer, Business Council on Indoor Air, David Schlein, American Federation of Government Employees, representing the Safe Workplace Air Coalition; and Allan S. Bisk, Rose Associates Inc., representing the Building Owners and Managers Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TRADE ACT

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed oversight hearings on the implementation of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act (P.L. 100-418), re-

ceiving testimony from Carla A. Hills, United States Trade Representative; and William T. Archey, United States Chamber of Commerce, Robert A. Perkins, Chrysler Corporation, Andrew A. Procasini, Semiconductor Industry Association, and Stephen M. Lovett, National Forest Products Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Herman Jay Cohen, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, focusing on East-West economic relations, receiving testimony from Ed A. Hewett, Brookings Institution, Roger W. Robinson, Jr., former Senior Director for International Economic Affairs, National Security Council, Larry Brady, Hill and Knowlton, former Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Trade Administration, and John W. Kiser III, Kiser Research Inc., all of Washington, DC; Jerry Hough, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina; Judy Shelton, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California; and Alan B. Sherr, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMERICAN PRODUCTIVITY

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings to examine the role of education and human resources in restoring American productivity, receiving testimony from Michael L. Dertouzos, Richard K. Lester, and Robert M. Solow, all on behalf of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Commission on Industrial Productivity, and Suzanne Berger, all of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ELECTION PROCEDURES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings on S. 874, to establish national voter registration procedures for Presidential and Congressional elections, S. 136, to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections, and S. 377, to establish a series of five Presidential primaries, after receiving testimony from Representatives Al Swift and William M. Thomas; Kentucky Secretary of State Bremer Ehrler, Frankfort; Donald W. Blevins, Fayette County, J. Michael Libs, Daviess County, and Randall G. Phillips, Taylor County, all on behalf of

the Kentucky County Clerks' Association; Judy Crockett, American Civil Liberties Union, Nancy M. Neuman, The League of Women Voters, and Althea T. L. Simmons, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, all of Washington, DC; Dorothy W. Joyce, Florida State Division of Elections, Tallahassee; and Susan H. Fitz-Hugh, Virginia State Board of Elections, and Ann Ober, Virginia State Department of Motor Vehicles, both of Richmond.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 2200–2226; 1 private bill, H.R. 2227; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 257–258, H. Con. Res. 107, and H. Res. 146–147 were introduced.

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Journal: By a ye-and-nay vote of 299 yeas to 107 nays, Roll No. 38, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, May 2.

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Presidential Message—Immigration: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the first Comprehensive Triennial Report on Immigration, 1989—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Budget Resolution: House concluded all debate on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments begins on Thursday, May 4.

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H. Res. 145, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

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Anniversary of Council of Europe: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 104, congratulating the Council of Europe on the 40th anniversary of its founding.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit on Thursday, May 4, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

U.S.-European Economic Community fisheries agreement: Message wherein he transmits the Agreement between the Government of the United States and

the European Economic Community Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101–59); and

U.S.-Iceland fisheries agreement: Message wherein he transmits the Agreement between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of Iceland Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101–60).

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Call—Votes: One ye-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 8007. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL WEATHER INFORMATION SYSTEM ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing on H.R. 1880, National Agricultural Weather Information System Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Leo Mayer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Economics, USDA; Ronald McPherson, Deputy Assistant Administrator, National Weather Service, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Automatic Data Processing. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Cynthia Kendall, Deputy Comptroller (Information Resources Management), Office of the Comptroller; and Lt. Gen. Bruce Harris, USA, Director, Information Systems, Command, Control, Communications and Computers.

The Subcommittee also met in executive session to hold a hearing on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation met in executive session to continue hearings on the manpower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, receiving a briefing on the CHAMPUS Reform Initiative. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the Defense Contract Audit Agency, Department of Defense: Bernard Topf, Regional Director, Western Region; Robert Lloyd, Regional Audit Manager, Western Region; and Gary Winters, Supervisory Auditor.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on revised budget request. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: John A. Flinn, Director of Operations, Office of the Comptroller; Brig. Gen. Josue Robles, Assistant Director, Operations, Army Budget Office, Department of the Army; RAdm. Raymond M. Walsh, Director, Operations Division, Office of Budget and Reports, Department of the Navy; Lt. Gen. W.G. Carson, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff (Installations and Logistics) U.S. Marine Corps; and Brig. Gen. John L. Finan, Director, Budget Operations, Department of the Air Force.

FLOOD INSURANCE

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance held a hearing on flood insurance. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fascell, Jones of North Carolina, Boggs, Upton, and Carper; Harold T. Duryee, Administrator, Federal Insurance Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT—CRIME, VIOLENCE AND DRUGS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health held an oversight hearing on crime, violence and drugs in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GENERAL DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the investigation of the generic drug approval process at the FDA. The witness, Walter Kletch, chemist, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, invoked his constitutional privileges in refusing to answer committee questions.

ANNIVERSARY OF COUNCIL OF EUROPE; U.S.-JAPAN AGREEMENT TO CO-DEVELOP THE FSX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported H. Con. Res. 104, congratulating the Council of Europe on the 40th anniversary of its founding.

The Committee also held a hearing on proposed U.S.-Japan Agreement to co-develop the FSX aircraft. Testimony was heard from Dick Cheney, Secretary of Defense; Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; and Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Deputy Secretary of State.

ISSUANCE OF A SUBPOENA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer, and Monetary Affairs met and authorized the issuance of a subpoena to Arthur Andersen and Company in connection with the investigation into misconduct by IRS employees.

UNCONTROLLED EXPORT OF UNREGISTERED PESTICIDES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on the Uncontrolled Export of Unregistered Pesticides. Testimony was heard from J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; Linda Fisher, Acting Administrator, Policy, Planning and Evaluation, EPA; and a public witness.

NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION ACT; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2190, National Voter Registration Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved other pending business.

AMERICAN HERITAGE TRUST ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 876, American Heritage Trust Act of 1989.

NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held a hearing on H.R. 743, Negotiated Rulemaking Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative

Pease; Marshal J. Bregar, Chairman, Administrative Conference of the United States; Neil R. Eisner, Assistant General Counsel, Regulation and Enforcement, Department of Transportation; Robert P. Baker, Acting Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—FREE TRADE IN IDEAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on Free Trade in Ideas. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT—JONES ACT; COASTWISE OR FISHERIES PRIVILEGES LEGISLATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held an oversight hearing on the Jones Act Domestic Commerce (Bowaters Act) and on legislation to grant coastwise or fisheries privileges (H.R. 1328, H.R. 1580 and H.R. 1803). Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Hutto and Fascell; the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Robert S. Silberman, Deputy Administrator, Inland Waterways and Great Lakes, Maritime Administration; and Capt. James M. MacDonald, USCG, Chief, Merchant Vessel Inspection and Documentation Division, Office, Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard; Paul G. Hegland, Customs Attorney, Carrier Rulings Branch, Regulatory Procedures and Penalties Division, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on the recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from William H. Rehnquist, Chief Justice of the United States.

Hearings continue May 10.

VIETNAM ERA VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on concerns of Vietnam Era veterans. Testimony was heard from Senator Kerry; Representative McDermott; Dr. Susan Mather, Chief, Women Veterans Programs, Veterans Health Services and Research Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; representative of various agencies from the States of New Jersey; and New York; and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; representatives of veterans organizations; and public witnesses.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION RULES—EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on H.R. 1864, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify the anti-discrimination rules applicable to certain employee benefit plans. Testimony was heard from Representative Crane; and public witnesses.

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Thursday, May 4, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nine bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 923-931, S. Res. 120 and 121, S.J. Res. 119-121, and S. Con. Res. 33.

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Measures Passed:

Elections in Panama: By unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 62), Senate agreed to S. Res. 120, expressing the sense of the Senate relating to free and fair elections in Panama.

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Congratulating the Council of Europe: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 104, congratulating the Council of Europe on the 40th anniversary of its founding.

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Congressional Budget Resolution—1990: By 68 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 64), Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, after striking all after the resolving clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. Con. Res. 30, and after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Sanford Amendment No. 83, to express the sense of the Senate for a more truthful presentation of the deficit.

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(2) Packwood Amendment No. 84, to establish a reserve fund for childcare programs.

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(3) Domenici (for D'Amato) Amendment No. 85, to provide additional funds for prison expenses related to drug offenses in order to relieve State prison overcrowding.

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(4) Wilson Amendment No. 87, to reallocate funds in order to increase efforts against illegal drug trafficking and abuse.

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(5) Ford Amendment No. 88, to express the sense of the Senate that the Congress should enact legislation to establish a biennial budget process.

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(6) Boschwitz Amendment No. 89, to express the sense of the Senate that all Congressional and Executive budget documents should emphasize a baseline based on the current level of Federal spending instead of the current services baseline.

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(7) Heinz Amendment No. 91, to express the sense of the Senate in opposition to full membership status of the Palestine Liberation Organization in the World Health Organization or other United Nations agencies.

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(8) Armstrong Amendment No. 92, to increase funding for the Social Security function to accommodate changes in the earnings test.

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(9) Sasser (for Wirth) Amendment No. 93, to express the sense of the Senate on United States policy to reduce the global generation of greenhouse gases.

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(10) Sasser (for Bond) Amendment No. 94, to express the sense of the Senate the continued support of funding of the National Aerospace Plane program.

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(11) Sasser Amendment No. 95, to state assumptions regarding revenue legislation.

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(12) Sasser Amendment No. 96, of a technical nature.

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(13) Sasser (for Graham) Amendment No. 97, to express the sense of the Senate that the 1990 budget agreement should be fully and quickly implemented and that the agreement represents the action most probable to avoid a budget impasse and sequester.

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(14) Sasser (for Dole) Amendment No. 98, to express the sense of the Congress that disaster assistance should be extended to losses due to adverse weather conditions in 1988 and 1989 for agricultural commodities planted in 1988 for harvest in 1989.

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(15) Sasser (for Roth) Amendment No. 99, to express the sense of the Senate that a target for maximum debt held by the public be set, that the appropriate committees of the Congress shall consider legislation strengthening budget procedures to promote compliance with this target and shall consider

budget procedures which would take effect in the event that the target is exceeded.

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Rejected:

(1) By 18 yeas to 82 nays (Vote No. 61), Hollings Amendment No. 90, in the nature of a substitute, to freeze outlays at the fiscal year 1989 level, except for cost-of-living adjustments and growth in beneficiaries for Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid, to increase outlays for program priorities, and maintain the revenue assumptions of the Bipartisan Budget Agreement.

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(2) By 19 yeas to 81 nays (Vote No. 63), Kohl motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Budget with instruction to report back a revised resolution on the budget setting forth amounts and levels determined on the basis of the economic and technical assumptions of the Congressional Budget Office for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Withdrawn:

(1) Garn Amendment No. 86, to establish a reserve fund for continued development of the international space station Freedom.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Sasser, Riegle, Lautenberg, Simon, Sanford, Wirth, Domenici, Grassley, Kasten, and Gramm.

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S. Con. Res. 30, Senate companion measure, was indefinitely postponed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

William G. Rosenberg, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

John R. Bolton, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

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Executive Report of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of Paul D. Wolfowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-4)

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Appointments:

National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-607, appointed Dr. Charles Konigsberg, of Kansas, to the

National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome.

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Central American Negotiations Observer Group: The Minority Leader, in accordance with S. Res. 106, section 2(a)(2)(B), appointed Senators Bond and Gramm to the Central American Negotiations Observer Group.

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Committee Authority: All committees were authorized to file reports on Monday, May 8, 1989, from 12 noon until 3 p.m., during the recess of the Senate.

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Messages From the House:

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Executive Reports of Committees:

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—64)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and recessed at 8:23 p.m., until 12 noon, on Friday, May 5, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings to review the revised proposed budget estimates for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, receiving testimony from Donald J. Atwood, Jr., Deputy Secretary of Defense.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Bureau of Reclamation, receiving testimony from Manual Lujan, Jr., Secretary of the Interior; and C. Dale Duvall, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget

estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on international organizations, receiving testimony from Thomas R. Pickering, U.S. Representative to the United Nations; and Sandra Vogelgesang, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organizations.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 9.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—FAA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Aviation Administration, receiving testimony from Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—OMB

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of Management and Budget, receiving testimony from Richard G. Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Paul D. Wolfowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and to review the fiscal years 1990 through 1994 five year defense plan, receiving testimony from Gen. Carl E. Vuono, USA, Chief of Staff, U.S. Army; Adm. Carlisle A.H. Trost, USN, Chief of Naval Operations; Gen. Alfred M. Gray, Jr., USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps; and

Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 10.

ARMOR AND ANTI-ARMOR PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense held hearings to review the implementation of the Army's armor and anti-armor programs, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, USA, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development, and Acquisition); Maj. Gen. W.A. Shoffner, USA, Assistant Deputy Chief of Army Staff for Operations and Plans (Force Development and Integration); and Maj. Gen. R.M. Franklin, USMC, Deputy Chief of Marine Corps Staff for Research, Development, and Studies.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STRATEGIC PETROLEUM RESERVE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 694, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 through 1995 for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, after receiving testimony from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Fossil Energy; Keith Fultz, Director, Energy Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; H. Leighton Steward, The Louisiana Land and Exploration Company, New Orleans; John H. Lichtblau, Petroleum Industry Research Foundation, Inc., New York, New York; and Arnold E. Safer, The Energy Futures Group, Inc., Bethesda, Maryland.

COMANCHE PEAK INVESTIGATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Nuclear Regulation held hearings on the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant, focusing on legal and policy implications of settlement agreements affecting the ability of persons to testify before the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, receiving testimony from Lando W. Zech, Jr., Chairman, and Thomas M. Roberts, Kenneth C. Rogers, and James R. Curtiss, all Commissioners, all of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission; Zack T. Pate, Institute of Nuclear Power Operations, Atlanta, Georgia; Edward Smeloff, Sacramento Municipal Utility District, Sacramento, California; James Shetler, Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station, Herald, California; T. Louis Austin, Jr., Brown and Root, Houston, Texas; Michael D. Spence, Texas Utilities Generating Company, Dallas; Joseph J. Macktal, Glenn Rose, Texas; and Billie Pirner Garde, Appleton, Wisconsin.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Rufus H. Yerxa, of the District of Columbia, to be a Deputy U.S. Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador, Eric I. Garfinkel, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, John E. Robson, of Georgia, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury, Robert R. Glauber, of Massachusetts, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury, David Campbell Mulford, of Illinois, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury, Constance Horner, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Health and Human Services, and Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Human Development Services.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Yerxa, Garfinkel, Robson, Glauber, and Mulford, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Yerxa was introduced by Representative Rostenkowski, and Mr. Robson was introduced by Senators Dole, Nunn, and Simon.

RURAL HEALTH

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to examine the financial condition of rural hospitals and their ability to deliver health care to Medicare recipients, receiving testimony from Senator Harkin; Curtis C. Erickson and Mark Steinwald, both of the Great Plains Health Alliance, Inc., Phillipsburg, Kansas, both on behalf of the Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; Paul C. Rettig, American Hospital Association, Washington, DC; Timothy K. Size, Rural Wisconsin Hospital Cooperative, Madison, on behalf of the National Rural Health Care Association; Kevin M. Fickenscher, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks; Michael D. McKinney and Tom Nance, both of the Texas Hospital Association, Centerville; Richard O. Brown, Montana Hospital Association, Chester; Robert L. Harman, Grant Memorial Hospital, Petersburg, West Virginia; and Eric V. Buckland, North Lincoln Hospital, Lincoln City, Oregon.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—USIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the U.S. Information Agency, after receiving testimony from Bruce S. Gelb, Director, U.S. Information Agency; Cassandra A. Pyle, Council for International Exchange of Scholars, Washington, DC.; and Elbert B. Smith, University of Maryland, College Park, representing the Fulbright Alumni Association.

INFRASTRUCTURE PROBLEMS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on General Services, Federalism and the District of Columbia concluded oversight hearings to review the role of Federal, State and local governments and the private sector in solving the Nation's infrastructure problems, after receiving testimony from Representative Anthony; Connecticut State Treasurer Francisco L. Borges, Hartford; Pennsylvania Secretary of Transportation Howard Yerusalm, Harrisburg; Burton Stallwood, Lincoln, Rhode Island, on behalf of the National League of Cities; James Rout, Shelby County, Tennessee, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; Virginia B. Rutledge, Massachusetts Wholesale Electric Company, Boston, on behalf of the Government Finance Officers Association; and Nancy S. Rutledge, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, on behalf of the National Council on Public Works Improvement.

ILLITERACY

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities held hearings on proposed legislation to coordinate and strengthen efforts at the Federal, State, local and private and non-profit sector levels to combat illiteracy in the United States, receiving testimony from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; Kay Wright, Acting Assistant Secretary of Education for Adult and Vocational Education; Roberts T. Jones, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment and Training; Catherine Bertini, Acting Assistant Secretary for Family Support, and Clennie Murphy, Acting Associate Commissioner of Head Start Bureau, Office of Human Development Services, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; Eric Burch and Gloria Wattles, both on behalf of the Economic Opportunity Corporation Literacy Program, Effingham, Illinois; Landra Reid, Nevada Literacy Coalition, Carson City; Nancy Seminoff, Connecticut Central University, Storrs, on behalf of the International Reading Association Board; J. William Straughan, Jr., American Bar Association Task Force on Literacy, Chicago, Illinois; and Forrest P. Chisman, Southport Institute for Policy Analysis, and Paul V. Delker, Strategic Educational Systems, and former Department of Education Director of the Division of Adult Education, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 11.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 2228-2263; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 259-261, H. Con. Res. 108-110, and H. Res. 148-149 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice, amended (H. Rept. 101-46)

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Select Committee on Hunger: The Speaker appointed Representative AuCoin as an additional majority member of the Select Committee on Hunger.

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Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: The Speaker appointed Representative Grant as an additional minority member of the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control.

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Budget Resolution: By a yea-and-nay vote of 263 yeas to 157 nays, Roll No. 43, the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Agreed to the Panetta amendment that increases veterans medical care programs by \$225 million in budget authority and \$175 million in outlays through small reductions in all other categories of domestic discretionary spending.

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Rejected:

The Dannemeyer amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to provide for a deficit reduction of \$62 billion through refinancing the Government's debt by issuing 40-year, gold-backed bonds and declaring a one-time tax amnesty (rejected by a recorded vote of 72 ayes to 350 noes, Roll No. 39);

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The Dellums amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to reduce the fiscal year 1990 defense authority by \$35.4 billion and raise \$20.1 billion in additional revenue through various tax measures targeted at the very wealthiest individuals and corporations (rejected by a recorded vote of 81 ayes to 343 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 40);

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The Kasich amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to provide for a further \$8.6 billion in deficit reduction by freezing all discretionary spending at the fiscal year 1989 program levels, re-

ducing Medicare by an additional \$2.7 billion, and providing for \$300 million in additional savings (rejected by a recorded vote of 30 ayes to 393 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 41); and

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The Gephardt amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to raise an additional \$9 billion in revenue through an oil import fee to provide \$5.8 billion for various high-priority domestic programs and \$3.2 billion for additional deficit reduction (rejected by a recorded vote of 49 ayes to 373 noes, Roll No. 42).

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 148, electing Representative Grant to the Committee on Agriculture, Representative Thomas of Wyoming to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Representative Duncan to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Representative Machtley to the Committee on Small Business, and Representative Paxon to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and four recorded votes were developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 8141, 8165, 8177, 8193, 8194. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to continue hearings on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative held a hearing on the House of Representatives in coming mail backlog. Testimony was heard from Robert V. Rota, Postmaster, House of Representatives.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies continued appropria-

tion hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FSX CO-DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM BETWEEN THE U.S. AND JAPAN

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the proposed FSX co-development program between the United States and Japan. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Glen A. Rudd, Deputy Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency; and Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Acquisition, Department of the Air Force; Joan M. McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary, Export Administration, Department of Commerce; and William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on an overview of the revised budget request. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations, Department of Defense; Maj. Gen. Peter J. Offringa, Assistant Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army; RAdm. Benjamin F. Montoya, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Department of the Navy; Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, Director, Facilities and Services Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff (Installations and Logistics) U.S. Marine Corps; and Maj. Gen. Joseph A. Ahearn, Director, Engineering and Services, Department of the Air Force.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials concluded hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on long-range future of the Navy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: H. Lawrence Garrett III, Under Secretary; Adm. Carlisle A.H. Trost, Chief, Naval Operations; and Gen. Alfred A. Gray, Commandant, Marine Corps; and public witnesses.

FLOOD INSURANCE

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance concluded hearings on flood insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WASHINGTON METRORAIL SYSTEM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Government Operations and Metropolitan Af-

fairs held a hearing on H.R. 1463, to amend the National Capital Transportation Act of 1969 relating to the Washington Metrorail System. Testimony was heard from Senators Sarbanes, Mikulski, Warner and Robb; Representatives Hoyer, McMillen of Maryland, Morella and Wolf; Alfred A. Dellibovi, Administrator, Urban Mass Transit Administration, Department of Transportation; the following officials of the State of Maryland: Richard Trainor, Secretary of Transportation; Sidney Kramer, County Executive, Montgomery County; and Fern Piret, Senior Advisor to Chief Executive Officer, Prince Georges County; the following officials of the State of Virginia: Vivian E. Watts, Secretary, Transportation and Public Safety; Audrey Moore, Chairwoman, Board of Supervisors, Fairfax County; Ellen Bozman, Chairwoman, Board of Supervisors, Arlington County; and James P. Moran, Jr., Mayor, City of Alexandria; the following officials of the District of Columbia: Marion S. Barry, Jr., Mayor; David A. Clarke, Chairman, Council; Richard J. Castaldi, Chairman, Board of Directors; and Carmen E. Turner, General Manager, both with the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1312, amended, to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal year 1992 certain authorities contained in such act relating to national volunteer anti-poverty programs; H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986; and H.R. 2087, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.

OVERSIGHT—GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power continued oversight hearings on Global Warming, with emphasis on EPA's draft report entitled: Policy Options for Stabilizing Global Climate. Testimony was heard from Linda Fisher, Assistant Administrator, Policy, Planning and Evaluation, EPA.

ISSUE OF SCIENTIFIC FRAUD AND MISCONDUCT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing into the issue of scientific fraud and misconduct. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 9.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on the telecommunications industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHEMICAL WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control and International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on chemical weapons proliferation. Testimony was heard from Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State.

RECENT POLITICAL UNREST IN THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asia and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Recent Political Unrest in the People's Republic of China. Testimony was heard from Richard Williams, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State.

PLO ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN STATEHOOD RECOGNITION AT THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2145, to prohibit U.S. contributions to the United Nations or any of its affiliated organizations if full membership as a state is granted to any organization or group that does not have the internationally recognized attributes of statehood.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Palestine Liberation Organization attempt to obtain statehood recognition at the World Health Organization, including consideration of H.R. 2145. Testimony was heard from Shaw Smith, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Organizations, Department of State.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMPUTER SECURITY ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on Implementation of the Computer Security Act of 1987. Testimony was heard from Representatives Brooks and Glickman; Milton J. Socolar, Special Assistant to the Comptroller General, GAO; James J. Hearn, Deputy Director, Information Security, NSA; Raymond Kammer, Deputy Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—HARD MINERAL MINING IN THE U.S. EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on hard mineral mining in the U.S. Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ). Testimony was heard from Edward Cassidy, Deputy Director, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; James Lawless, Chief, Oceans Minerals and Energy Division, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan; and H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, NV, for national defense.

OVERSIGHT—FREE TRADE IN IDEAS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice continued oversight hearings on Free Trade in Ideas. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RICO REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 1046, RICO Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from John C. Keeney, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT RESEARCH POLICY ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on H.R. 980, Global Environment Research Policy Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from William E. Evans, Under Secretary, Oceans and Atmosphere, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive detection equipment at certain airports located outside the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment; H.R. 838, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission for airport purposes;

and H.R. 968, Noise Reduction Reimbursement Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved 2 11(b) resolutions.

COLLISION AVOIDANCE

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on collision avoidance technology testing, evaluation, and installation deadlines. Testimony was heard from Representative Packard; Edith B. Page, Transportation Project Director, OTA; Anthony Broderick, Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification, FAA, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

PAPER AND PRINT PRESERVATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee Science Research and Technology held a hearing on Paper and Print Preservation. Testimony was heard from James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress, Library of Congress; Jeffery D. Denit, Deputy Director, Office of Solid Waste, EPA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 1154, amended, Assault Weapon Import Control Act of 1989; H.R. 1233, amended, Caribbean Basic Economic Recovery Expansion Act of 1989; and the U.S. Customs Service authorization for fiscal year 1990.

HOUSING FOR THE FRAIL ELDERLY

Select Committee on Aging: Held a hearing on Housing for the Frail Elderly: Support Services for the Frail Elderly in Government Subsidized Housing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

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Friday, May 5, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate convened at 12:00:21:00, in pro forma session, and recessed at 12:00:21:53, until 11 a.m., on Tuesday, May 9.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, May 8.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative Branch held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Legislative Branch, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress; Joseph E. Jenifer, Deputy Public Printer, Government Printing Office; and Edward W. Ray, Commissioner, Copyright Royalty Tribunal.

Subcommittee will meet again on Monday, May 8.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to review the Administration's report to Congress on international economic and exchange rate policy, after receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury; and David C. Mulford, Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs-designate.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Ronald F. Lehman II, of Virginia, to be Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, and Richard R. Burt, of Arizona, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of Delegation on Nuclear and Space Talks and Chief Negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START), after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

1990 CENSUS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation concluded hearings to review the accuracy and quality of plans for the 1990 Census, after receiving testimony from C. Louis Kincannon, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Census, and Michael A. Stoto, Chairman, Advisory Committee on the Census, American Statistical Association, both of the Department of Commerce; Gene L. Dodaro, Director, General Management Issues, General Government Division, General Accounting Office; Peyton Young, University of Mary-

land, College Park; and Edward J. Spar, Market Statistics, Inc., New York, New York.

ASSAULT WEAPONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded hearings on S. 386, to control the sale and importation of assault weapons, and S. 747, to protect the rights of legal owners while attacking the problems associated with the illegal use of assault weapons, after receiving testimony from Edward C. Ezell, Curator Supervisor, Division of Armed Forces History, National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution; Dewey Stokes, Galloway, Ohio, on behalf of the Fraternite Order of Police; Sheriff John F. Duffy, San Diego County, California, on behalf of the National Sheriffs' Association; Chief William Nolan, Homewood Police Department, Homewood, Illinois; Sheriff Clarence Dupnik, Pima County, Arizona; Phillip C. McGuire, Handgun Control Inc., Washington, DC; Roxanne Roberts, Cook County Hospital, Chicago, Illinois; Leroy Pyle, San Jose Police Department, San Jose, California; and Jimmy L. Trahin, Los Angeles Police Department, Los Angeles California.

INDIAN FEDERAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 611, to establish administrative procedures to determine the status of certain Indian groups, after receiving testimony from Hazel Elbert, Acting Deputy to the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs (Operations), Lynn Forcia, Chief, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Branch of Acknowledgment and Research, and Scott Keep, Assistant Solicitor, Branch of Tribal Government and Alaska Division of Indian Affairs, all of the Department of the Interior; William C. Sturtevant, Anthropologist, Curator of North American Ethnology, Smithsonian Institution; Reid Chambers, Sonosky, Chambers, Sachse and Miller, Faith Roessel, Native American Rights Fund, and Russel Barsh, all of Washington, D.C.; Darrell Wadena and Kent Tupper, both of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, Cass Lake; Stanley G. Jones, Sr. and Douglas L. Bell, both of the Tulalip Tribe, Tulalip, Washington; Hilda Manuel, Tohono O'odham Tribe, Tohono O'odham, Arizona; Violet Mitchell, Fort Mojave Tribal Council, Ft. Mojave, Arizona, representing the Intertribal Council of Arizona; Phil Alexis, Confederated Historic Tribes of Michigan, Lansing; Helen Gindrat, United Houma Nation, Inc., Golden Meadow, Louisiana; Bruce Duthu, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire; Ray White and Stewart Rafert, both of the Miami Tribe of Indiana, Muncie; Don Widdis, Gayhead Wampanoag Tribe, Wayland, Massachusetts; Jack Campisi, Wellesly College, Wellesly, Massachusetts; Raymond Fogelson, University of Chicago, Chicago,

Illinois; Jack Trope, Association on American Indian Affairs, New York, New York; Allogan Slagle, Concord, California; Michael Mason, Native American Program of Oregon Legal Services, Portland; and Arlinda Locklear, Brunswick, Maryland.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, May 8.

Committee Meetings

PROPOSED JOINT DEVELOPMENT OF THE FSX FIGHTER WITH JAPAN

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on proposed joint development of the FSX fighter with Japan. Testimony was heard from Joan McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Commerce; William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary, Department of State; and the following officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Ronald Yates, U.S. Air Force; and Glenn Rudd, Deputy Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency.

Joint Meetings

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for April, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Monday, May 8, 1989

Senate

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, May 9, 1989, at 11 a.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal years 1990 for certain programs of

the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 11.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative Branch held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for activities of the Architect of the Capitol from George M. White, Architect of the Capitol; and in behalf of funds for activities of the BioMedical Ethics Board from Senator Gore; and Robert M. Cook-Deegan, Executive Director, BioMedical Ethics Board.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 11.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support held open and closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the readiness and sustainability posture of selected unified combatant commands, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Edwin S. Leland, USA, Chief of Staff, U.S. European Command; Maj. Gen. H.C. Stackpole III, USMC, Director for Plans and Policy, U.S. Atlantic Command; Maj. Gen. Royal N. Moore, Jr., USMC, Director for Operations, U.S. Pacific Command; and Maj. Gen. Christian Patte, USA, Director for Logistics, U.S. Central Command.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, May 12.

GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology and Space held hearings to examine research on global climate change in order to determine how much global temperatures will increase in the future and the effects that greenhouse warming will have on the earth's environment, receiving testimony from Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; James Hansen, Director, Goddard Institute for Space Studies, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Jerry D. Mahlman, Director, Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory, Princeton, New Jersey; George Woodwell, Director, Woods Hole Research Center, Woods Hole, Massachusetts; and Stephen H. Schneider, Section Head, Interdisciplinary Climate Systems Section and Ralph J. Cicerone, Section Head, Atmospheric Gas Measurements Section, both of the National Center for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, Colorado, all of

the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; and V. Ramanathan, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATURAL GAS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 783, S. 625, and H.R. 1722, bills to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas and make certain technical and conforming amendments to the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978, after receiving testimony from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary for Fossil Fuels, and William Scherman, Chief of Staff, Office of the Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, both of the Department of Energy; Nicholas Bush, Natural Gas Supply Association, Danny Conklin, Independent Petroleum Association of America, Gordon Gooch, Travis and Gooch, on behalf of the Petrochemical Energy Group; and Ewin Rothschild, Citizen-Labor Energy Coalition, all of Washington, DC; Kenneth Lay, Enron Corp., Houston, Texas, on behalf of the Interstate Natural Gas Association of America; George Lawrence, American Gas Association, Arlington, Virginia; Robert McPhail, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Bismarck, North Dakota; Lee Liberman, Laclede Gas Company, St. Louis, Missouri; and Charles Schusterman, Samson Companies, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, after receiving testimony from Arthur Levitt, Jr., American Stock Exchange, New York, New York, and John T. Joyce, International Union of Bricklayers and Allied Craftsmen, and Richard L. McCall, both of Washington, DC, all on behalf of the International Commission for Central American Recovery and Development; Stephen Hellinger, Development Group for Alternative Policies, Thomas Stoel, Natural Resources Defense Council, Sharon Pauling, Bread for the World, Douglas Siglin, InterAction, Thomas A. Dine, American-Israel Public Affairs Committee, George R. Moses, National Association of Arab Americans, Andrew E. Manatos, Manatos & Manatos, on behalf of the United Hellenic American Congress, American Hellenic Alliance, Pancyprrian Association of America, and the Hellenic American Council of Southern California, Dean C. Lomis, American Hellenic Institute Public Affairs Committee, Inc., and Parker T. Hart, former U.S. Ambassador to Turkey, all of Washington, D.C.; and Joseph D. Youssouf, Freehold, New Jersey, on behalf of the Turkish-Cypriot Cultural

and Educational Association of the United States of America.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Peter F. Secchia, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to Italy, Charles Edgar Redman, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Sweden, and Walter J.P. Curley, of New York, to be Ambassador to France, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William M. Diefenderfer III, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director, Office of Management and Budget, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Packwood, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 2264–2266 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate (H. Rept. 101–47).

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Presidential Message—Radiation Control: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the report of the Department of Health and Human Services regarding the administration of the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act during calendar year 1988—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:07 p.m.

REFORM OF AFDC QUALITY CONTROL

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on reform of Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) quality control. Testimony was heard from Catherine Bertini, Acting Assistant Secretary, Family Support, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

Committee Meetings**TIED AID CREDIT PRACTICES**

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on the Export-Import Bank Report to Congress on Tied AID Credit Practices. Testimony was heard from William F. Ryan, Acting President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Department of Housing and Urban Affairs; and public witnesses.

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Tuesday, May 9, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-two bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 932-953, S. Res. 122, S.J. Res. 122-124, and S. Con. Res. 34 and 35. Page 8499

Measures Passed:

Anne Frank Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 65, designating June 12, 1989, as "Anne Frank Day", and the resolution was then passed. Page 8595

National Correctional Officers Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 135, to designate the week beginning May 7, 1989, as "National Correctional Officers Week", and the resolution was then passed. Page 8596

Decertification of the Bahamas: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the con-

sideration of S.J. Res. 100, disapproving the certification by the President under section 481(h) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 with respect to the Bahamas, on Wednesday, May 10, 1989, at 2 p.m. Page 8599

Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

Rufus Hawkins Yerxa, of the District of Columbia, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador. Page 8599

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on Friday, May 5, during the recess:

Melvin F. Sembler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Australia and to be Ambassador to the Republic of Nauru.

Richard H. Solomon, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Jewel S. Lafontant, of Illinois, to be United States Coordinator for Refugee Affairs and Ambassador-at-Large.

Jo Ann D. Smith, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Kathleen M. Harrington, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Kenneth B. Kramer, of Colorado, to be an Associate Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

Received today:

General Robert T. Herres, USAF, to be Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Major General William K. Suter, USA, to be Judge Advocate General.

Brigadier General John L. Fugh, USA, to be Assistant Judge Advocate General and Major General. Page 8599

Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Received on Friday, May 5, during the recess:

Francis J. Duggan, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor. Page 8599

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on Friday, May 5, during the recess:

Transmitting the report of the Department of Health and Human Services regarding the administration of the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-41)

Received today:

Transmitting the District of Columbia's fiscal year 1990 Budget and fiscal year 1989 Budget supplement-

tal; which was referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM-42)

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Change of Conferee: By unanimous-consent, Senator Armstrong was added as a conferee on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, in lieu of Senator Kasten.

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Messages From the President:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 4:57 p.m., until 1 p.m., on Wednesday, May 10, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 8599.)

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL CREDIT ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit resumed oversight hearings on the Farmers Home Administration implementation of the Agricultural Credit Act (Public Law 100-233), as it relates to borrowers, receiving testimony from Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administrator, and Glenn Hertzler, Jr., assistant Administrator for Farmers Programs, both of the Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; James T. Massey, Farmers' Legal Action Group, Inc., Sisters, Oregon; Cheryl Cook, National Farmers Union, Washington, DC; Benny Bunting, National Save the Family Farm Coalition, Oak City, North Carolina; Johnny Porch, American Agriculture Movement, Brownsville, Tennessee; and Donna Shoop, Farm Counseling Service, Inc., Memphis, Missouri.

Hearing were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings on special access programs, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; and Vice Adm. Robert F. Dunn, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations, Air Warfare.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

FSX AIRCRAFT AGREEMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology resumed open and closed hearings to review the implications of the FSX aircraft agreement between the United States and Japan, receiving testimony from Senator Danforth; William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Carl W. Ford, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; Joan M. McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration; and Joseph E. Kelley, Director, George Sousa, Assistant Director, Glenn Levis, Evaluator-in-Charge, and Richard S. Felsmer, Technical Adviser, all of the National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INDUSTRY-GOVERNMENT COOPERATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings to examine how U.S. industry and government can work together to promote the development of commercial technologies, including advanced television and superconductivity, receiving testimony from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; Jack D. Kuehler, IBM Corporation, Armonk, New York; and Pat Hill Hubbard, American Electronics Association, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Charles H. Dallara, of South Carolina, to be Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs, Hollis S. McLoughlin, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Policy Development, Roger Bolton, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Public Affairs and Public Liaison, and Kay C. James, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Public Affairs.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the aforementioned nominations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Dallara was introduced by Senators Warner and Thurmond, and Mr. Bolton was introduced by Senator McConnell.

SECTION 89 NONDISCRIMINATION RULES

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to examine the impact of Section 89 nondiscrimination rules of the Tax Reform Act of 1986 applicable to employer-provided fringe benefits, receiving testi-

mony from Senator Domenici; Representative LaFalce; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Department of the Treasury; William J. Burckley, Greensboro, North Carolina, on behalf of the National League of Cities and the Government Finance Officers Association; Anthony C. Williams, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Donald H. Skadden and Deborah Walker, both of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and Donald C. Alexander, Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft, on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, all of Washington, DC; Mary Kelley, Kelly and Company, Denver, Colorado, on behalf of the National Federation of Independent Business; Bruce Carswell, GTE Corporation, Stamford, Connecticut, on behalf of the ERISA Industry Committee and the Section 89 Coalition; Karl E. Hansen, The National Association of Life Underwriters, San Francisco, California; William W. Richardson, Valero Energy Corporation, San Antonio, Texas, on behalf of Employers Council on Flexible Compensation and the Cafeteria Plan Coalition; Ron Danilson, The Principal Financial Group, Des Moines, Iowa; Sandy Galef, Westchester County Board of Legislators, Westchester County, New York, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; Joseph K. Peery, Quanex Corporation, Houston, Texas; Kathi Child, J. C. Penney Company, Inc., Dallas, Texas, on behalf of the Retail Tax Committee of Common Interest; and James H. Lagos, National Small Business United, Springfield, Ohio.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE/USIA/BIB

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began consideration of S. 928, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the nature and extent of the threat of chemical and biological weapons proliferation, receiving testimony from James F. Leonard, former Assistant Director, International Relations Bureau, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Matthew S. Meselson, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Will D. Carpenter, Monsanto Agricultural Company, St. Louis, Missouri, on behalf of the Chemical Manufacturers Association Work Group on Chemical Weapons; and Stephen D. Bryen, Delta-Tech, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CRIME AND DRUG ABUSE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on General Services, Federalism, and the District of Columbia concluded hearings to examine the Federal response to State and local requests for assistance to combat drug abuse and drug-related crime, after receiving testimony from Isaac Fullwood, Jr., Assistant Chief of Police for the District of Columbia; Carol B. Thompson, City Administrator for the District of Columbia; Robert F. Armstrong, on behalf of the Office of the Mayor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Chief Joe D. Casey, Metropolitan Police Department, Nashville, Tennessee; and Gary Hankins, Fraternal Order of Police, Washington, DC.

STEROIDS ABUSE

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings to examine the steroid abuse problem in America, focusing on the use of steroids in college and professional football, receiving testimony from Pete Rozell and Jay Moyer, both of the National Football League, New York, New York; Gene Upshaw, National Football League Players Association, Washington, DC; Chuck Noll, Pittsburgh Steelers, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Marty Schottenheimer, Kansas City Chiefs, Kansas City, Missouri; Bill Fralic, Atlanta Falcons, Atlanta, Georgia; Joe Paterno, Penn State University, University Park, Pennsylvania; Bo Schembechler, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Harold R. Raymond, University of Delaware, Newark; Joe Purzycki, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, Virginia; and Steve Courson, Wexford, Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, after receiving testimony from Representative Coelho; Harold Russell, President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities, I. King Jordan, Gallaudet University, Justin Dart, Task Force on the Rights and Empowerment of Americans with Disabilities, Zackery Fasman, Paul, Hastings, Janofsky and Walker, and Lawrence Lorber, Kelley, Drye, and Warren, on behalf of the American Society of Personnel Administrators, all of Washington, DC; Arlene Mayerson, Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund, Berkeley, California; Mary DeSapio and Joseph F. Danowsky, both of New York, New York; and Amy Dimsdale, Arlington, Texas.

FAMILY PLANNING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 110, authorizing funds for fiscal

years 1990, 1991 and 1992 for family planning programs, and S. 120, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990, 1991 and 1992 for adolescent family life demonstration projects, receiving testimony from Nabors Cabaniss, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Population Affairs; Daniel F. Federman, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts; Thomas C. Kring, National Family Planning and Reproductive Health Association, Los Angeles, California; Faye Wattleton, Planned Parenthood Federation of America, New York, New York; Stephanie Jones, Lawrence Paquin School, Baltimore, Maryland; Richard Glasow, National Right to Life Committee, Washington, DC; and Caroline Gaston, New Futures School, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on Federal Government's management of natural resources on Indian lands, receiving testimony from Richard James Elroy, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Chuck Norman, Accountant, and Fred Merritt, Investigator, both of the Special Committee on Investigations; Greg Pyles, Apache Oil, Denver, Colorado; Chris Tucker, Houston, Texas; Gene Poteet, Portales, New Mexico; James Spaulding, Hobbs, New Mexico; and Thurmon and Arnita Parton, Grace-mont, Oklahoma.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, May 11.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 2267-2297; 1 private bill, H.R. 2298; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 262-263, H. Con. Res. 112-114 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Report entitled "Report of the Joint Economic Committee on the 1989 Economic Report of the President" (H. Rept. 101-48).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 274 yeas to 101 nays, Roll No. 44, the House approved the Journal of Monday, May 8.

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Law Enforcement Damages: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 972, amended, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

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Martin Luther King, Jr., Holiday: By a yea-and-nay vote of 359 yeas to 42 nays, Roll No. 45, the House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1385, to make permanent the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission—clearing the measure for the President.

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Budget Resolution: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Panetta, Foley, Russo, Jenkins, Leath of Texas, Schumer, Boxer, Slattery, Oberstar, Frenzel, Gradison, Goodling, Thomas of California, Buechner, and Houghton.

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Agreed to the Frenzel motion to instruct House conferees to reduce funds included in new budget authority to be used for congressional mailing for fiscal year 1990 by \$100 million and include an additional \$100 million in new budget authority for fiscal year 1990 to be used by law enforcement agencies to enforce laws respecting the manufacture, importation, distribution, and use of illegal drugs; and to agree to section 11 of the amendment (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 397 yeas to 10 nays, Roll No. 46).

Page 8610

Applied Technology Education Amendments: By a recorded vote of 402 ayes to 3 noes, Roll No. 48, the House passed H.R. 7, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such act through the fiscal year 1995.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Hawkins en bloc amendment that makes technical, conforming, and clarifying amendments to the bill;

Page 8644

The Watkins amendment that allows some of the funds to be allocated directly to area vocational schools which offer vocation courses to students from a number of area high schools;

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The Roukema amendment, as amended by the Goodling substitute amendment, that provides a rolling hold harmless 80 percent for three fiscal years;

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The Miller of California amendment that exempts any student financial assistance received from being considered as income or resources in determining eligibility for assistance under any other program funded in whole or part with Federal funds;

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The Goodling amendment that does not permit the Education Department to bypass review or approval of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) when forwarding required reports or research to Congress, and also requires OMB to publish and explain any changes made in proposed Department of Education regulations issued under this bill; and

Page 8671

The Dannemeyer amendment that prohibits the use of Federal funds made available by this Act to any State or local educational agency which has a policy of denying or which effectively prevents participation in prayer in public schools by individuals on a voluntary basis (agreed to by a recorded vote of 269 ayes to 135 noes, Roll No. 47).

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Rejected the Nielson of Utah amendment that sought to delete the "negotiated rulemaking" provisions.

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The Smith of Vermont amendment was offered, but subsequently withdrawn, that sought to authorize \$1 million to administer a Department of Education program establishing from ten to twenty school-wide projects which would permit a school to use a combination of funds from several applied technology education programs, thereby exempting them from select Federal regulations.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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The Clerk was authorized to make corrections in section numbers, punctuation, and cross references, and to make such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 143, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Digestive Disease Awareness Month: House passed H.J. Res. 170, designating May 1989, as "National Digestive Disease Awareness Month".

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Children's Day: House passed H.J. Res. 132, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989, as "National Children's Day".

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Day of Remembrance for Victims of the USS "Iowa": House passed H.J. Res. 247, designating May 29, 1989, as the "National Day of Remembrance for the Victims of the USS *Iowa*".

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Osteoporosis Prevention Week: House passed S.J. Res. 37, designating the week beginning May 14, 1989, as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989".

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Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that also designates the week of May 13, 1990.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Trauma Awareness Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 68, to designate the month of May 1989, as "Trauma Awareness Month".

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Presidential Message—District of Columbia Budget: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the District of Columbia Government's fiscal year 1990 Budget and fiscal year 1989 Budget supplemental—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-66).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 8600, 8609, 8612, 8683, 8684. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PROSPECTS FOR U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel held a hearing on the prospects of U.S.-Soviet relations, with emphasis on conventional arms control. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Government of the USSR: Andrey A. Kokoshin, Deputy Director; Gen. V. Larionov (Ret.); and Alex Knovolay, Head Conventional Arms Control Department, all with the Institute for the USA and

Canada, Academy of Sciences of the USSR; and Roal'd Sagdeyev, Advisor, Arms Control.

DOE ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel held a hearing on Department of Energy environmental issues. Testimony was heard from Leo Duffy, Special Assistant to the Secretary for Coordination of Waste Management, Department of Energy; Tim Holeman, Assistant to the Governor, Environmental Affairs, State of Colorado; Dave L. Humphrey, Deputy Director, Department of Health and Welfare, State of Idaho; Lewis Shaw, Deputy Commissioner, Environmental Quality Control, Department of Health and Environmental Control, State of South Carolina; Terry Husseman, Assistant Director, Waste Management, Department of Ecology, State of Washington; and public witnesses.

ALASKA OIL SPILL

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on Long-Term Energy Security of the U.S. in light of the Alaska Oil Spill. Testimony was heard from James R. Schlesinger, former Secretary of Energy; and public witnesses.

ISSUE OF SCIENTIFIC FRAUD AND MISCONDUCT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings into the issue of scientific fraud and misconduct. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FSX AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science, and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on the FSX Agreement: Congressional Views. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gephardt, Levine of California and Bentley.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PLO ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN STATEHOOD RECOGNITION AT THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations deferred to the full Committee further consideration of H.R. 2145, to prohibit U.S. contributions to the United Nations or any of its affiliated organizations if full membership as a state is granted to any organization or group that does not have the internationally recognized attributes of statehood.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the PLO application for membership in the World

Health Organization. Testimony was heard from Representative Lantos; N. Shaw Smith, Deputy Assistant Secretary, UN Political Affairs, Department of State; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing approved for full Committee action H. Res. 136, authorizing the printing of the committee print entitled "The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988: A Guide to Programs for State and Local Anti-Drug Assistance" as a House document.

The Subcommittee also considered other pending business.

WHITE HAVEN NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. Testimony was heard from Representative Gephardt; Herb Cables, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MASS MORTALITY OF BOTTLENOSE DOLPHINS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Clinical Investigation of the 1987-88 Mass Mortality of Bottlenose Dolphins Along the U.S. Central and South Atlantic Coast. Testimony was heard from William E. Evans, Under Secretary, Oceans and Atmosphere/Administrator, NOAA, Department of Commerce; J.R. Geraci, Principal Investigator of the 1987-1988 Mass Mortality of Bottlenose Dolphins Along the U.S. Central and South Atlantic Coast; and public witnesses.

FAA'S ORGANIZATION, STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT AND EFFECTIVENESS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the FAA's organization, structure, management and effectiveness. Testimony was heard from Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 11.

FUTURE OF LANDSAT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment and the Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a joint hearing on

The Future of Landsat. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROCESSING OF CLAIMS BY VETERANS BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance held a hearing on the timeliness and quality of the processing of claims by the Veterans Benefits Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: R.J. Vogel, Chief Benefits Director; and Adjudication Officers of Regional Offices; and representatives of veterans organizations.

FINANCIALLY TROUBLED SAVINGS AND LOAN INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Began consideration of proposals involving financially troubled savings and loan institutions.

Will continue tomorrow.

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Wednesday, May 10, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fourteen bills and ten resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 954-967, S. Res. 123-126, S.J. Res. 125-129, and S. Con. Res. 36. Page 8778

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. Res. 124, expressing strong support for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization on the occasion of its 40th Anniversary; confirming continued dedication to NATO's founding principle, which is the commitment by democratic nations to their common defense; and urging energetic and cooperative participation by NATO member-states in the development and implementation of joint policies aimed at strengthening the East-West military balance while upholding and promoting democratic values.

S. Res. 125, congratulating the Kingdom of Norway on its 175 years of constitutional government.

S. Con. Res. 26, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reinstate the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam. Page 8777

Measures Passed:

Appointment of Committee on Articles of Impeachment: Senate agreed to S. Res. 123, to amend

Senate Resolution 38, 101st Congress, providing for the appointment of a committee to receive and to report evidence with respect to articles of impeachment against Judge Alcee L. Hastings. Page 8805

Authorizing Ceremony at U.S. Capitol: Senate passed S.J. Res. 128, authorizing a first strike ceremony at the United States Capitol for the Bicentennial of the Congress Commemorative Coin. Page 8805

Special Olympics Torch Relay: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 71, authorizing the 1989 Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics to be run through the Capitol Grounds, and the resolution was then agreed to. Page 8806

Measure Rejected:

Certification With Respect to the Bahamas: By 40 yeas to 57 nays (Vote No. 65), Senate rejected S.J. Res. 100, disapproving the certification by the President under section 481(h) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 with respect to the Bahamas. Page 8761

National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S.J. Res. 37, designating the week beginning May 14, 1989, as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989". Page 8806

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Paul Dundes Wolfowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

Eric I. Garfinkel, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Constance Horner, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Charles H. Dallara, of South Carolina, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Hollis S. McLoughlin, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Roger Bolton, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Kay Coles James, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services. Page 8806

Nomination Received: Senate received the following nomination:

Frank Henry Habicht II, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. Page 8806

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—65)	Page 8774

Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m., and recessed at 5:11 p.m., until 10:45 a.m., on Thursday, May 11, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's record on page 8806.)

Committee Meetings

GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held joint hearings with the Committee on Appropriations' Subcommittee on Foreign Operations to examine the potential impact of global warming on Third World food crops and U.S. policy responses, receiving testimony from Richard Bissell, Assistant Administrator for Policy and Program Coordination, Agency for International Development; William E. Riebsame, University of Colorado, Denver; R. A. Houghton, Woods Hole Research Institute, Woods Hole, Massachusetts; Allen Teramura, University of Maryland, College Park; Robert H. Miller, North Carolina State University, Raleigh; and Brent Blackwelder, Environmental Policy Institute, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—U.S. SUPREME COURT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Supreme Court of the United States, receiving testimony from Sandra Day O'Connor, Antonin Scalia, and Byron White, all Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 18.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held closed hearings on foreign policy defense issues, receiving testimony from Robert M. Kimmitt, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Mayor Marion S. Barry, Jr., and David Clark, Chairman of the District of Columbia Council, both of Washington, DC.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, May 17.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and to review the fiscal year 1990–1994 five year defense plan, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsheer, Comptroller General, and Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs Division, both of the General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on strategic forces, and to review operational requirements of the Strategic Air Command, receiving testimony from Gen. John T. Chain, Jr., USAF, command-in-Chief, Strategic Air Command.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study to examine the impact of the Exxon Valdez oil spill in Alaska, focusing on Federal and State clean up efforts, Coast Guard oil spill containment procedures, and regulation and operating procedures to prevent future spills, receiving testimony from Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Walter Stieglitz, Regional Director for Alaska, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Capt. Charles A. Bartholomew, Director of Ocean Engineering, Supervisor of Salvage and Diving, Naval Sea Systems Command; Dennis Kelso, Alaska State Department of Environmental Conservation, Don Collinsworth, Alaska State Department of Fish and Game, and Roger E. McManus, Center for Marine Conservation, all of

Washington, DC; William D. Stevens, Exxon Company USA, and Frank J. Iarossi, Exxon Shipping Company, both of Houston, Texas; and Michelle O'Leary and Fredericka Ott, both of the Cordova District Fishermen United, Cordova, Alaska.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held hearings to examine clean-up and assessment and prevention issues relating to the *Exxon Valdez* oil spill in Alaska, focusing on oil tanker safety measures, receiving testimony from Senator Adams; Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Capt. John Koltz, Port of New Orleans, and R.C. Thompson, Louisiana Offshore Oil Port, Inc., both of New Orleans, Louisiana; Capt. Mark Delesdernier, Jr., Crescent River Port Pilots Association, Belle Chasse, Louisiana; Karl Landgrebe, National Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, and Ernest J. Corrado, American Institute of Merchant Shipping, both of Washington, DC; Capt. Bob Herring, Southwest Alaska Pilots Association, Homer, Alaska; and Thomas S. Wyman, Chevron Shipping Company, San Francisco, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection held oversight hearings to examine the implications of and responses to the Toxic Release Inventory, released pursuant to section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act (P.L. 99-499), receiving testimony from Kirsten Oldenburg, Deputy Director, Hazardous Waste and Waste Reduction Projects, Office of Technology Assessment; Charles Elkins, Director, Office of Toxic Substances, and A.E. Conroy, II, Director, Office of Compliance Monitoring, both of the Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Frederick Stiehl, Associate Enforcement Counsel for Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Office of Compliance and Enforcement Monitoring, and Jerry Kotas, Director, Office of Pollution Prevention, Office of Policy Planning and Evaluation, all of the Environmental Protection Agency; Gerald V. Poje, Environmental Toxicologist, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, DC.; Robert D. Kennedy, Union Carbide Corporation, Danbury, Connecticut, on behalf of the Chemical Manufacturers Association; and Robert L. Dostal, Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EUROPE—92

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to examine the impact on world trade of the European Community's (EC) program to complete its internal market by 1992, receiving testimony from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; Richard E. Heckert, E.I. duPont de Nemours and Company, Wilmington, Delaware, and Stephen Cooney, Washington, DC., both on behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers; Lionel H. Olmer, Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton and Garrison, Washington, DC. on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Matthew B. Coffey, National Tooling and Machining Association, Fort Washington, Maryland.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. Con. Res. 26, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reinstate the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam;

An original resolution (S. Res. 124) expressing strong support for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization on the occasion of its 40th anniversary;

An original resolution (S. Res. 125) congratulating the Kingdom of Norway on its 175 years of constitutional government; and

The nominations of Morris Berthold Abram, of New York, to be the U.S. Representative to the European Office of the United Nations, Herman Jay Cohen, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, Walter J.P. Curley, of New York, to be Ambassador to France, Ronald Frank Lehman II, of Virginia, to be Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, Charles Edgar Redman, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Sweden, Joseph Verner Reed, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief of Protocol for the White House, and a Foreign Service Officers' promotion list dated April 18, 1989.

FSX CODEVELOPMENT PROJECT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan, and S.J. Res. 123, approving the proposed authorization for the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop the FS-X weapon system with Japan and requiring that any coproduction of that weapon system meet certain conditions, after receiving testimony from Senators Dixon, D'Amato, and Bingaman; Richard B. Cheney, Sec-

retary of Defense; Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; and Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Deputy Secretary of State.

AUTHORIZATIONS—INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Trade, Oceans and Environment held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Inter-American Development Bank, receiving testimony from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary-designate of the Treasury for International Affairs; and John Petty, President, Inter-American Development Bank.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUGS IN PUBLIC HOUSING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the impact of the use and sale of drugs in public housing projects and federal efforts to combat drug trafficking in these areas, receiving testimony from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Ken Finlayson, former Regional Commissioner, Region #3 (Philadelphia, Pennsylvania), Department of Housing and Urban Development; Delaware State Representative Al O. Plant, Sr., Mary Ann Russ, Wilmington Public Housing Authority, Herman Holloway, Jr., King Center, and Rev. Benjamin Brown, all of Wilmington, Delaware; Manual Quintana, New York City Public Housing Authority, New York, New York; Vincent Lane, Chicago Housing Authority, and Mildred Wortham, both of Chicago, Illinois; and Edith Grigsby and Charles Jenkins, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

VOTER REGISTRATION REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held hearings on S. 675, to eliminate discriminatory barriers to voter registration, receiving testimony from Senators Cranston and McConnell; Barbara Jordan, LBJ School of Political Affairs, University of Texas, and Texas Assistant Secretary of State Brad Gahm, both of Austin; Rev. Jesse Jackson, Rainbow Coalition, Chicago, Illinois; Antonia Hernandez, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund, Frank R. Parker, Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Althea T.L. Simmons, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and Arthur S. Flemming and William H. Brown, III, both of the Citizens Commission for Civil Rights, all of Washington, DC; Timothy G. O'Rourke, University of Virginia, Charlottesville; and Bruce Fein, Great Falls, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on the Handicapped held hearings on S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, receiving testimony from Senator Dole; Illinois State Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan, Chicago; Perry Tillman III, Paralyzed Veterans of America, New Orleans, Louisiana; Ken Tice, Advocating Change Together, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Ron Mace, Barrier Free Environments, Raleigh, North Carolina; William B. Ball, Association of Christian Schools International, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania; Sally Douglas, National Federation of Independent Businesses, and Bob Burgdorf, National Easter Seals Society, both of Washington, DC; Malcolm Green, National Association of Theater Owners, Boston, Massachusetts; Paul Taylor, National Technical Institute for the Deaf, Rochester, New York; Robert Yaeger, Minnesota Relay Service, St. Paul, Minnesota; Gerald Hines, AT&T, Basking Ridge, New Jersey; Frank Bowe, Hempstead, New York; Lisa Carl and Vickie Franke, both of Tacoma, Washington; and Betty Corey, Baltimore, Maryland.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 16.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on Federal Government's management of natural resources on Indian lands, receiving testimony from Walter Johnson, Chief, Law Enforcement Division, George Brown, Deputy Assistant Director, Energy and Mineral Resources, Dale Tunnel, Special Agent-in-Charge (Santa Fe, New Mexico), Dale Pyland, Director for Oil and Gas Inspection (Oklahoma City, Oklahoma), Jim Sims, District Manager (Tulsa, Oklahoma), and Bob Goodman, Supervisor, Inspection and Enforcement Technicians (Tulsa, Oklahoma), all of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Chuck Norman, Accountant, Special Committee on Investigations; Marvin Cook and Brad Boyce, both of the Southern Ute Tribe, Ignacio, Colorado.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 2299-2317; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 264-266, H. Con. Res. 115-118, and H. Res. 150-154 were introduced.

Ukraine Famine Commission: The Speaker appointed as members of the Commission on the Ukraine Famine the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Hertel (Chairman), Dorgan of North Dakota, Broomfield, and Gilman.

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Walker wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Government Operations.

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Impeachment of Judge Nixon: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 417 yeas, Roll No. 50, the House agreed to H. Res. 87, impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi for high crimes and misdemeanors.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Subsequently, the House agreed en bloc to the following three resolutions pertaining to the impeachment:

H. Res. 150, appointing managers for the trial of the impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr., a judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi;

H. Res. 151, providing certain authorities to the managers on the part of the House in the matter of the impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr., a judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi; and

H. Res. 152, providing that a message be sent to the Senate informing the Senate of the impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr., a judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi.

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Judiciary Committee Expenses/Release of Papers: House agreed en bloc to the following two resolutions relating to expenses and papers of the Committee on the Judiciary:

H. Res. 153, authorizing the payment of certain expenses from amounts available to the Committee on the Judiciary under any applicable expense resolution for the One Hundred First Congress; and

H. Res. 154, releasing certain papers, documents, and records of proceedings relating to the matter of certain complaints against United States district judge Alcee L. Hastings.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call and one ye-a-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 8814, 8823.

Adjournment: Met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 6:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on the Secretary of Agriculture. Testimony was heard from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Spares. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: James H. Reay, Director Supply Management, Office of the Assistant Secretary (Production and Logistics); RAdm. Robert M. Moore, USN, Assistant Commander, Inventory and Systems Integrity, Navy Supply Systems Command; and Maj. Gen. Edward R. Bracken, USAF, Director, Logistics, Plans and Programs, Headquarters, USAF.

The Subcommittee also met in executive session to hold a hearing on Aircraft Procurement, Navy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: VAdm. R. F. Dunn, USN, Deputy Chief, Naval Operations (Air Warfare); and Lt. Gen. Charles H. Pitman, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff, Aviation.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD-Independent Agencies concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

IMPORTANCE OF HIGH DEFINITION TELEVISION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations and the Subcommittee on Research and development held a joint hearing on the importance of High Definition Television to the Nation's economic well-being and security. Testimony was heard from Craig I. Fields, Deputy Director, Research, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Alfred Sikes, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Technology, Department of Commerce; Robert Shafer, Director, Television Development, NASA; and public witnesses.

AEROSPACE INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing

on Internationalization of American Industry: The Aerospace Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held an oversight hearing on the Export-Import Bank. Testimony was heard from William F. Ryan, Acting President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States; and public witnesses.

HEALTH AND SAFETY OF WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held a hearing on the health and safety of workers at Department of Energy owned nuclear facilities operated by private contractors. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 17.

GENERIC DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the investigation of the Generic drug approval process at the FDA. Testimony was heard from Larry D. Morey, Assistant Inspector General, Investigations, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RAILROAD DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1208, Railroad Drug Abuse Prevention Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 2214, to ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations; a measure expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to the assassination of Col. James Rowe in the Philippines, and to authorize the transfer to the Republic of the Philippines of two excess naval vessels; and H. Con. Res. 113, calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to expedite the release and emigration of reeducation camp detainees.

FSX AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, the Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science, and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade concluded joint hearings on the FSX Agree-

ment: Industry and Labor Views. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East continued joint hearings on Europe 1992: Administration Views. Testimony was heard from Eugene McAllister, Assistant Secretary, Economic and Business Affairs, Department of State; and James M. Murphy, Jr., Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Europe and the Mediterranean.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 932, Puyallup Tribe of Indians Settlement Act of 1989; H.R. 643, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims; H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan; and H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, NV, for national defense.

OVERSIGHT—RIGHT TO PRIVACY AND REPRODUCTIVE FREEDOM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on the Right to Privacy and Reproductive Freedom. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TELEVISION VIOLENCE ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R. 1391, Television Violence Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senator Simon; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held an oversight hearing on the Immigration Reform and Control Act. Testimony was heard from Lawrence Siskind, Office of Special Counsel, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

MASS MORTALITY OF BOTTLENOSE DOLPHINS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations concluded hearings on the clinical investigation of the 1987-88 Mass Mortality of Bottlenose Dolphins Along the U.S. Central and South Atlantic Coast. Testimony was heard from J.R. Geraci, Principal Investigator of the 1987-88 Mass Mortality of Bottlenose Dol-

phins Along the U.S. Central and South Atlantic Coast.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on the recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from Frank M. Coffin, U.S. Circuit Judge, and Chairman, Committee on Judicial Branch, Judicial Conference; Diana E. Murphy, Federal District Judge; James P. Churchill, Chief Judge, U.S. District Court, Sixth Circuit; the following Administrative Law Judges; Alan W. Heifetz, Bruce L. Birchman; and Seymour Fier; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 16.

ALASKA OIL SPILL

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on the circumstances surrounding the Alaska oil spill. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Joel D. Sipes, Chief, Marine Safety, Security and Environmental Protection, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; James L. Makris, Director, Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, EPA; Charles N. Ehler, Director, Office of Oceanography and Marine Assessment, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Maj. Gen. James D. Smith, Director, Operations, Readiness and Mobilization, USA, Department of Defense; Dennis Kelso, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

HOTEL AND MOTEL FIRE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended H.R. 94, Hotel and Motel Fire Safety Act of 1989.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MONTGOMERY GI BILL AMENDMENTS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1358, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to the Montgomery GI bill.

FINANCIALLY-TROUBLED SAVINGS AND LOAN INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued discussion of matters involving financially troubled savings and loan institutions.

Joint Meeting

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Conferees met on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Thursday, May 11, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures introduced: Fourteen bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 968-981, and S. Res. 127 and 128.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan, unfavorably.

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Measures Passed:

Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: Senate agreed to S. Res. 127, to provide for the issuance of a summons and for related procedures concerning the articles of impeachment against Walter L. Nixon, Jr.

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Impeachment Trial Committee: Senate agreed to S. Res. 128, to provide for the appointment of a committee to receive and to report evidence with respect to articles of impeachment against Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr.

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National Day of Remembrance for the Victims of the USS "Iowa": Senate passed H.J. Res. 247, designating May 29, 1989, as the "National Day of Remembrance for the Victims of the USS Iowa".

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Refuge to All Asylum-Seekers: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 26, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reinstate the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam.

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Support for NATO: Senate agreed to S. Res. 124, expressing strong support for the North Atlantic

Treaty Organization on the occasion of its 40th anniversary; confirming continued dedication to NATO's founding principle, which is the commitment by democratic nations to their common defense; and urging energetic and cooperative participation by NATO member-states in the development and implementation of joint policies aimed at strengthening the East-West military balance while upholding and promoting democratic values.

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Congratulating the Kingdom of Norway: Senate agreed to S. Res. 125, congratulating the Kingdom of Norway on its 175 years of constitutional government.

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FSX Codevelopment Project: Senate began consideration of S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan.

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Senate will continue consideration of the resolution on Friday, May 12, 1989.

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: The Secretary of the Senate was ordered to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate is ready to receive the managers appointed by the House for the purpose of exhibiting articles of impeachment against Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the United States Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, agreeably to the notice communicated to the Senate, and at the hour of 11 a.m., on Thursday, May 11, 1989, the Senate will receive the managers on the part of the House of Representatives, in order that they may present and exhibit the articles of impeachment against Walter L. Nixon, Jr.

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Subsequently, the Senate received the managers appointed by the House of Representatives who presented and exhibited Articles of Impeachment against Walter L. Nixon, Jr., that he be impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors, and that the oath was administered to Senators by the President pro tempore.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed to following nominations:

Herman Jay Cohen, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Charles Edgar Redman, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Sweden.

Morris Berthold Abram, of New York, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the European Office of the United Nations.

Walter J.P. Curley, of New York, to be Ambassador to France.

Ronald Frank Lehman II, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Routine list of Foreign Service nominations.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

John Hubert Kelly, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

James Buchanan Busey IV, of Illinois, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the Annual Report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1988; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM 101-43)

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Executive Report of a Committee: the Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of H. Lawrence Garrett III, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Navy. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-5)

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Appointments:

Impeachment Trial Committee: The Chair, upon the recommendations of the Majority Leader and Minority Leader, and in accordance with the provisions of S. Res. 128, appointed the following Senators to the Impeachment Trial Committee: Senators Fowler, Heflin, Wirth, Reid, Robb, Kohl, Hatch, Danforth, Chafee, Murkowski, Jeffords, and Mack.

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—4)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:45 a.m., and recessed at 6:40 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Friday, May 12, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on pages 9004, 9009.)

Committee Meetings

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Rural Development and Rural Electrification held hearings on proposed legislation to provide Federal assistance to promote rural economic development, receiving testimony from North Dakota Governor George A. Sinner, Bismark, on behalf of the National Governors' Association; Bob Bergland, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Washington, DC; George F. Alford, Alabama-Tombigbee Regional Council, Camden, on behalf of the National Association of Development Organizations; Robert L. Thompson, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana; and Fulton County Judge James M. Everett, Hickman, Kentucky.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—SDI

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Strategic Defense Initiative (SDI), receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. George L. Monahan, Director, Strategic Defense Initiative Organization.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, May 16.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal years 1990 for certain programs of the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Legislative Branch held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Office of Technology Assessment from Senators Kennedy and Stevens; and John H. Gibbons, Director, Office of Technology Assessment; receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Capitol Police Board from Henry K. Giugni, Senate Sergeant at Arms; Jack Russ, House of Representatives Sergeant at Arms; George M. White, Architect of the Capitol; and Frank Kerrihan, Chief, Capitol Police; and receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the General Accounting Office from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, General Accounting Office.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

TRANSPORTATION TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies held hearings to evaluate the status and disbursement of transportation trust funds, receiving testimony from Vic Rezendes, Associate Director, Division of Resources, Community and Economic Development, General Accounting Office; and W. David Montgomery, Assistant Director, Natural Resources and Commerce, Congressional Budget Office.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of H. Lawrence Garrett III, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Navy, and 1,759 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

DEFENSE ACQUISITION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology held hearings on recommendations for a defense acquisition policy agenda, receiving testimony from Paul Math, Associate Director, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office; and Derek Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General, Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on manpower programs, receiving testimony from David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Resource Management and Support; Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; Vice Adm. Jeremy M. Boorda, USN, Chief of Naval Personnel; Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; and Lt. Gen. John I. Hudson, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—NASA

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, focusing on the space transportation system, receiving testimony from Adm. Richard H. Truly, Associate Administrator, Office of Space Flight, Arnold Aldrich,

Director, National Space Transportation System, Joseph Mahon, Deputy Associate Administrator (Flight Systems), James R. Thompson, Director, and Lowell K. Zoller, Manager, Systems Management Office (Shuttle Project Office), both of the George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Alabama, George A. Rodney, Associate Administrator for Safety, Reliability, Maintainability, and Quality Assurance, Charles J. Donlan and Seymour C. Himmel, both Members, Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel, all of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

URANIUM ENRICHMENT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded hearings on S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not previously been recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy to its customers, after receiving testimony from Senator Simpson; Helmut A. Merklein, Administrator, Energy Information Administration, and Philip G. Sewell, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Uranium Enrichment, both of the Department of Energy; Phillip Bayne, New York Power Authority, New York, New York, on behalf of the Edison Electric Institute and the American Nuclear Energy Council; and Gerald W. Grandey, Energy Fuels Corporation, Denver, Colorado, on behalf of the Uranium Producers of America.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Frank Henry Habicht II, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FSX CODEVELOPMENT PROJECT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered reported, unfavorably, S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan.

Prior to this action, the committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on FSX codevelopment issues from officials of the intelligence community.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Ferdinand F. Fernandez, of California, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, and Shirley D. Peterson, of Maryland, and Carol T. Crawford, of Virginia, each to be

an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Fernandez was introduced by Senator Wilson, Ms. Peterson was introduced by Representative Morella, and Ms. Crawford was introduced by Senator Packwood.

JOB TRAINING ASSISTANCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Employment and Productivity concluded hearings on S. 543, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990-1994 for employment and training assistance programs of the Job Training Partnership Act, and to improve the targeting of services to economically disadvantaged adults and youth, after receiving testimony from Senator Lautenberg; Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor; Marion Pines, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, Ann Abel, Danville Community College, Danville, Illinois, W. Perry Gaines, South Carolina Governors's Job Training Council, and Lillian Barrios-Paoli, New York City Department of Employment, all on behalf of the Job Training Partnership Act Advisory Committee; John C. Gartland, National Commission for Employment Policy, Washington, DC; Robert Ivry, Manpower Development Research Corporation, New York, New York; and Frank La Mere, Nebraska Indian Inter-Tribal Development Corp., Winnebago, Nebraska.

BUY INDIAN ACT AMENDMENTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 321, to clarify and strengthen certain provisions of the Buy Indian Act, to establish certain preferences for Indians under Federal grants to Indian organizations, receiving testimony from William P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, and Don Asbra, Chief, Division of Contracting and Grants Administration, Bureau of Indian Affairs, both of the Department of the Interior; Edward Danks, National Indian Contractors Association, Mandan, North Dakota; Jefferson Begay, Amerind Construction, Inc., Tempe, Arizona; Richard Coando and Conrad Edwards, both of the Tribal Employment Rights Organization, Fort Washakie, Wyoming; Dan Press, Heron, Burchette, Ruckert and Rothwell, Washington, DC; William Richardson, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Philadelphia, Mississippi; and George Bennett, American Indian Business Development Consortium Inc., SUTTONS Bay, Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on Federal Government's management of natural re-

sources on Indian lands, receiving testimony from Eddie Jacobs, Member, Royalty Management Advisory Committee (Creek Nation, Oklahoma), Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; Chuck Norman, Accountant, Special Committee on Investigations; Leonard Burch, Tom Shipp, Marvin Cook, Karen Anderson, Clarence L. Harr, and Brad Boyce, all of the Southern Ute Tribe, Ignacio, Colorado; Wes Pettingill and George Adams, both of the Northern Ute Tribe, Vernal, Utah; Burton Hutchinson, Richard Ortiz, and Kevin Gover, all of the Wind River Reservation, Fort Washakie, Wyoming; Randy Fetterolf, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Alan Taradash, Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Ervin Chavez, Navajo Nation,

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 16.

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Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 2318-2341 and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 267-268, H. Con. Res. 119-120 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Bonior to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: House recessed at 10:04 a.m. to receive former Members of Congress, and reconvened at 11:01 a.m.

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Fair Labor Standards Amendments: By a yea-and-nay vote of 247 yeas to 172 nays, Roll No. 52, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam: House passed H.R. 2178, to designate lock and dam numbered 4 on the Arkansas River, Arkansas, as the "Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam".

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Illinois Land Exchange: House passed H.R. 2119, to authorize the exchange of certain Federal public land in Madison County, Illinois.

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Robert Douglas Willis Hydropower Project: House passed H.R. 923, to redesignate the Federal hydropower generating facilities located at Dam B on the Neches River at Town Bluff, Texas, as the "Robert Douglas Willis Hydropower Project".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call and one yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 8898, 8900.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS; THIRD WORLD DEBT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing to review the Third World Debt and its impact on the U.S. agricultural sector. Testimony was heard from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture; David Mulford, Deputy Secretary Designate, International Affairs, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

The Committee also approved pending committee business.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on miscellaneous Army, Navy, and Air Force reprogramming actions. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Shipbuilding Industrial Base. Testimony was heard from Richard Donnelly, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary (Manufacturing and Industrial Programs), Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

REPORT ON ACQUISITION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a briefing on the Institute for Defense Analysis report on acquisition. The Subcommittee was briefed by David Graham, Institute for Defense Analysis.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal year 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Navy programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary, Shipbuilding and

Logistics; VAdm. Robert F. Dunn, Assistant Chief, Naval Operations (Air Warfare); and Lt. Gen. Charles H. Pitman, Deputy Chief of Staff, Aviation, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue May 18.

MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs. Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on HUD Inspector General's Report on the Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program. Testimony was heard from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and a public witness.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health held a hearing on the present ability of the criminal justice system of the District of Columbia to vigorously process the more than 42,000 cases presently within the D.C. criminal justice system. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Judith W. Rogers, Chief Judge, Court of Appeals; Fred B. Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court; Jay B. Stephens, U.S. Attorney; Kim Taylor, Director, Public Defender Service; and Hallem H. Williams, Jr., Director, Department of Corrections; Henry Hudson, U.S. Attorney, Eastern District of Virginia; and James P. Moran, Mayor, City of Alexandria, State of Virginia.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on the NRC's final rule on standardization and licensing reform. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NRC: Lando W. Zech, Jr., Chairman; Thomas R. Roberts; and James R. Curtiss, both Commissioners; and public witnesses.

GENERIC DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations concluded hearings on the investigation of the generic drug approval process at the FDA. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE INCINERATORS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 2162, to amend subtitle D of the Solid Waste Disposal Act to regulate municipal solid waste incinerators. Testimony was heard from Representative Johnson of Connecticut; Sylvia Lowrance, Director, Office of Solid Waste, Office of

Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 2145, amended, to prohibit U.S. contributions to the United Nations or any of its affiliated organizations if full membership as a state is granted to any organization or group that does not have the internationally recognized attributes of statehood; H.R. 2214, to ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations; and H. Con. Res. 63, amended, commencing March 10, 1989, as the 30th anniversary of the Tibetan national uprising and expressing the concern of the Congress for the ongoing human rights abuses in Tibet.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East concluded joint hearings on Europe 1992: Administration Views. Testimony was heard from John A. Shaw, Associate Deputy Secretary, Department of Commerce.

REALLOCATION OF HAM RADIO FREQUENCIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture held a hearing on the FCC's Reallocation of Ham Radio Frequencies. Testimony was heard from Thomas P. Stanley, Chief Engineer, Office of Engineering and Technology, FCC; Dennis Bodson, Assistant Manager, Office of Technology Standards, Chairman, Federal Telecommunications Standards Committee, National Communications System, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

BLM REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands met to discuss H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for the programs, functions and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993.

OIL SPILL LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989 and other legislation on oil spill liability and compensation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary; and Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., USCG, Comman-

dant, U.S. Coast Guard; Brian Hoyle, Director, Office of Ocean Law and Policy, Department of State; and public witnesses.

PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND OIL SPILL RESPONSE ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 2158, to provide better maritime safety for Prince William Sound, AK. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Joel D. Sipes, USCG, Chief, Office Marine Safety, Security and Environmental Protection, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Charles N. Ehler, Director, Office of Oceanography and Marine Assessment, National Ocean Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Dennis Kelso, Director, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

FAA'S ORGANIZATION, STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT AND EFFECTIVENESS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation continued hearings on the FAA's organization, structure, management and effectiveness. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation; Edith B. Page, Project Director, Office of Technology Assessment; and public witnesses.

FSX-TECHNOLOGY ISSUES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on the FSX-Technology issues. Testimony was heard from Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs, GAO; Joan M. McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Commerce; William Clark, Jr., Acting Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; Carl Ford, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asia and Pacific Affairs, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

NOAA AND DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment approved for full Committee action the following authorizations for fiscal years 1990, 1991 and 1992: NOAA and Department of Energy.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1414, to provide for the appointment of enlisted members of the Armed Forces to the American Battle Monuments Commission; H.R. 1734, to

exempt retired members of the Armed Forces called to active duty and assigned to full-time duty with American Battle Monuments Commission from grade limitations on officers of the Armed forces; and H.R. 1415, Veterans' Home Loan Mortgage Indemnity Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on housing programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: R. J. Vogel, Chief Benefits Director; and Loan Guaranty Officers of Regional Offices; representatives of veterans organizations; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

INCOME DISTRIBUTION

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the distribution of income in the United States, after receiving testimony from Lowell Gallaway, Ohio University, Athens; Peter Gottschalk, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts; and Timothy Smeeding, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee.

BUDGET RESOLUTION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows S. 982-988, and S.J. Res. 130.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 104, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Liberty*. (S. Rept. No. 101-22)

S. 255, to authorize appropriations for the Local Rail Service Assistance Program. (S. Rept. No. 101-23)

S. 475, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Nancy Ann*. (S. Rept. No. 101-24)

S. 572, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Navatek I*. (S. Rept. No. 101-25)

S. 638, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Nor'wester*. (S. Rept. No. 101-26)

S. 593, to exempt certain activities from provisions of the antitrust laws, with amendments.

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Measures Passed:

Procurement Integrity: Senate passed S. 968, to delay the effective date of section 27 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act.

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FSX Codevelopment Project: Senate continued consideration of S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan.

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Senate will resume consideration of the resolution on Tuesday, May 16.

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Congressional Budget Resolution Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of H. Con. Res. 106, Congressional Budget Resolution, 1990.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

John E. Robson, of Georgia, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury.

H. Lawrence Garrett III, of Virginia, to be Secretary of the Navy.

Thirty-one Army nominations in the rank of general.

Thirty-five Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists of nominations in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Edward N. Ney, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada.

Donald B. Rice, of California, to be Secretary of the Air Force.

Sean Charles O'Keefe, of Virginia, to be Comptroller of the Department of Defense.

Frank A. Bracken, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary of the Interior.

Jennifer Lynn Dorn, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 4:20 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, May 16, 1989.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Charles E. Hess, of California, Frank E. Bailey, of Virginia, and Jo Ann D. Smith, of Florida, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and Alan C. Raul, of New York, to be General Counsel, U.S. Department of Agriculture, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, receiving testimony from Gen. Louis C. Wagner, Jr., USA, Commander, U.S. Army Materiel Command; Gen. Alfred G. Hansen, USAF, Commander, U.S. Air Force Logistics Command; Vice Adm. Stanley R. Arthur, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics), Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Louis J. Rodrigues, Director, and George Jahnggan, Assistant Director, both for Logistics Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 18.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of David Campbell Mulford, of Illinois, and Robert R. Glauber, of Massachusetts, each to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Phillip D. Brady, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, Department of Transportation, Galen J. Reser, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Government Affairs, David P. Prosperi, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation of Public Affairs, Michael R. Darby, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs and Thomas J. Colamore, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Brady was introduced by Senator Wilson, and Mr. Reser was introduced by Senator Dixon.

CURRENCY MANIPULATION

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings to explore the problem of industrialized countries manipulating the value of their currencies to maintain a trade surplus, and to discuss the U.S. response to this practice, receiving testimony from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary-designate of the Treasury for International Affairs; Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, David L. McClure, Project Manager, and Jane Li, Senior Economist, all of the Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office; and C. Fred Bergsten and John Williamson, both of the Institute for International Economics, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John Cameron Monjo, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Indonesia, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Also, committee held hearings on the nomination of Donald Phinney Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea, where the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded joint hearings with the Committee on Rules and Administration on S. 978, to establish the National Memorial Museum of the American Indian within the Smithsonian Institution, after receiving testimony from Senator Bingaman; Robert McCormick Adams, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; Bill Diamond, Regional Administrator (New York, New York), General Services Administration; Mrs.

Wilmot H. Kidd III, Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation, Pamela Mann, New York State Assistant Attorney General (Charities Bureau), and Diane Mulcahy Coffey, representing the Mayor of New York, all of New York, New York; Lloyd Kiva New, Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development, Santa Fe, New Mexico; Rick Hill, Sanborne, New York; George Horse Capture, Buffalo Bill Historical Center, Cody, Wyoming; Ruth Revels, North Carolina Indian Cultural Center, and Lonnie Revels, Sr., North Carolina Commission on Indian Affairs, both of Pembroke, North Carolina; Suzan Shown Harjo, National Congress of American Indians, and Peggy Cooper Cafritz, both of Washington, DC; and Oren Lyons, Nedrow, New York.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on the Federal Government's management of natural resources on Indian lands and on oil royalty management as it affects owners of allotted lands, receiving testimony from Barry Williamson, Director, and Vern Ingraham, Chief, Office of External Affairs (Lakewood, Colorado), both of the Minerals Management Service, and Ken Young, Petroleum Engineer, Oil and Gas Division, Uintah and Ouray Agency (Fort Duchesne, Utah), Bureau of Indian Affairs, all of the Department of the Interior; Steve Moore, Boulder, Colorado, and Jeffery P. Southwick, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, both representing the Native American Rights Fund; Benjamin Binder, Digital Design Corporation, Denver, Colorado; Mary Limpy, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Houston and Velma Decker, Pryor, Oklahoma; and Yvonne and Richard Curry, Roosevelt, Utah.

Special Committee will meet again on Monday, May 15.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, May 15.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, May 15, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, May 16, 1989, at 9:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on aircraft carrier force structure management, receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Robert F. Dunn, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Air Warfare); Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Shipbuilding and Logistics); and Vice Adm. John W. Nyquist, USN, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Surface Warfare).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHEMICALS USED ON FOOD CROPS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development held hearings to review procedures relating to the use of chemicals on food crops, receiving testimony from Peter F. Guerrero, Associate Director, Environmental Protection Issues, General Accounting Office; John A. Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; S. Mason Carbaugh, Virginia State Commissioner of Agriculture, Richmond; John McCarthy and Jack Early, both on behalf of the National Agricultural Chemical Association, Charles Benbrook, National Research Council, and Janet Hathaway, Natural Resources Defense Council, all of Washington, DC; Steven Markowitz, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, New York; Ronald W. Wood, New York University Medical Center, Tuxedo, New York, on behalf of the American Psychological Association; and Ralph Nader, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FAMILY SUPPORT ACT REGULATIONS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held oversight hearings on proposed regulations to implement the Family Support Act (P.L. 100-485), receiving testimony from Constance Horner, Under Secretary, Catherine Bertini, Acting Assistant Secretary for Family Support, and Robert Harris, Deputy Director for Family Support, all of the Department of Health and Human Services; Delaware Governor Michael N. Castle, Dover, on behalf of the National Governors' Association; Cesar A. Perales, New York State Department of Social Services, Albany, on behalf of the American Public Welfare Association; Dennis J. Boyle, California State Department of Social Services, Sacramento; Dianne Edwards, Orange County Social Services Agency, Santa Ana, California, on behalf of County Welfare Directors Association of California; Judith M. Gueron, Manpower Demonstration Research Corporation, Stanley W. Hill, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO, and Peter M. Cove, America Works of New York, Inc. and America Works of Connecticut, Inc., all of New York, New York; Nancy Ebb, Children's Defense Fund, Robert Greenstein, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, and Mark Greenberg, Center for Law and Social Policy, all of Washington, DC; and Douglas S. Baird, Associated Day Care Services of Metropolitan Boston, Boston, Massachusetts, on behalf of the Child Welfare League of America, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ARMS CONTROL POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, focusing on defense and arms control policy, receiving testimony from Robert S. McNamara, former Secretary of Defense; Edward L. Warner, Rand Corporation, and Barry Blechman, Defense Forecasts, Inc., both of Washington, DC; Stephen Larrabee, Institute for East-West Security Studies, New York, New York; Angelo Codevilla, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, Stanford, California; and Steven Rosefield, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 18.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Ivan Selin, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of State for Management, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner and Chafee, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FEDERAL INFORMATION POLICY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation held hearings on the quality and uses of the federal information infrastructure, focusing on the collection of economic, technological, and scientific information for government, private and public sector, research and education, and for policy making, receiving testimony from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisors; Vincent P. Barabba, General Motors Corporation, Detroit, Michigan, and former Director, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce; Robert L. Park, American Physical Society, and Courtenay Slater, Slater Hall Information Products, on behalf of the Council of Professional Associations on Federal Statistics, both of Washington, DC; and Christopher T. Cross, Macro Systems, Inc., Silver Spring, Maryland.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMPUTER CRIME

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Technology and the Law concluded hearings to examine the impact of computer viruses and other forms of computer sabotage or exploitation on computer information systems and networks, after receiving testimony from William S. Sessions, Director, William A. Bayse, Assistant Director of Technical Services, and Kenneth Walton, Deputy Assistant Director of Criminal Investigative Division, all of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; and Clifford Stoll, Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Frank Q. Nebeker, of Virginia, to be Chief Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from John F. Heilman, Disabled American Veterans, Washington, DC.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian affairs, focusing on management activities in the Indian Health Service of the Department of Health and Human Services, receiving testimony from Denise Dougherty, Senior Analyst, Health Program, Office of Technology Assessment; John Gobert, Service Unit Director, Colville Service Unit, Nespelem, Washington, and Bruce Nicholson, former Clinical Director, Pine Ridge Service Unit, Pine Ridge, South Dakota, both of the Indian Health Service, Public Health Service,

and Larry D. Morey, Deputy Inspector General, Criminal Investigations Division, all of the Department of Health and Human Services; and Georgia Perez, Nambe Pueblo, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 2342-2343, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 643, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims, amended (H. Rept. 101-49); and

Conference report on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the Congressional Budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 (H. Rept. 101-50).

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Presidential Message—Corporation for Public Broadcasting: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the annual report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1988—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until 5 p.m. today to file a conference report on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the Congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Federal Procurement Policy: House passed S. 968, to delay the effective date of section 27 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act—clearing the measure for the President.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CFC'S AND THE MONTREAL PROTOCOL

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on

CFC's and the Montreal Protocol. Testimony was heard from William G. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator, Air and Radiation, EPA; Richard L. Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues, GAO; William H. Parker III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense; Richard J. Smith, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

PAYMENT OF INNER-CITY AND RURAL HOSPITALS UNDER MEDICARE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on fiscal year 1990 budget issues relating to payment of Inner-City and Rural Hospitals under part A of the Medicare program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Flippo, Dorgan of North Dakota, Slattery, Synar and Tauke; Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

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Tuesday, May 16, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nineteen bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 989-1007, S. Res. 129, S.J. Res. 131-135, and S. Con. Res. 37.

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Measures Passed:

National Digestive Disease Awareness Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 170, designating May 1989 as "National Digestive Disease Awareness Month", and the resolution was then passed.

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Chemical Weapons Production: Senate agreed to S. Res. 129, expressing the sense of the Senate that the proposed export of technology or defense services pursuant to an agreement with Japan to codevelop the FSX shall not be implemented until the United States receives assurances that no Japanese personnel are involved with any aspect of chemical weapons production in Libya.

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FSX Codevelopment Project: Senate passed S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan, after taking

action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

(1) Dixon Amendment No. 103 (to Byrd Amendment No. 101), requiring the reporting on progress made in implementing the Memorandum of Understanding to the Committees on Foreign Relations, Armed Services, Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

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(2) Heinz Amendment No. 104 (to Byrd Amendment No. 101), to clarify General Accounting Office reporting requirements on technology transfers.

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(3) By 72 yeas to 27 nays (Vote No. 67), Byrd Amendment No. 101, to approve the proposed authorization for the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop the FSX under certain conditions.

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Rejected:

(1) By 47 yeas to 52 nays (Vote No. 66), Dixon Amendment No. 102 (to Byrd Amendment No. 101), to prohibit the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop the FSX aircraft with Japan.

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Minimum Wage Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Congressional Budget Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the conference report on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Supplemental Appropriations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of H.R. 2072, Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, 1989.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the Annual Report of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1988; which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-44)

(2) Transmitting the Annual Report of the National Endowment for the Arts and the National Council on the Arts for fiscal year 1988; which was

referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-45)

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on Friday, May 12, after the recess:

Jerry M. Hunter, of Missouri, to be General Counsel of the National Labor Relations Board.

Received Today:

James Franklin Rill, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

E. Bart Daniel, of South Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina.

John Michael Farren, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for International Trade.

Robert P. Davis, of Virginia, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor.

John C. Weicher, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Nell Carney, of Virginia, to be Commissioner of the Rehabilitation Services Administration.

Routine lists of Air Force and Marine Corps nominations.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—67)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:39 p.m., until 1 p.m., Wednesday, May 17, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Dixon in today's Record on page 9320.)

Committee Meetings

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Rural Development and Rural Electrification concluded hearings on proposed legislation to provide Federal assistance to promote rural economic development, after receiving testimony from John Garrett, Alabama Rural Water Association, Montgomery, on behalf of the National Rural

Water Association; Chris B. Page, Economic Development Council of Northern Vermont, St. Albans; Robert Wales, Mississippi Association of Conservation Districts, Hattiesburg; Alex Curtis, Farmers Grain Terminal, Inc., Greenville, Mississippi; Joe Beck, Farm Credit Bank of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky, on behalf of the Farm Credit Council; Ann Cole, National Association of Towns and Townships, Washington, DC; and Kathleen Braaten, Richland County Commissioner, Barney, North Dakota, and Ralph L. Tabor, Washington, DC, both on behalf of the National Association of Counties.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for defense programs, focusing on land warfare, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, USA, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development and Acquisition); Maj. Gen. Wilson A. Shoffner, USA Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (Force Development); Maj. Gen. Michael P. Sullivan, USMC, Deputy Commanding General, Marine Corps Combat Development/Director Warfighting Center; and Maj. Gen. Ray M. Franklin, USMC, Commanding General, Marine Corps Research, Development, and Acquisition Command.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AID

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Agency for International Development, receiving testimony from Gen. Herbert L. Beckington, Inspector General, Julia V. Taft, Director, Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance, and David Santos, Director, Office of American Schools and Hospitals Abroad, all of the Agency for International Development.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 18.

APPROPRIATIONS—HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD and Independent Agencies continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, HUD.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 18.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Gen. Robert T.

Herres, U.S. Air Force, for reappointment as Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Donald B. Rice, of California, to be Secretary of the Air Force, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Rice was introduced by Senators Wilson and Cranston.

RESERVE FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense, Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support, and the Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel held joint hearings on alternatives for substituting reserve forces for active Air Forces, with emphasis on rapid reinforcement of Europe, receiving testimony from Robert F. Hale, Assistant Director, and Lane Pierrot, Principle Analyst, both of National Security and International Affairs, Congressional Budget Office; Stephen M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs; David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Force Management and Personnel; John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for European and NATO Policy; Maj. Gen. Charles G. Boyd, USAF, Representative of the Director of the Joint Staff; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, USAFR, Chief of Air Force Reserve; and Brig. Gen. Philip G. Killey, ANG, Director, Air National Guard.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEFENSE TECHNOLOGY BASE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology held hearings on the defense technology base, receiving testimony from Craig I. Fields, Deputy Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; Alan Shaw, Program Manager, Office of Technology Assessment; Siegfried S. Hecker, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Los Alamos, New Mexico; Lewis Branscomb, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Alfred C. Sikes, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communication and Information.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 341, to prohibit discrimination against blind individuals in air travel;

S. 797, to authorize \$10 million for fiscal year 1990 to promote children's educational television, with an amendment;

S. 663, to authorize the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to provide for contingent liability payments in connection with termination of an authorized contract, with amendments; and

The nominations of Phillip D. Brady, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, Department of Transportation, Galen Joseph Reser, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Governmental Affairs, David Philip Prosperi, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Public Affairs, Michael Rucker Darby, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs, and Thomas Jones Collamore, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Administration.

HIGH DEFINITION TV

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings to review the issues and options involved in creating a national research and technology strategy to help build a U.S.-based High-Definition Television industry, receiving testimony from Craig I. Fields, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; Jerry Pearlman, Zenith Corporation, Glenview, Illinois; Pat Hill Hubbard, Washington, DC, and John P. Stern, Tokyo, Japan, both of the American Electronics Association; Donald F. Johnstone, Philips Consumer Electronics, Knoxville, Tennessee; Larry French, North American Philips Corporation, New York, New York; William Connolly, Sony Advanced Systems, Teaneck, New York; Kenneth Flamm, Brookings Institution, John Abel, National Association of Broadcasters, and J. Hal Berge, Telecommunications Industry Association, all of Washington, DC; James E. Carnes, Consumer Electronics and Information Sciences, David Sarnoff Research Center, Princeton, New Jersey; and Steve Effros, Community Antenna Television Association, Fairfax, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE/USIA/BIB

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed consideration of S. 928, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

DOD'S ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held oversight hearings to review Department of Defense acquisition of commercial products, focusing on military specifications, regulations, contract clauses, and procedural requirements for the purchase of items that could be purchased off-the-shelf, receiving testimony from Robert Rossow III, Midland Brake, Inc., Owosso, Michigan; Naomi M. Williamson, Honeywell, Inc., Glendale, Arizona, and B. Dan Pinick,

The Boeing Company, Seattle, Washington, both representing the Electronic Industries Association; and John M. Fluke, Jr., John Fluke Manufacturing Co., Everett, Washington, John McGowan, Hewlett Packard Company, Cupertino, California, and Al Herman, Tektronix, Inc., Beaverton, Oregon, all representing the Commercial Product Acquisition Team.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 1.

CHILD ABUSE

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on child abuse issues, and related measures, including S. 533, to protect the rights of victims of crime and to establish a Federal victim's bill of rights for children, receiving testimony from Senator Reid; Representative DeWine; Betty Stewart, Associate Commissioner, Children's Bureau, Department of Health and Human Services; Jane Nady Burnley, Director, Office for Victims of Crime, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice; Judge Charles B. Schudson, Wisconsin Circuit Court, Milwaukee; Muriel Sugarman, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; Denise Gooch, Mothers Against Raping Children, Clifton, New Jersey; Patricia A. Toth, National Center for the Prosecution of Child Abuse, Alexandria, Virginia, on behalf of the National District Attorney's Association; Robert E. Cramer, Jr., Madison County District Attorney, Huntsville, Alabama, on behalf of the National Children's Advocacy Center; Joseph M. Dell Olio, Child, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware; Judge Tom McDonald, Thirteenth Judicial District, Louisville, Kentucky, on behalf of the National Court Appointed Special Advocate Association; and Jayne Crisp, Thirteenth Judicial Circuit Victim Witness Assistance Program, Greenville, South Carolina.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on the Handicapped resumed hearings on S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, receiving testimony from Michael McIntyre, Queens Independent Living Center, Jamaica, New York; Laura Oftedahl, Columbia Lighthouse for the Blind, Tim Cook, National Disability Action Center, Charles Webb, American Bus Association, and Dennis Louwerse, American Public Transit Association, all of Washington, DC; Harold Jenkins, Cambria County Transit Authority, Johnstown, Pennsylvania; Mary Lynn Fletcher, Loudon County Disability Services, Lenoir City, Tennessee; J. Roderick Burfield, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Virginia Association of Public Transit Officials; Mark Johnson, Alpharetta, Georgia; and James Weisman, East-

ern Paralyzed Veterans of America, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 402, to provide for the settlement of land claims and the resolution of certain issues of governmental jurisdiction of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 978, to provide for the establishment of the National Museum of the American Indian within the Smithsonian Institution, with amendments.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian Affairs, focusing on the Government's role in protecting fisheries at Wind River Reservation, Wyoming, receiving testimony from Richard Baldes, Project Leader at the Lander, Wyoming Fish and Wildlife Management Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and David Allison, Superintendent, Wind River Agency, Fort Washakie, Wyoming, and Joe Walker, Assistant Area Director, Anadarko Area Office, Oklahoma, both of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Roger Patterson, Regional Director, Billings, Montana, and Bill Martin, Assistant Commissioner for Resources Management, both of the Bureau of Reclamation, and Timothy Vollman, Southwest Regional Solicitor, Tulsa, Oklahoma, all of the Department of the Interior; John Washakie, Shoshone and Arapaho Joint Business Council, Starr Weed, both of Fort Washakie, Wyoming; Kevin Gover, Stetson, Williams & West, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Dewey Schwalenberg, Native American Fish and Wildlife Society, Broomfield, Colorado; Steven Suagee, Hoopa Valley Tribe, Hoopa, California; and Elmer Manatowa, Truman Carter, and James L. Welsh III, all of Stroud, Oklahoma, E. William Rice, Cushing, Oklahoma, and Curtis Canard, Tribal Geotechnical Services, Inc., Tulsa, Oklahoma, all on behalf of the Sac and Fox Nation.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 18.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 18.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Select Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee held an organizational meeting where it elected Senator Fowler as Chairman, and Senator Hatch as Vice Chairman.

Committee recessed subject to call.

Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Noise abatement: H.R. 968, amended, to provide for the Federal reimbursement of local noise abatement funds;

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Peninsula Airport Commission: H.R. 838, amended, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission for airport purposes;

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Tibetan human rights: H. Con. Res. 63, amended, commemorating March 10, 1989, as the thirtieth anniversary of the Tibetan National Uprising and expressing the concern of the Congress for the ongoing human rights abuses in Tibet (agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 408 yeas to 1 nay with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 53). Agreed to amend the title;

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United Nations contribution: H.R. 2145, amended, to prohibit United States contributions to the United Nations or any of its affiliated organizations if full membership as a state is granted to any organization or group that does not have the internationally recognized attributes of statehood (passed by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 396 yeas to 6 nays with 11 voting "present", Roll No. 54). Agreed to amend the title; and

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Panama elections: H. Con. Res. 122, concerning the May 7, 1989, Presidential election in Panama (agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 413 yeas, Roll No. 55).

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High School ROTC Recognition Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 58, to designate May 17, 1989, as "High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day".

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

National Science Foundation: Message wherein he transmits the annual report of the National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1988—referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology; and

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National Endowment for the Arts: Message wherein he transmits the annual report of the National Endowment for the Arts and the National Council on the Arts for fiscal year 1988—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three ye-a-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 9353, 9354, 9355. There were no quorum calls.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 2344–2382; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 269–271, H. Con. Res. 121–125, and H. Res. 155–157 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 968, to provide for the Federal reimbursement of local noise abatement funds, amended (H. Rept. 101–51);

H.R. 838, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission for airport purposes, amended (H. Rept. 101–52);

H. Res. 155, providing for the consideration of H.R. 643, to amend section 37 for the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims (H. Rept. 101–53);

H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, amended (H. Rept. 101–54); and

H.R. 1662, to amend the United Nations Participation Act of 1945 to carry out obligations of the United States under the United Nations Charter and other international agreements pertaining to the protection of human rights by providing a civil action for recovery from persons engaging in torture, amended (H. Rept. 101–55).

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Budget Resolution: It was made in order on Wednesday, May 17, or any day thereafter, to consider the conference report on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991 and 1992; that all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration for failure to comply with the provisions of clauses 2, 3, and 4 of rule XXVIII be waived; that the conference report be considered as having been read when called up for consideration; and that debate on the conference report be limited to ninety minutes.

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Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on U.S. Space Command and on Ammunition Procurement, Army. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Space Command; Lt. Gen. Donald J. Kutyna, USAF, Commander, Air Force Space Command; and Maj. Gen. Paul Greenberg, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff, Ammunition, Headquarters Army Materiel Command.

U.S. DEFENSE BUDGETS IN A CHANGING THREAT ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel held a hearing on U.S. defense budgets in a changing threat environment.

Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOE SPECIAL ISOTOPE SEPARATION REPROGRAMMING

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Panel held a hearing on the Department of Energy Special Isotope Separation reprogramming. Testimony was heard from Representative Stark; Troy Wade, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; and James Davis, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory.

FSX AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the FSX agreement with Japan. Testimony was heard from Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation concluded hearings on the manpower portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, receiving an overview of the revised manpower budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Resource Management and Support; and Albert Conte, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs, Manpower and Personnel.

TRUTH IN SAVINGS ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage held a

hearing on H.R. 736, to require the clear and uniform disclosure by depository institutions of interest rates payable and fees assessable with respect to deposit accounts. Testimony was heard from Martha R. Seger, Governor, Federal Reserve System; and public witnesses.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy continued oversight hearings on Export-Import Bank. Testimony was heard from William F. Ryan, Acting Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank of the United States; Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

SCHOOLWIDE EDUCATION PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT DEMONSTRATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on Schoolwide Education Performance Agreement Demonstration Programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 2344, to authorize the transfer to the Republic of the Philippines of two excess naval vessels; H. Con. Res. 122, concerning the May 7, 1989, Presidential election in Panama; and H. Con. Res. 121, to express the sense of the Congress with respect to the assassination of Colonel James Rowe in the Philippines.

TAX REVENUE LOSSES AND TAX ADMINISTRATION PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer, and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on tax revenue losses and tax administration problems involving independent contractors. Testimony was heard from Paul L. Posner, Associate Director, Tax Policy and Administration Issues, General Government Division, GAO; Michael Murphy, Acting Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury; and a public witness.

ABANDONED MINE RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 538, Interim Abandoned Mines Reclamation Act of 1989; H.R. 1315, to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to facilitate the use of abandoned mine reclamation fund moneys to replace certain water supplies adversely affected by coal mining practices; and H.R. 2095, to amend the Surface

Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to reauthorize the collection of reclamation fees. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCloskey, Perkins and Rogers; Robert H. Gentile, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior; and public witnesses.

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK PROTECTION AND EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1727, Everglades National Park Protection and Expansion Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senator Graham; Representatives Fascell and Shaw; Robert Baker, Regional Director, Southeast Region, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—COMMISSION ON MERCHANT MARINE AND DEFENSE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held an oversight hearing on the finding/recommendations of the President's Commission on Merchant Marine and Defense. Testimony was heard from Richard E. DH. Res. 137: Mrs. Bentley. Title I of Public Law 100-688, "The Ocean Dumping Ban Act of 1988", including the status of negotiations for compliance and enforcement agreements, plans for monitoring for regulatory compliance and environmental impacts of sludge disposal, and proposed permits. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: William Muszynski, Acting Regional Administrator, Region II; Bruce Kiselica, Chief, Ocean Dumping Task Force, Region II; and Tudor Davies, Director, Office of Marine and Estuarine Protection Division; Hal Stanford, Deputy Director, Marine Assessment Division, National Ocean and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; Capt. David L. Folsom, Chief, Marine Safety Division, District I, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Continued hearings on the recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from Erich Bloch, Director, NSF; and Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General, U.S. Postal Service.

Hearings continue May 25.

MINERAL LEASING ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 643, to amend section 37

of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims. Testimony was heard from Representative Rahall.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on Europe 1992 and its effects on U.S. Science, Technology, and Competitiveness. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Ralph Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Trade and Development, Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs; William H. Ganeron, Deputy Director, Office of Regional, Political and Economic Affairs, Bureau of European and Canadian Affairs; and Ambassador Peter Jon deVos, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Science and Technology Affairs, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the Tax Policy Aspects of Mergers and Acquisitions. Testimony was heard from Representative Cox; John Wilkins, Acting Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOD INSPECTOR GENERAL

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations met in executive session to hold a hearing on DOD Inspector General. Testimony was heard from June Gibbs Brown, Inspector General, Department of Defense.

VIOLENCE BY AND AGAINST AMERICA'S CHILDREN

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on Down These Mean Streets: Violence By and Against America's Children. Testimony was heard from Dr. Howard Spivak, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Public Health, State of Massachusetts; the following officials of the District of Columbia: Reggie B. Walton, Associate Judge, Superior Court; and Jacqueline Simms, Captain and Acting Commander, Youth Division, Metropolitan Police Department; and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-five bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1008-1032, S.J. Res. 136, and S. Con. Res. 38.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 98, to establish separate appropriation accounts for the Senate and the House of Representatives for the payment of official mail costs. (S. Rept. No. 101-27)

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Measures Passed:

Congressional Recess: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 38, to provide for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from May 18 or 19, 1989, until May 31, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives from May 25, 1989, until May 31, 1989.

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Minimum Wage Restoration Act—Conference Report: By 63 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 68), Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

David Campbell Mulford, of Illinois, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Robert R. Glauber, of Massachusetts, to be an Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Phillip D. Brady, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation.

David Philip Prosperi, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Thomas Jones Collamore, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Michael Rucker Darby, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

Richard Thomas Crowder, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Jack Callihan Parnell, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Franklin Eugene Bailey, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Charles E. Hess, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Jo Ann D. Smith, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Frank Quill Nebeker, of Virginia, to be Chief Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Della M. Newman, of Washington, to be Ambassador to New Zealand and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Western Samoa.

Robert D. Orr, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore.

Bryce L. Harlow, of Virginia, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury.

14 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Public Health Service and Army nominations.

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Appointments:

National Ocean Policy Study: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to S. Res. 222, 93rd Congress, appointed the following Senators to serve as ex officio members of the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation for the purpose of participating in the National Ocean Policy Study: Senators Matsunaga, Mitchell, Adams, Wilson, Cohen, and Gramm.

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Japan-United States Friendship Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 94-118, reappointed Senator Roth to the Japan-United States Friendship Commission.

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U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-204, appointed Senator Pell as a member of the United States Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations.

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National Women's Business Council: The Chair, pursuant to sec. 403(a)(2) of Public Law 100-533, announced, on behalf of the Majority Leader, the appointment of the following individuals to the National Women's Business Council: Mary Ann Campbell, of Arkansas, and Virginia Littlejohn, of Maryland.

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Federal Council on the Aging: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 93-29, as amended by Public Law 98-459, appointed Patricia A. Riley, of Maine, to the Federal Council on Aging.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—68)	Page 9515

Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m., and recessed at 5:35 p.m., until 1:30 p.m., on Thursday, May 18, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 9572.)

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES MARKET

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed oversight hearings to review regulatory activities of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, receiving testimony from Leo Melamed, Chicago Merchantile Exchange, and Karsten Mahlmann, Chicago Board of Trade, both of Chicago, Illinois; and Z. Lou Guttman, New York Merchantile Exchange, and Robert E. Fink, Commodity Exchange, Inc., both of New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for defense programs, focusing on Army programs, receiving testimony from John O. Marsh, Jr., Secretary of the Army; and Gen. Carl E. Vuono, USA, Chief of Staff.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, focusing on the Department of Corrections, receiving testimony from Mayor Marion S. Barry, Jr., and Hal Williams, Director, District of Columbia Department of Corrections, both of Washington, DC.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DOE/DEFENSE PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Energy,

focusing on defense programs, receiving testimony from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; Troy E. Wade, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs, Department of Energy; and Leo P. Duffy, Special Assistant to the Secretary for Defense Waste Management, Environmental Restoration, and Coordination of DOE Waste Management, Department of Energy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Gen. Robert T. Herres, U.S.A.F., for reappointment as Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Donald B. Rice, of California, to be Secretary of the Air Force, and 70 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology concluded hearings on the defense industrial base, after receiving testimony from Richard E. Donnelly, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Manufacturing and Industrial Programs); Robert A. Fuhrman, Lockheed Corporation, Calabasas, California; James A. Blackwell, Jr., Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC; Thomas J. Murrin, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and Norman R. Augustine, Martin Marietta Corporation, Bethesda, Maryland.

LOW-INCOME HOUSING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held hearings to review HUD's management of the Moderate Rehabilitation Program to upgrade substandard rental housing and provide rent subsidies for lower-income families, receiving testimony from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Alvin Tucker, Deputy Inspector General, John H. Greer, Deputy Assistant Inspector General for Audit, and Patrick J. Neri, Assistant Inspector General for Investigation, all of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; former Senator Edward W. Brooke, O'Connor and Hannan, Richard Shelby, and Fred Bush, all of Washington, DC; and Judith S. Siegel, Lundex Corporation, Warwick, Rhode Island.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MARINE FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act and to review the implementation of the Driftnet Impact

Monitoring, Assessment, and Control Act (P.L. 100-220), receiving testimony from William E. Evans, Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere; Richard J. Smith, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs; David V.D. Borden, New England Fishery Management Council, Saugus, Massachusetts; Tim Smith, Northeast Fisheries Center, Woods Hole, Massachusetts; Barbara Stevenson, Portland, Maine; Kate Troll, Southeast Alaska Seiners Association, Ketchikan, Alaska; Henry Mitchell, Bering Sea Fishermen's Association, Anchorage, Alaska; and Barry Collier, Pacific Seafood Processors Association, Seattle, Washington.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATION—FCC

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Communications Commission, after receiving testimony from Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, Alex Felker, Chief, Mass Media Bureau, and Thomas Stanley, Chief Scientist, Office of Engineering and Technology, all of the Federal Communications Commission.

AUTHORIZATIONS—NASA

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, focusing on commercial space activities and related issues, receiving testimony from James T. Rose, Assistant Administrator for the Office of Commercial Programs, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Stephanie Lee-Miller, Director, Office of Commercial Space Transportation, Department of Transportation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia, with an amendment, in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 964, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29, relating to certain lands in Lamar County, Alabama;

H.R. 999, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990-1994 for the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, with amendments;

S. 750, to authorize the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to extend time limitations on certain hydroelectric projects;

S. 694, to extend the authority for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve for five years, with amendments;

S. 783, to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas and to make technical and conforming amendments to the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978; and

H.R. 1722, to eliminate wellhead price and non-price controls on the first sale of natural gas and to make technical and conforming amendments to the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978, with amendments.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Frank Henry Habicht II, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency.

TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 353, to allow the use of United States savings bonds for any individual's higher education expenses to qualify for an income exclusion, S. 442, to impose a value added tax and to provide a trust fund in the Department of the Treasury restricting the use of the revenues from the value added tax to deficit and debt reduction, and S. 659, S. 838, and S. 849, bills to repeal the estate tax inclusion related to valuation freezes, receiving testimony from Senators Hollings and Exon; Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel, Department of the Treasury; Sijbren Cnossen, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, The Netherlands; Charles E. Walker, Charles E. Walker Associates, Joseph A. Pechman, Brookings Institution, and Richard F. Rosser, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, all of Washington, DC; Thomas E. Swannstrom, Sears, Roebuck and Co., on behalf of the American Retail Federation, and Richard L. Dees, Partner, McDermott, Will & Emery, both of Chicago, Illinois; Roy D. Nyberg, Nyberg's Ace Hardware, Inc., Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on behalf of the National Retail Hardware Association; and Harry L. Gutman, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE/USIA/BIB

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued markup of S. 928, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

PROLIFERATION OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the U.S. response to the proliferation of biological weapons and the impact new genetic technologies may have on biological arms control, receiving testimony from Representative Wayne Owens; H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Jim E. Hinds, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Negotiations Policy; Billy Richardson, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Chemical Matters; Col. David L. Huxsoll, Commander, U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases, Department of the Army; Keith Yamamoto, University of California, San Francisco; Matthew Meselson, Harvard University, and Johathan King, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, both of Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Victor W. Sidel, Montefiore Medical Center, The Bronx, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks held hearings on S. 497, to provide that any State or State instrumentality is liable for infringement of copyright and infringement of exclusive rights in mask works to the same extent as any non-governmental entity, receiving testimony from Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress; James Lawrence Healy, Jr., Enterprise Media, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts; Robert A. Schmitz, Richard D. Irwin, Inc., Homewood, Illinois; David Eskra, Pansophic Systems, Inc., Washington, DC, representing the Software Publishers Association and ADAPSO; and August W. Steinhilber, Educators' Ad Hoc Committee on Copyright Law, Alexandria, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S.J. Res. 98, to establish separate appropriations accounts for the Senate and the House of Representatives for the payment of official mail costs;

S. Con. Res. 19, to authorize the printing as a Senate document a collection of the inaugural addresses of the Presidents of the United States;

An original resolution to authorize the printing as a Senate document a compilation of the rules of procedure of Senate committees;

An original resolution to amend Senate Resolution 369, 98th Congress, to permit the purchase of two flags by each Senator, former Senator, each Senate committee, and each officer of the Senate;

S.J. Res. 77, to recognize the National Fallen Firefighters' Memorial at the National Fire Academy in

Emmitsburg, Maryland, as the official national memorial to firefighters who die in the line of duty;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 for the American Folklife Center;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Election Commission;

S. 326, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit the conversion of campaign funds to personal use;

S. 136, to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections;

S. 377, to establish a series of five Presidential primaries, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 978, to establish the National Memorial Museum of the American Indian within the Smithsonian Institution, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Also, the committee began consideration of S. 874, to establish national voter registration procedures for Presidential and Congressional elections, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans Affairs: On Tuesday, May 16, Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Frank Quill Nebeker, of Virginia, to be Chief Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to further deliberate on pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings raised by the House Managers and Judge Hastings' Counsel.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 2383-2399; 1 private bill, H.R. 2400; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 272, and H. Res. 158 and 159 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1549, to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, amended (H. Rept. 101-56).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 295 yeas to 113 nays, Roll No. 56, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, May 16.

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Budget Resolution: By a yea-and-nay vote of 241 yeas to 185 nays, Roll No. 57, the House agreed to the conference report on H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request that during further consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, it be in order to consider an amendment to be offered by Representative Whitten; that certain points of order against said amendment be waived; and that said amendment not be subject to amendment, except pro forma amendments for purposes of debate, or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 9454, 9473. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment. Met at noon and adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HUNGER IN RURAL AMERICA

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing to review hunger in rural America. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: G. Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service; James Heimbach, Acting Administrator, Human Nutrition Information Service; and Myron Johnsrud, Administrator, Extension Service; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to conclude appropriation hearings, with emphasis on the Coast Guard and on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and officials of the CIA.

U.S. DEFENSE BUDGETS IN A CHANGING THREAT ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel concluded hearings on U.S. defense budgets in a changing threat environment. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Paul Wolfowitz, Under Secretary, Policy, Department of Defense; and Ambassador Reginald Bartholomew, Under Secretary, Security Assistance, Science and Technology, Department of State.

ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION ISSUES RELATING TO BASE CLOSURE AND REALIGNMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Environmental Restoration Panel held a hearing on environmental restoration issues relating to base closure and realignment. Testimony was heard from Senator Coats; Representatives Brown of California, Boxer, Lewis of California, Smith of New Hampshire, Pelosi and Hamilton.

TRUTH IN SAVINGS ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 736, to require the clear and uniform disclosure by depository institutions of interest rates payable and fees assessable with respect to deposit accounts.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on H.R. 486, Defense Production Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INSURED BROKER DEPOSITS AND FEDERAL DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Insured Broker Deposits and Federal Depository Institutions. Testimony was heard from Senator Murkowski; Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; H. Robert Heller, Governor, Federal Reserve System; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; M. Danny Wall, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and public witnesses.

HEALTH AND SAFETY OF WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued hearings on the health and safety of workers at Department of Energy owned nuclear facilities operated by private contractors. Testimony was heard from Peter Brush, Acting

Assistant Secretary, Environment, Safety and Health, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION PROGRAMS IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on H.R. 711, State Energy Conservation Programs Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewables, Department of Energy; Rich Gerardi, Weatherization Program Director, Division of Economic Opportunity, Department of State; Frank M. Beaver, Director, Energy Conservation, Department of Energy and Natural Resources, State of Illinois; Eric Hirst, Energy Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; and a public witness.

FOOD SAFETY AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 1725, Food Safety Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Jack Parnell, Deputy Secretary, USDA; Richard Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues, GAO; John M. Taylor, Associate Commissioner, Regulatory Affairs, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; and Jack Moore, Acting Deputy Administrator, EPA.

AMTRAK REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on the reauthorization of Amtrak. Testimony was heard from S. Mark Lindsey, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; W. Graham Claytor, Jr., President and Chairman, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK); and public witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL IN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a joint hearing on Arms Control in Europe. Testimony was heard from Charles H. Thomas, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State; Jim E. Hinds, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Negotiations Policy, International Security Policy, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

AMERICAN FOLKLIFE CENTER REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Libraries and Memorials began markup of the American Folklife Center reauthorization.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following measures: H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country; H.R. 881, Coquill Restoration Act; and H. Res. 157, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Exxon Co., USA, should devote whatever resources are necessary and pay all expenses required to compensate affected parties expeditiously, mitigate impacts, and complete cleanup by September 15, 1989, of Prince William Sound and other Alaska lands and waters damaged by the *Exxon Valdez* oil spill.

POST-EMPLOYMENT RESTRICTIONS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Government Relations approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2267, Post-Employment Restrictions Act of 1989.

ANTITRUST LEGISLATION ON PRODUCTION JOINT VENTURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on Antitrust Legislation on Production Joint Ventures (H.R. 423, H.R. 1024, H.R. 1025 and H.R. 2264). Testimony was heard from Representatives Boucher, Campbell of California, Wyden and Pickle; Michael Boudin, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—IMMIGRATION REFORM AND CONTROL ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law continued oversight hearings on the Immigration Reform and Control Act. Testimony was heard from Alan Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Shellyn G. McCaffrey, Deputy Under Secretary, International Affairs, Department of Labor; Kevin E. Moley, Assistant Secretary, Management and Budget, Department of Health and Human Services; Arnold P. Jones, Director, Administration of Justice Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

WETLANDS CONSERVATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on Wetlands Conservation. Testimony was heard from David G. Davis, Director, Office of Wetlands, Protection, EPA; Ralph Morgenweck, Assistant Director, Fish and Wildlife Enhancement, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; the following offi-

cials of the USDA: John Campbell, Deputy Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Programs; and Ralph E. Heimlich, Agricultural Economist, Economic Research Service; William Hooke, Executive Director, Office of the Chief Scientist, NOAA, Department of Commerce; John S. Doyle, Jr., Principal Deputy Assistant, Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Department of the Army; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—OCEAN DUMPING BAN ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, Subcommittee on Oceanography and the Great Lakes and the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment concluded joint oversight hearings on Title I of Public Law 100-688, "The Ocean Dumping Ban Act of 1988", including the status of negotiations for compliance and enforcement agreements, plans for monitoring for regulatory compliance and environmental impacts of sludge disposal, and proposed permits. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CENSORSHIP OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES BY THE OMB

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on the censorship of Federal employees by the OMB. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT DUTY TIME ACT

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on H.R. 638, Flight Attendant Duty Time Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Mineta; Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification, FAA, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Science, Space and Technology: Concluded hearings on Europe 1992 its effects on U.S. Science, Technology and Competitiveness. Testimony was heard from John A. Shaw, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce; the following officials of NSF: John H. Moore, Deputy Director; and Richard E. Bradshaw, International Analyst; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY CONSERVATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Science, Space and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 1268, National Biological Diversity Conservation and Environmental Research Act. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Lovejoy, Assistant Secretary, External Af-

fairs, Smithsonian Institution; Peter R. Jutro, Acting Director, Marine, Fresh Water, Modeling and Global Change Research, EPA; George Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; J. Doug Buffington, Deputy Regional Director, Research, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1358, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to the Montgomery GI bill; H.R. 1414, to provide for the appointment of enlisted members of the Armed Forces to the American Battle Monuments Commission; H.R. 1734, to exempt retired members of the Armed Forces called to active duty and assigned to full-time duty with American Battle Monuments Commission from grade limitations on officers of the Armed Forces; and H.R. 1415, Veterans' Home Loan Mortgage Indemnity Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved the DVA Medical Construction Resolution for fiscal year 1990.

TAX POLICY ASPECTS OF MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on the Tax Policy Aspects of Mergers and Acquisitions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

STANDARDS FOR PRIVATE LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on standards for private long term care insurance, with emphasis on H.R. 1325, to amend title XVIII of Social Security Act to provide for the application of certain standards to the certification of long-term care insurance policies. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Thursday, May 18, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fifty bills and thirteen resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1033-1082, S. Res. 130-135, S.J. Res. 137-141, and S. Con. Res. 39 and 40.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 326, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to repeal a provision allowing use of excess contributions. (S. Rept. No. 101-28)

S. 1074, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Commission for fiscal year 1990. (S. Rept. No. 101-29)

S. 1075, to authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. (S. Rept. No. 101-30)

S.J. Res. 77, recognizing the National Fallen Firefighters' Memorial at the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, Maryland, as the official national memorial to volunteer and career firefighters who die in the line of duty. (S. Rept. No. 101-31)

S. Res. 134, to authorize printing of a collection of the rules of the committees of the Senate.

S. Res. 135, to amend Senate Resolution 369, 98th Congress, 2nd Session, relating to the Senate flag, to clarify the intent of the resolution that committees and officers of the Senate are permitted to display the flag.

S. Con. Res. 19, to authorize printing of a collection of the inaugural addresses of the President of the United States.

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Measures Passed:

U.S.S.R. Congress of Peoples' Deputies: Senate agreed to S. Res. 130, recognizing the May 25, 1989 convening of U.S.S.R. Congress of Peoples' Deputies.

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NATO/Economic Summit Meetings: Senate agreed to S. Res. 132, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding consultation with leaders of allied countries during the NATO Summit and the Economic Summit meetings in Brussels and Paris about loans and credit to the Soviet bloc.

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Health of the Nation's Children: Committee on Labor and Human Resources was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 104, to express the sense of the Congress with respect to the health of the Nation's Children, and the resolution was then passed.

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Department of Veterans Affairs—Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed H.R. 2402, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, after agreeing to Byrd/Hatfield Amendment No. 105, to limit the period for which appropriations are available for obligation.

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Congressional Budget, 1990—Conference Report: By 63 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 69), Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional

budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Galen Joseph Reser, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Alan Charles Raul, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Agriculture.

Frank Henry Habicht II, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

John Cameron Monjo, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Indonesia.

Ivan Selin, of the District of Columbia, to be Under Secretary of State for Management.

Donald B. Rice, of California, to be Secretary of the Air Force.

Gen. Robert T. Herres, USAF, to be Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

David J. Gribbin, III, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs.

Louis A. Williams, of Wyoming, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

Sydney Linn Williams, of Virginia, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative.

Pamela Ann Rymer, of California, to be a United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

Ferdinand F. Fernandez, of California, to be a United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

Robert C. Bonner, of California, to be a United States District Judge for the Central District.

Melinda F. Harmon, of Texas, to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District.

Kenneth Winston Starr, of Virginia, to be Solicitor General of the United States.

Shirley D. Peterson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Carol T. Crawford, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Roderick Allen DeArment, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Labor.

Sean C. O'Keefe, of Virginia, to be Comptroller of the Department of Defense.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Antonio Lopez, of Tennessee, to be an Associate Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Appointments by the Vice President:

Board of Visitors to the U.S. Military Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 4355(a), appointed Senators D'Amato and Burns to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Military Academy.

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Board of Visitors to the U.S. Air Force Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), appointed Senators Cochran and Grassley to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Air Force Academy.

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Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), appointed Senator Hatfield to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy.

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Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 14 U.S.C. 194(a), appointed Senator Danforth to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy.

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Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 1295(a), appointed Senator Pressler to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

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North Atlantic Assembly Spring Meeting: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a-1928d, as amended, appointed Senators Pressler and Specter as members of the Senate Delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly Spring Meeting, to be held in Antalya, Turkey, May 26-30, 1989.

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Authority To Sign Enrolled Bills and Joint Resolutions: The Majority Leader was authorized to sign duly enrolled bills and joint resolutions during the recess of the Senate.

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Authority for Committees: Committees were authorized to file reports between 12 noon and 3 p.m., on Thursday, May 25, 1989, with an exception.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—69)

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Recess: Senate convened at 1:30 p.m., and in accordance with S. Con. Res. 38, recessed at 7:47 p.m., until 2:15 p.m., Wednesday, May 31, 1989.

Committee Meetings

FOREST SERVICE APPEALS PROCESS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry held hearings to review the U.S. Forest Service administrative appeals process and its impact on national forest timber supplies in Montana, receiving testimony from John W. Harman, Director of Food and Agricultural Issues, and Chester Joy, Evaluator-in-Charge, both of the Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; James Riley, Idaho Forest Industry Council, Coeur D'Alene; Mark Ray, National Forest Products Association, and H. Michael Anderson and Jay Watson, both of the Wilderness Society, all of Washington, DC; Anthony Colter, Louisiana Pacific Corporation, Deer Lodge, Montana; and Tony E. Schoonen, Montana Wildlife Federation, Bozeman.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—FCC

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Communications Commission, receiving testimony from Dennis R. Patrick, Chairman, FCC.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense continued closed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on space programs, receiving testimony from Kent G. Stansberry, Director, Defense and Space Arms Control Policy, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy; Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Space Command; and John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, May 31.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Judith Rodgers, Chief Judge, Court of Appeals, Fred Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court, Larry Polansky, Executive Director, Court System, Linda Cropp, President, and Andrew Jenkins, Superintendent, both of the School Board, all of the Government of the District of Columbia, Washington, DC.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Energy, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for basic energy sciences, magnetic fusion, human genome, global warming, nuclear physics, high energy physics, superconducting super collider, and other science programs from Robert O. Hunter, Director of Energy Research, Office of Energy Research, Alan Schriesheim, Director, Argonne National Laboratory, Chicago, Illinois, Alvin Trivelpiece, Director, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Sig Hecker, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Los Alamos, New Mexico, and Burton Richter, Director, Stanford Linear Accelerator Center, Stanford, California, all of the Department of Energy.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—VA/HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, the Department of Housing and Urban Development and certain related agencies, receiving testimony from Senators Cranston, Lieberman, and Wilson; former Senator Paul Tsongas; and numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Sean O'Keefe, of Virginia, to be Comptroller of the Department of Defense, David J. Gribbin III, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs, and Louis A. Williams, of Wyoming, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. O'Keefe, Grib-

bin, and Williams, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. O'Keefe was introduced by Senators Johnston and Stevens, and Messrs. Gribbin and Williams were introduced by Senator Simpson.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support resumed open and closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on ammunition programs, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Paul L. Greenberg, USA, Deputy for Ammunition, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development and Acquisition); and Maj. Gen. Edward R. Bracken, USAF, Director, Logistics Plans and Programs, Department of the Air Force.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

DOD CLASSIFIED PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence, Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense, and the Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense held closed joint hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on classified programs, receiving testimony from Brig. Gen. Keith Glenn, USAF, Director, Special Programs, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition); and representatives of the military services and defense agencies.

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee continue hearings tomorrow.

MARKET REFORM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities resumed hearings on S. 648, to improve the flow of information to shareholders, streamline the issuance of debt securities, ensure the integrity and efficiency of capital markets, and strengthen the Securities and Exchange Commission enforcement tools to protect investors and police the securities markets, receiving testimony from John Phelan, New York Stock Exchange, and Jeffrey B. Lane, Shearson Lehman Hutton, Inc., both of New York, New York; Joseph Hardiman, National Association of Securities Dealers, Washington, DC.; Leo Melamed, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Chicago, Illinois; and George S. Bissell, Keystone Massachusetts Group, Boston, Massachusetts.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MARINE FISHERIES

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs on the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act and to review the implementation of the Driftnet Impact Monitoring, Assessment, and Control Act (P.L. 100-220), after receiving testimony from Paul Mulready, Johnson Fishing, Mankato, Minnesota; Robert P. Jones, Southeastern Fisheries Association, Tallahassee, Florida; Edward McCulla, Motivati Seafoods, Inc., Houma, Louisiana; John G. Peterson, North Pacific Fishery Management Council, Anchorage, Alaska; Arni Thomson, Alaska Crab Coalition, and Edward D. Evans, Alaska Factory Trawler Association, both of Seattle, Washington; David Harville, Kodiak and Western Trawler Group, Kodiak, Alaska; and Alex M. Jernigan, Orlando, Florida.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 310, to remove a restriction on a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, so that such land may be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans' nursing home, after receiving testimony from Senator Warner; Robert Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Ernest B. Glynn, Virginia Chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Alexandria;

S. 737, to acquire certain lands as additions to the Rocky Mountain National Park, Colorado, after receiving testimony from James Thompson, Superintendent, Rocky Mountain National Park (Estes Park, Colorado), National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and

S. 267, to convey certain lands in Idaho to certain individuals, after receiving testimony from Robert Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded hearings on S. 635, to prevent the unintended licensing of federally nonjurisdictional pre-1935 unlicensed hydroelectric projects, after receiving testimony from Kristina Nygaard, Assistant General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy; Victor Roque, Pearl River, New York, on behalf of the Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. and the Edison Electric Institute; and John Turner, Georgia-Pacific Corporation, on behalf of the American Paper Institute, and John Echeverria, American Rivers, both of Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the U.S. Customs Service, the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative, and the U.S. International Trade Commission. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$1,203,418,000 for the U.S. Customs Service, \$21,143,000 for USTR, and \$39,943,000 for the ITC);

An original resolution honoring the U.S. Customs Service on the 200th anniversary of its establishment;

S. Res. 119, concerning the 1986 agreement between the United States and Japan regarding the Japanese semiconductor market; and

The nomination of Sidney Linn Williams, of Virginia, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mr. Williams, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

AUTHORIZATION—STATE/USIA/BIB

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued markup of S. 928, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

ARMS CONTROL POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, focusing on defense and arms control policy, receiving testimony from Paul H. Nitze, former Ambassador at Large and Special Advisor on Arms Control Matters; Max M. Kampelman, former Head of Delegation and Defense and Space Negotiator; Jonathan Dean, Union of Concerned Scientists, Frank Gaffney, Center for Security Policy, and John D. Steinbruner and Michael K. McGwire, both of the Brookings Institution, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NUCLEAR AND MISSILE PROLIFERATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the global spread of nuclear weapons and missiles, receiving testimony from William Webster, Director, Central Intelligence Agency; Ronald F. Lehman II, Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Reginald Bartholomew, Under Secretary of State for Security Assistance, Science and Technology.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Pamela Ann Rymer and Ferdinand F. Fernandez, both of California, each to be a United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Robert C. Bonner, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, Melinda F. Harmon, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas, Kenneth Winston Starr, of Virginia, to be Solicitor General of the United States, and Shirley D. Peterson, of Maryland, and Carol T. Crawford, of Virginia, each to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Roderrick Allen DeArment, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Labor.

ADMINISTRATION ON AGING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Aging concluded oversight hearings on activities of the Administration on Aging, Office of Human Development Services, Department of Health and Human Services, after receiving testimony from Joyce T. Berry, Acting Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Kevin Moley, Assistant Secretary for Management and Budget, Mary Shiela Gall, Assistant Secretary for Human Development Services, all of the Department of Health and Human Services; Curtis Cook, National Indian Council on Aging, Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Thomas Kaulukukui, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, and Shimeji Kanazawa, on behalf of the Hawaii Office of Aging, both of Honolulu.

ILLITERACY

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities resumed hearings on proposed legislation to coordinate and strengthen efforts at the Federal, State, local and private and non-profit sector levels to combat illiteracy in the United States, receiving testimony from Dexter Manley, Washington Redskins, and Nicholas Veliotis, Association of American Publishers, both of Washington, DC; Helen Crouch, Syracuse, New York, and Wally Amos, Kailua, Hawaii, both on behalf of the Literacy Volunteers of America; Sharon Darling, National Center for Family Literacy, Louisville, Kentucky, on behalf of the Barbara Bush Family Literacy Foundation; Dan Lacy, Business Council for Effective Literacy, McGraw Hill, New York, New York; David B. Cox, IBM Literacy Program, Gwendolyn Jones, IBM Literacy Center through CYCLE Program, and Regina Boyd, Community Youth Creative Learning Experience

(CYCLE), all of Chicago, Illinois; Bob Bickerton, Massachusetts Department of Education, Quincy; Anice Powell, Sunflower County Library, Indianola, Mississippi, on behalf of the American Library Association; and Theodore Wischropp, Seward Community College, Liberal, Kansas, on behalf of the American Association for Adult and Continuing Education.

Hearings were recessed.

HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on certain provisions of S. 13, S. 165, S. 573, S. 574, S. 748, S. 900, S. 947, and S. 899, bills to strengthen and improve veterans health care programs, after receiving testimony from Anthony J. Principi, Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs, John Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, Vernice Ferguson, Deputy Associate Chief Medical Director for Nursing Service, Ronald Cowles, Deputy Director, Office of Personnel and Labor Relations, and Donald Ivers, General Counsel, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs; Margaret Stafford, VA Medical Center, Hines, Illinois, representing the American Nurses' Association; Claudette Morrissey, Nurses Organization of the Veterans Administration, McLean, Virginia; Arte Pierce, American Federation of Government Employees, Ed Murphy, National Association of Government Employees, Marie Winslow, National Federation of Federal Employees, Richard S. Christian, National Veterans and Rehabilitation Commission, and Samuel J. Walsh, National Legislative Commission, both of the American Legion; Dave Gorman, Disabled American Veterans, Gordon Mansfield, Paralyzed Veterans of America, James Magill, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, and Thomas Sherwood, Vietnam Veterans of America, all of Washington, D.C.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations continued hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian Affairs, focusing on the federal government's protection of natural resources at the Arkansas Riverbed in Oklahoma and the Hopi Reservation in Arizona, receiving testimony from Tim Vollmann, Southwest Regional Solicitor, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Department of the Interior; William Anoatubby, Chickasaw Nation, Ada, Oklahoma; Hollis Roberts, Choctaw Nation, Durant, Oklahoma; Wilma Mankiller and William Foster, both of the Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma; Tina Jordan-Walker, Arkansas Riverbed Authority, Tahlequah, Oklahoma; Mark Fischer, Chaparral Energy Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; William Walker, Stephens Production Company, Fort Smith, Arkansas; Ivan Sidney and Michael

O'Connell, both of the Hopi Tribe, Kykotsmovi, Arizona; and Harold Bentley, Hydro Geochem, Inc., Tucson, Arizona.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee resumed closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NURSING HOME REFORM

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held oversight hearings on the Federal Government's role in the implementation of the nursing home reform provisions of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (P.L. 100-203), receiving testimony from C. Ross Anthony, Associate Administrator for Program Development, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; G. Janet Tulloch, Washington Home, and Bruce Spitz, American Red Cross, both of Washington, DC.; Susan A. Rourke, Citizens' for Better Care, Detroit, Michigan, on behalf of the National Citizens Coalition for Nursing Home Reform; Dana Petrowsky, Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals, Des Moines; Kenny Whitlock, Arkansas Department of Human Services, Little Rock; Linda M. Rhodes, Pennsylvania Department of Aging, Harrisburg; Mary Ousley, Kenwood House, Richmond, Kentucky, on behalf of the American Health Care Association; and Catherine R. Price, United Church of Christ Homes, Annville, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the American Association of Homes for the Aging.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 2401-2435; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 273-279, and H. Con. Res. 126-130, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 932, to provide for the settlement of land claims of the Pullayup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington, amended (H. Rept. 101-57);

H.R. 1414, to provide for the appointment of enlisted members of the Armed Forces to the American Battle Monuments Commission, amended (H. Rept. 101-58); and

H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive de-

tection equipment at certain airports located outside the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment, amended (H. Rept. 101-59).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: The Speaker appointed Representative Coelho to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 284 yeas to 98 nays, Roll No. 58, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, May 17.

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Veterans Supplemental Appropriations: House passed H.R. 2402, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 38, providing for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate from May 18 or 19, 1989, until May 31, 1989, and a conditional adjournment of the House from May 25, 1989, until May 31, 1989—clearing the measure.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 9612. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 1:49 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations continued oversight hearings on implementation of the joint officer management provisions of the Goldwater-Nichols Department of Defense Reorganization Act of 1986 (PL 99-433). Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Donald W. Jones, USA, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Military Manpower and Personnel Policy, Department of Defense; and Lou Rodrigues, Director, Logistics Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities concluded hearings on the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on effects of the INF Treaty on bases and personnel in Europe. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Ambassador John A. Woodworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and NATO Policy; Maj.

Gen. Ronald R. Fogelman, Director, Programs and Evaluation, Department of the Air Force; and Brig. Gen. Daniel W. Christman, Deputy Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy, Department of the Army.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Army programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: J.R. Sculley, Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition; Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary, Research, Development and Acquisition; and Brig. Gen. Alfred J. Mallette, Deputy Director, Plans, Programs and Systems for Command, Control, Communication and Computers.

Hearings continue May 23.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on H.R. 486, Defense Production Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 24.

RURAL HOUSING

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on rural housing issues and provisions in H.R. 1180, Housing and Community Development Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Espy and McDade; and public witnesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY TRUST FUND SURPLUS

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Economic Policy, Projections and Revenues held a hearing on Social Security Trust Fund Surplus. Testimony was heard from Alicia Munnell, Senior Vice-President and Director of Research, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Federal Reserve System; Robert Reischauer, Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—STATE OF INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education held an oversight hearing on the state of intercollegiate athletics. Testimony was heard from Senator Bradely; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 24.

FSX—AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science, and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade concluded joint hearings on the FSX-Agreement: Private Sector Views. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: William Clark, Acting Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Michael Matheson, Deputy Legal Advisor; Glenn Rudd, Defense Security Assistance Affairs, Department of Defense; Joan McEntee, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

DOD MANAGEMENT OF AUTOMATED INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on DOD Management of Automated Information Systems. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; Cynthia Kendall, Deputy Comptroller, Information Resources Management, Department of Defense; the following Officials of GSA: Fred Sims, Assistant Commissioner, Information Resources Management Policy; and John Caron, Assistant Commissioner, Technical Assistance.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing on Open Space: The American Landscape in the 21st Century. Testimony was heard from John A. Miranowski, Director, Resources and Technology Division, Economic Research Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM REVIEW BOARD

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1484, to establish the National Park System Review Board. Testimony was heard from Representative Ravenel; James M. Ridenour, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; J. Jackson Walter, President, National Trust for Historic Preservation; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Law continued oversight hearings on the FBI reauthorization request for 1990 (Computer and Technology Systems). Testimony was heard from William A. Bayse, Assistant Director, Technical Services Division, FBI, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

HATE CRIME STATISTICS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1048, Hate Crime Statistics Act.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law met to consider private immigration bills.

**OVERSIGHT—PANAMA CANAL:
HARASSMENT OF EMPLOYEES**

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal/Outer Continental Shelf held an oversight hearing on the Panama Canal: Harassment of Employees. Testimony was heard from Michael Rhode, Secretary, Panama Canal Commission; the following officials of the Department of Defense: Richard C. Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs; and Maj. Gen. Eugene Fischer, Deputy Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command; Michael G. Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

R&D TAX POLICY

Committee on Science, Space and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on R&D Tax Policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported the following: as amended, the fiscal year 1990 authorization of appropriations for the U.S. International Trade Commission, U.S. Customs Service, and the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; H. Res. 146, calling for the President to take action to enforce the semi-conductor agreement, and to prevent further unfair Japanese trade practices; and H.R. 1278, amended, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Food and Agricultural Policy, Washington, DC; and Ed Schuh, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

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Monday, May 22, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Wednesday, May 31, 1989, at 2:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings**APPROPRIATIONS—VA/HUD**

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, May 19, Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for certain programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Housing and Urban Development and related agencies, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: On Friday, May 19, Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence held closed hearings on operational requirements of the U.S. Space Command, and proposed budget requests for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for forces under that command, receiving testimony from Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Space Command.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

OZONE DEPLETING SUBSTANCES

Committee on Environment and Public Works: On Friday, May 19, Subcommittee on Environmental Pollution held hearings on S. 201, S. 333, S. 491, S. 503, and S. 676, bills to control the manufacture, use, and disposal of ozone depleting substances, receiving testimony from Senators Leahy and Gore; Robert Watson, Chief, Upper Atmosphere/Research/Tropospheric Chemical Branch, Office of Space Science and Applications, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; William G. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation, Environmental Protection Agency; Joseph Glass, E.I. DuPont De Nemours and Co., Wilmington, Delaware; Marilyn I. Montgomery, Genetron, Morristown, New Jersey; Peter Likes, Hussmann Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri; William Jelin, Barriers, Inc., Saco, Maine; and Cheryl Russell, American

Joint Meeting**U.S. AGRICULTURE AND THIRD WORLD DEBT**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the effects of the Third World debt on American agriculture, after receiving testimony from Robert Paarlberg, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Ed Rossmiller, National Center for

Electronics Association, William Walsh, U.S. Public Interest Research Group, and David Doniger, Natural Resource Defense Council, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RURAL HEALTH CARE

Committee on Finance: On Friday, May 19, Subcommittee on Medicare and Long Term Care held hearings to examine approaches to modify or change Medicare policies to improve the health care system in rural America, receiving testimony from Jeffrey Human, Director, Office of Rural Health Policy, Department of Health and Human Services; Paul G. FitzPatrick, New York State Department of Health, Albany; Ralph Tabor, National Association of Counties, Washington, DC; Bruce Behringer, Virginia Primary Care Association, Richmond, on behalf of the National Rural Health Association; John Mengenhause, East River Health Care, Inc., Howard, South Dakota, on behalf of the National Association of Community Health Centers; Pat McGill, Charleston Area Medical Center, Charleston, West Virginia, on behalf of the American Nurses Association; Dani M. Cossette, American Association of Nurse Anesthetists, Salina, Kansas; Jan Towers, American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, Biglerville, Pennsylvania; Tom Harward, Belington Clinic, Belington, West Virginia, on behalf of the American Academy of Physician Assistants; and David W. Bush, Spectrum Learning Inc., Great Falls, Montana, on behalf of the American Psychological Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, May 19, Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, and Chic Hecht, of Nevada, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Aronson was introduced by Senators Nunn and McCain. Testimony was also received on the nomination of Mr. Aronson from Laurence R. Birns, Council on Hemispheric Affairs, Washington, DC.

INDIAN CIVIL RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: On Friday, May 19, Committee concluded hearings on the U.S. Civil Rights Commission's effects on the White Mountain Apache Tribe, after receiving testimony from William B. Allen, Chairman, Robert Destro, Commissioner, William H. Gillers, Solicitor, William J. Howard, General Counsel, Melvin L. Jenkins, Acting Staff Director, and John C. Eastman, Director, Congressional and Public Affairs, all of the U.S.

Commission on Civil Rights; Peter S. Taylor, Senior Counsel, Select Committee on Indian Affairs; and Reno Johnson, Andrew Kane, and Claudeen Bates Arthur, all on behalf of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, Whiteriver, Arizona.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 2436-2440; 1 private bill, H.R. 2441; and 1 resolution H.J. Res. 280, were introduced.

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Public Debt Limit: The Speaker announced that, pursuant to Rule 49, as a result of the adoption of H. Con. Res. 106, as amended, H.J. Res. 280, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, has been engrossed and is deemed to have been passed by the House on May 17, 1989.

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Late Report: Committee on Ways and Means received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Committee Meeting

ALTERNATIVE BUDGET STRATEGIES FOR THE FSLIC BAILOUT

Committee on the Budget: On May 19, the Task Force on Urgent Fiscal Issues held a hearing on Alternative Budget Strategies for the FSLIC Bailout. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

Tuesday, May 23, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 2:15 p.m., on Wednesday, May 31, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 2442-2458; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 281-282, H. Con. Res. 131-135, and H. Res. 160-161 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country, amended (H. Rept. 101-60);

H.R. 881, to provide for restoration of the Federal trust relationship with, and assistance to the Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 101-61);

Report of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs entitled "Subdivision among Programs of Budget Allocations for fiscal year 1990" (H. Rept. 101-62);

H. Res. 160, providing for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2072) making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, and the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2442), to provide additional funds for the programs authorized in the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 by requiring the transfer of amounts in excess of \$3,738,000,000 that are appropriated or otherwise made available to the Department of Defense for research, development, test, and evaluation for fiscal year 1990 relating to the Strategic Defense Initiative (H. Rept. 101-63);

H. Res. 161, providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2392) to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims (H. Rept. 101-64); and

H.R. 2392, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims (H. Rept. 101-65).

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Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker appointed Representative Walsh to the United States delegation to attend the meeting of the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group; vice Representative Martin of New York, resigned.

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Congress Commemorative Coin: House passed and cleared for the President, S.J. Res. 128, authorizing a first strike ceremony at the United States Capitol for the Bicentennial of the Congress Commemorative Coin.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Puyallup Tribe land claims: H.R. 932, amended, to provide for the settlement of land claims of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington. Agreed to amend the title:

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American Battle Monuments Commission: H.R. 1414, amended, to provide for the appointment of enlisted members of the Armed Forces to the American Battle Monuments Commission. Agreed to amend the title;

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Department of Interior law enforcement services: H.R. 498, amended, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country;

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Coquille Tribe Federal trust: H.R. 881, amended, to provide for restoration of the Federal trust relationship with, and assistance to the Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians;

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Transfer of naval vessels: H.R. 2344, to authorize the transfer to the Republic of the Philippines of two excess naval vessels; and

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Assassination of Colonel James Rowe: H. Con. Res. 121, to express the sense of the Congress with respect to the assassination of Colonel James Rowe in the Philippines (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 401 yeas to 9 nays, Roll No. 59).

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Presidential Message—Iran Emergency: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits a report concerning the national emergency with respect to Iran covering events through March 28,

1989—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-68).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 10038. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 3:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR MATERIAL PRODUCTION CUTOFF

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel held a hearing on nuclear material production cutoff as an arms control mechanism. Testimony was heard from Roger Harrison, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; Bob Barker, Assistant to the Secretary for Atomic Energy, Department of Defense; Carson Mark, Consultant, Los Alamos National Laboratory; and a public witness.

The Subcommittee also met in executive session on this subject. Testimony was heard from Robert Walsh, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Intelligence, Department of Energy; John Birely, Los Alamos National Laboratory; Paul Stokes, Sandia National Laboratory; and officials of the CIA.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems concluded hearings in the procurement portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization, with emphasis on Air Force programs. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Acquisition, Department of the Air Force.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt to a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case; and H.R. 2296, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in the courts of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wolf and Morella; James E. Nathanson,

Councilmember, District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

DOMESTIC VOLUNTEER SERVICE ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Human Resources approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2421, to amend title II of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 through 1993.*

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2323, Clean Air Restoration Act of 1989; H.R. 99, Clean Air Amendments Act of 1989; and other bills pertaining to nonattainment of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards. Testimony was heard from Representatives Skaggs, Lewis of California, and Swift; Christopher J. Daggett, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Protection, State of New Jersey; Thomas C. Jorling, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of New York; Bruce Maillet, Director, Division of Air Quality Control, Department of Environmental Quality Engineering, State of Massachusetts; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities.

AVIATION SECURITY ACT; FSX AIRCRAFT; FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following measures: H.R. 1659, Aviation Security Act of 1989; and S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft to Japan.

The Committee also began markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture continued hearings on Federal Information Dissemination Policies and Practices. Testimony was heard from Jerry McFaul, Office of Scientific Information, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior and Chair, SIGCAT (Special Interest Group on

CD-ROM Applications and Technology); Joseph E. Clark, Deputy Director, National Technical Information Service, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

CHANGES IN ELECTRONIC INFORMATION FORMAT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing held a hearing to review the printing chapters of Title 44 of the United States Code due to the changes in electronic information format, distribution, and technology in the past decade. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GPO: Joseph Jenifer, Acting Public Printer; Donald Fossedal, Assistant Public Printer; and George Lord, Chairman, Joint Council of Unions; Fred Wood, Senior Associate, Office of Technology Assessment; and Ray Rist, Director, Operations, General Government Division, GAO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2392, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims; and to reconsider the following bills: H.R. 1472, amended, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan; and H.R. 1485, amended, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, NV, for national defense.

U.S.-NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS PROBLEMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held an oversight hearing to review talks on U.S.-Northern Mariana Islands problems. Testimony was heard from Becky Norton Dunlop, Special Representative of the President of the United States; the following officials of the Northern Mariana Islands: Pedro A. Tenorio, Lt. Gov.; Benjamin T. Manglona, President, Senate; and Pedro R. Guerrero, Speaker, House; Froilan C. Tenorio, Resident Representative to the United States of the Northern Mariana Islands; and Larry L. Morgan, Director, Legislative & Public Affairs, Office of Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 489, to amend the Mineral Lands Leasing Act of 1920; H.R. 491, to establish a mining experimental program on critical minerals; H.R. 1705, Mining and Minerals Policy Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to

authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. Testimony was heard from T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior; James Lawless, Chief, Oceans Minerals and Energy Division, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENT OF TRAILS INTERPRETATION CENTER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 952, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa. Testimony was heard from Representative Hoagland; Herbert Cables, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

1990 CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held a hearing on H.R. 1860, to provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of a uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits. Testimony was heard from Charles D. Jones, Associate Director, Decennial Census, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce; Gene Dodaro, Associate Director, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

DISCIPLINE PRACTICES IN THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held an oversight hearing on discipline practices in the U.S. Postal Service. Testimony was heard from L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and Joseph J. Mahon, Jr., Assistant Postmaster General, Labor Relations Department, U.S. Postal Service.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 801, to designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, Georgia as the "Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building".

The Subcommittee also approved for full Committee action five 11(b) resolutions.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on these resolutions. Testimony was heard

from Representatives Lightfoot, Hoyer, Clement, Bonior and Smith of Florida.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: consolidation of the Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, DC; consolidation of the Department of Justice in Washington, DC; and tenancy of the Federal Triangle complex. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, GSA; William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA; Harry H. Flickinger, Assistant Attorney General, Justice-Management Division, Department of Justice; M. Jay Brodie, Executive Director, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; and Charles H. Percy, Chairman, International Cultural and Trade Center Commission.

DIRE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS; TRANSFER FUNDS FOR ANTI-DRUG INITIATIVES

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for the further consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989. The resolution makes in order the amendments printed in the report accompanying this resolution, if offered by the Member specified, or his designee. The amendments are each debatable for one hour, equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendments are not subject to amendment or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI are waived against the amendments. Section 2 of the resolution provides that after passage of H.R. 2072, it shall be in order to consider the bill (H.R. 2442, to provide additional funds for the program authorized in the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 by requiring the transfer of amounts in excess of \$3,738,000,000 that are appropriated or otherwise made available to the Department of Defense for research, development, test, and evaluation for fiscal year 1990 relating to the Strategic Defense Initiative) in the House. All points of order against the bill and against its consideration are waived. The bill is debatable for two hours, equally divided and controlled by Representative AuCoin and a member opposed thereto. No amendment to the bill is in order. The resolution provides one motion to recommit. Section 3 of the resolution provides that if H.R. 2442 is adopted by the House, it shall be in order to consider a motion, if offered by Rep. AuCoin, or his designee, directing the enrolling clerk of the House to add the text of H.R. 2442, as passed by the House, together with necessary technical and conforming changes, to the engrossment of H.R. 2072. All points of order against the motion are waived. The motion is debat-

able for twenty minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the motion and a member opposed thereto. If the motion is agreed to, the engrossment of H.R. 2442 shall not be messaged to the Senate, and H.R. 2442 shall be considered to have been laid on the table. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten and Representatives Miller of California, AuCoin, Conte, Michel, Gekas and Archer.

OIL SHALE CLAIMS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 2392, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims.

SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on Science and Mathematics Education. Testimony was heard from Frank Newman, President, Education Commission of the States; Victoria Bergin, Deputy Commissioner, Education for Curriculum and Program Development, State of Texas; and John J. Murphy, Assistant Commissioner, Education for Elementary and Secondary Planning, Testing and Technology Services, State of New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RENEWABLE ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGY COMPETITIVENESS ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on H.R. 1216, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from John Berg, Assistant Secretary, Conservation and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

IN THE MATTER OF REPRESENTATIVE JIM WRIGHT

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met to hear oral arguments on the Speaker's motion to dismiss.

LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures held a hearing on the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; John Wilkins, Acting Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administration, Farmers Home Administration, USDA; and public witnesses.

OLDEST AND POOREST SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFICIARIES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on the oldest and poorest Social Security Beneficiaries. Testimony was heard from Nancy Gordon, Assistant Director, Human Resources and Community Development, CBO; Louis Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

ROLE OF PRIVATE VOLUNTARY ORGANIZATIONS IN THE U.S. FOREIGN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Select Committee on Hunger: Held a hearing on the "Role of Private Voluntary Organizations in the U.S. Foreign Assistance Program." Testimony was heard from Richard E. Bissell, Assistant Administrator, Program and Policy Coordination, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

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Wednesday, May 24, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 2:15 p.m., on Wednesday, May 31, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 2459-2491; 1 private bill, H.R. 2492; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 283-284, and H. Con. Res. 136-138 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 146, to call for the President to take action to enforce the semiconductor agreement, and prevent further unfair Japanese trade practices (H. Rept. 101-66).

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 299 yeas to 109 nays, Roll No. 60, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, May 22.

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Committees To Sit: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule;

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Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule; and

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Subcommittee on Economic Development of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit today and tomorrow during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental: By a recorded vote of 227 yeas to 197 noes, Roll No. 65, the House passed H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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Rejected the Conte motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the bill back forthwith to the House containing an amendment in the nature of a substitute that provides for supplemental appropriations for veterans' programs (provisions of H.R. 2402) (rejected by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 205 yeas to 217 nays, Roll No. 64).

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Agreed to the Whitten amendment made in order by the rule that reduces the total appropriations in the bill to \$3.7 billion by reducing or eliminating various appropriations, and by shifting and reprogramming various funds within the bill.

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H. Res. 160, the rule which provided for the further consideration of H.R. 2072, and the subsequent consideration of H.R. 2442, was agreed to earlier by a recorded vote of 219 yeas to 201 noes, Roll No. 63. Agreed to order the previous question on the rule by a recorded vote of 217 yeas to 203 noes, Roll No. 62.

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Anti-Drug Abuse Funding: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 205 yeas to 213 nays, Roll No. 67, the House failed to pass H.R. 2442, to provide additional funds for the programs authorized in the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 by requiring the transfer of amount in excess of \$3,738,000,000 that are appropriated or otherwise made available to the Department of Defense for research, development, test, and evaluation for fiscal year 1990 relating to the Strategic Defense Initiative.

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Veterans' Supplemental Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 409 yeas, Roll No. 68, the House

agreed to the Whitten motion to disagree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2402, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Democracy in China: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 136, expressing the sense of the Congress on the movement for democracy in China.

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Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Wednesday, May 31, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two quorum calls, three yea-and-nay votes, and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 10084, 10103, 10104, 10121, 10141, 10142, 10145.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FUTURES INDUSTRY INVESTIGATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing on the futures industry investigation. The Subcommittee received a briefing on the futures industry investigation from staff.

GAO ASSESSMENT OF NEW PRODUCTION REACTOR PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel held a hearing on the GAO assessment of the New Production Reactor Program. Testimony was heard from J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; and Ronald W. Cochran, Director, Office of New Production Reactors, Department of Energy.

WAR POWERS ACT AND ITS IMPACT ON MILITARY OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing to review the War Powers Act and its impact on military operations. Testimony was heard from Representative Hopkins; and public witnesses.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to continue hearings on research, development, test and evaluation portion of the fiscal years 1990/1991 defense authorization. The Subcommittee received a

briefing on the V-22 Osprey from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Frank Kendall, Acting Deputy Under Secretary, Tactical Warfare Programs; Brig. Gen. H.W. Blot, Program Manager (V-22 Osprey), U.S. Marine Corps; Ronald Davidson, Assistant Deputy Comptroller; and Herbert Puscheck, Deputy Assistant Secretary, General Purpose Programs (Program Analysis and Evaluation).

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on H.R. 486, Defense Production Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMF'S ENHANCED STRUCTURAL ADJUSTMENT FACILITY AND THE SEVENTH IDB REPLENISHMENT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy, hearing on IMF's Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility (ESAF) and the Seventh IDB Replenishment. Testimony was heard from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary, International and Monetary Affairs, Department of the Treasury.

OVERSIGHT-STATE OF INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education concluded oversight hearings on the state of intercollegiate athletics. Testimony was heard from Representatives McMillen of Maryland and Towns; and public witnesses.

ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION ACCESS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on electricity transmission access. Testimony was heard from Alan T. Crane, Senior Associate, OTA; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment concluded hearings on the following bills: H.R. 2323, Clean Air Restoration Act of 1989; H.R. 99, Clean Air Amendments Act of 1989; and other bills pertaining to nonattainment of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards. Testimony was heard from Harvey Schultz, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Protection, City of New York; and public witnesses.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR SERVICE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT; COMMUNICATIONS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 971, Telephone Operator Service Consumer Protection Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 628, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit certain practices involving commercial uses of automatic telephone dialing systems; H.R. 2131, Automated Telephone Solicitation Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 2184, Facsimile Advertising Regulation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Frank, Roukema, and Shays; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE; FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported amended S. Con. Res. 26, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reinstate the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam.

The Committee also continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal years 1990–1991.

OVERSIGHT—OMB

Committee on Government Operations: Held an oversight hearing on the OMB. Testimony was heard from Richard Darman, Director, OMB.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Office Systems met to consider pending business.

CHANGES IN ELECTRONIC INFORMATION FORMAT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing concluded hearings to review the printing chapters of Title 44 of the United States Code due to the changes in electronic information format, distribution, and technology in the past decade. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TONGASS TIMBER REFORM ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Began markup of H.R. 987, Tongass Timber Reform Act.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation approved for

full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1755, Bridge Administration Transfer Act; H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989; H.R. 2459, Coast Guard Authorization Act of 1989; and H.R. 2158, Prince William Sound Oil Spill Response Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT—FEDERAL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH BENEFITS PROGRAM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits held an oversight hearing on the Federal employees' health benefits program. Testimony was heard from Jerome D. Julius, Deputy Associate Director, Retirement and Insurance Group, OPM; Bernard L. Ungar, Director, Division of Human Resource Management, GAO; and Dennis Snook, FEHB Team Leader, Congressional Research Service.

GENERAL AVIATION STANDARDS ACT

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on H.R. 1307, General Aviation Standards Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Glickman; and public witnesses.

PUBLIC WORKS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT AND APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Economic Development held a hearing on H.R. 2015, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representative Applegate; Robert M. Rauner, Director, Office of Economic Adjustment, Department of Defense; Sara Yount Stuckey, Chief, Local and Regional Affairs, Department of Administration, State of North Carolina; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Continued hearings on Science and Mathematics Education. Testimony was heard from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; Charles E. Hess, Assistant Secretary, Science and Education, USDA; Frank Cipolla, Director, Management (Civilian Personnel Policy), Department of Defense; Robert W. Brown, Director, Educational Affairs Division, Office of External Affairs, NASA; Dr. James B. Wyngaarden, Director, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; and John Moore, Deputy Director, NSF.

Hearings continue June 7.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

MEDICAL CARE QUALITY RESEARCH AND IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on H.R. 1692, Medical Care Quality Research and Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

REFORMING THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION SYSTEM

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on reforming the Unemployment Compensation System. Testimony was heard from Representatives AuCoin, Wyden and Morrison of Connecticut; Mary Ann Wyrsh, Director, Unemployment Insurance Service, Employment and Training Administration, Department of Labor; William J. Gainer, Director, Education and Employment Issues, Human Resources Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

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Thursday, May 25, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 2:15 p.m., on Wednesday, May 31, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives**Chamber Action**

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 2493–2512; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 285, and H. Res. 162 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 402, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920 with respect to the movement of coal over public lands, amended (H. Rept. 101–67);

H.R. 1358, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to the Montgomery G.I. Bill, amended (H. Rept. 101–68);

H.R. 1734, to exempt retired members of the Armed Forces called to active duty and assigned to full-time duty with the American Battle Monuments Commission from grade limitations on officers of the Armed Forces, amended (H. Rept. 101–69); and

H.R. 2443, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the customs and trade agencies (H. Rept. 101–70).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Coelho to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Tap Dance Day: House passed H.J. Res. 131, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 2:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings**MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 2042, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow producers to provide the appropriate county committees with actual yields for the 1989 and subsequent crop years; H.R. 2467, "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act"; and H.R. 2469, to limit a previous owner's right of first refusal in the case of fraud or resale for sales of farm property by the Farmers Home Administration and the Farm Credit System.

The Committee also approved the following watershed projects: Upper Locust Creek in Missouri and Iowa; and Howard Creek in West Virginia.

MEDICARE PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REFORM

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on Medicare physician payment reform. Testimony was heard from Representatives Slattery and Owens of Utah; Dr. Philip R. Lee, Chairman, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITIES ENFORCEMENT COOPERATION ACT; LEVERAGED BUYOUTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1396, International Securities Enforcement Cooperation Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on leveraged buyouts, focusing on the Securities Industry Association's position paper of May 9, 1989, and the Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Company January 1989 study on LBO performance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WASTE REDUCTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1457, Waste Reduction Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolpe; William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA; Joel Hirschhorn, Senior Associate, International Technology and Employment Program, OTA; and public witnesses.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on abuse and favoritism by HUD in administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WHITE HAVEN NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CENTRAL AMERICAN STUDIES AND TEMPORARY RELIEF ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law forwarded to the full Committee without recommendation H.R. 45, amended, Central American Studies and Temporary Relief Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held an oversight hearing on efforts to ensure that damage to national resources resulting from oil pollution and hazardous wastes are fully compensated pursuant to Federal law. Testimony was heard from Cecil Hoffman, Senior Environmental Review Officer, Office of Environmental Project Review, Department of the Interior; Charles N. Ehler, Director, Office of Oceanography and Marine Assessment, National Ocean Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Louise Wise, Deputy Director, Office of Marine and Estuarine Protection, EPA; Lee P. Breckenridge, Assistant Attorney General, Chief, Environmental Protection Division, State of Massachusetts; Gordon Johnson,

Assistant Attorney General, Department of Law, Environmental Protection Bureau, State of New York; and a public witness.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Concluded hearings on the Recommendations of the National Commission on the Public Service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUBLIC WORKS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT AND APPALACHIAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Economic Development concluded hearings on H.R. 2015, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Ford C. Quillen, member, House of Delegates, State of Virginia; and public witnesses.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL SYSTEM

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on the status of the U.S. Air Traffic Control System, with emphasis on the controller work force and system safety. Testimony was heard from Kenneth Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Robert Whittington, Acting Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

HEALTH COVERAGE FOR UNINSURED AMERICANS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on the establishment of State risk pools to provide health coverage for uninsured Americans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT-FAMILY SUPPORT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources held an oversight hearing on the Family Support Act of 1988. Testimony was heard from Howard Rolston, Associate Administrator, Program Evaluation, Family Support Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security, hearing on liberalizing the social security retirement test and repealing certain social security benefits. Testimony was heard from Repre-

sentatives Archer, Arney, Coble, Rowland of Connecticut, Hastert, Houghton and Rhodes; Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Director for Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; Nancy Gordon, Assistant Director, Human Resources and Community Development, CBO; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

THE UNDERCLASS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to discuss policies to contain and eliminate problems of the underclass, receiving testimony from Elijah Anderson, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; Lawrence Mead III, New York University, New York; and Ronald Mincy, the Urban Institute, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, May 31, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10273-10392

Measures Introduced: Six bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1083-1088, S. Res. 136-139, and S.J. Res. 142-146.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Reported on Thursday, May 25, during the recess:

S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-32)

S. 694, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to extend the authority for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-33)

S. 750, extending time limitations on certain projects. (S. Rept. No. 101-34)

H.R. 964, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, Alabama) and to make technical corrections in certain other provisions of law. (S. Rept. No. 101-35)

H.R. 999, to reauthorize the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-36)

S. 605, to authorize appropriations for the Consumer Product Safety Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-37)

Reported today:

S. 783, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and non-price controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act. (S. Rept. No. 101-38)

H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-39)

S. 169, to amend the National Science and Technology Policy, Organization, and Priorities Act of 1976 in order to provide for improved coordination of national scientific research efforts and to provide for a national plan to improve scientific understanding of the Earth system and the effect of changes in that system on climate and human well-being, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-40)

H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-41)

S. 136, to amend title 3, United States Code, to establish a single poll closing time in the continental United States for Presidential general elections. (S. Rept. 101-42)

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Measures Passed:

Expressing Sorrow at the Death of Representative Pepper: Senate agreed to S. Res. 137, relative to the death of Representative Claude Pepper, of Florida.

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Supporting the Movement for Democracy in China: By a unanimous vote of 89 yeas (Vote No. 70), Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 136, expressing the sense of the Congress on the movement for democracy in China, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

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(1) Pell Amendment No. 107, expressing the admiration of the Congress on the courage of the Chinese citizens, and encouraging a free and open political system.

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(2) Pell Amendment No. 108, to amend the preamble.

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Antitrust Exemption for TV Violence: Senate passed S. 593, to exempt certain activities from provisions of the antitrust laws, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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By a unanimous vote of 91 yeas (Vote No. 71), Helms Amendment No. 106, to encourage the pro-

mulgation of guidelines by persons in the television industry regarding sexually explicit material.

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Puyallup Tribe of Indians Settlement Act: Senate passed H.R. 932, to provide for the settlement of land claims of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington.

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Reappointment of Deputy Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 138, reappointing Kenneth U. Benjamin, Jr., as Deputy Senate Legal Counsel.

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National D-Day Remembrance Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 139, to designate June 6, 1989, as National D-Day Remembrance Day, and to recognize the sacrifices made by the American and other Allied soldiers who gave their lives to liberate Europe and save the world from Adolf Hitler.

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Strategic Petroleum Reserve Authority: Senate passed S. 694, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to extend the authority for the strategic petroleum reserve, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Authorizing the Use of the Capitol Rotunda: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 139, authorizing the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for the lying in state of the remains of the late Honorable Claude Pepper.

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Local Rail Service Assistance Program: Senate passed S. 255, to authorize appropriations for the Local Rail Service Assistance Program, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Harkin Amendment No. 109, in the nature of a substitute.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Keith Lapham Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark.

William Andreas Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel.

Dee V. Benson, of Utah, to be United States Attorney for the District of Utah.

Thomas Joseph Murrin, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce.

Quincy Mellon Krosby, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

C. Austin Fitts, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Jeffrey Neil Shane, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Charles E.M. Kolb, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, Department of Education.

Fred T. Goldberg, Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Reggie B. Walton, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Director for National Drug Control Policy.

Delos Cy Jamison, of Montana, to be Director of the Bureau of Land Management.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Air Force, Army and Navy nominations.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations:

Keith Lapham Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

William Andreas Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Gregory S. Dole, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Charles E.M. Kolb, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, Department of Education, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Received on Tuesday, May 23, 1989, during the recess:

Submitting a Report on National Emergency with Respect to Iran; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs. (PM-46)

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Received today:

Transmitting An Extension of Authority to Waive Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 402 of the Trade Act of 1974; which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-47)

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Appointments

U.S. Naval Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), appointed Senator McCain to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy.

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Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d-276g, as amended, appointed Sena-

tor Bryan as a Member of the Senate Delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the 101st Congress, First Session, to be held in Montebello, Canada, June 1-5, 1989.

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U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the U.N.: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-204, appointed Peter Leslie, of Maine, to the U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—71)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:15 p.m., and as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Representative Claude Pepper, of Florida, in accordance with S. Res. 137, recessed at 6:57 p.m., until 8:30 a.m., on Thursday, June 1, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DIRE EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental funds for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on seapower programs, receiving testimony from Everett Pyatt, Acting Under Secretary of the Navy; Vice Adm. John W. Nyquist, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Surface Warfare); and Vice Adm. Peter M. Hekman, Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

DEFENSE ACQUISITION POLICY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee on Defense Industry and Technology resumed hearings on recommendations for a defense acquisition policy

agenda, receiving testimony from R. James Woolsey, former Under Secretary of the Navy, and Member, President's Blue Ribbon Commission on Defense Management and the President's Commission on Federal Ethics Law Reform; and Linda S. Brandt, Center for Naval Analysis, and David R. Graham, Institute for Defense Analysis, both of Alexandria, Virginia.

Subcommittee will meet again on Friday, June 2.

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION/DEFENSE MODERNIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support held hearings on strategies for Department of Defense facility modernization and facility requirements in the National Capitol Region, receiving testimony from Patrick J. Meehan, Director, Facility Requirements and Resources, Office of the Secretary of Defense; David O. Cooke, Director, Washington Headquarters Services, Department of Defense; Allen M. Carton, Deputy Assistant Chief of Engineers, and Paul W. Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Installations and Housing), both of the Department of the Army; Rear Adm. James Doeblen, USN, Director, Shore Activities Division, Chief of Naval Operations, Department of the Navy; Maj. Gen. Joseph A. Ahearn, USAF, Director of Engineering and Services, Headquarters, United States Air Force; Brig. Gen. Michael P. Downs, USMC, Director, Facilities and Services Division, Headquarters, United States Marine Corps; and Paul Chistolini, Assistant Regional Administrator for Public Buildings and Real Estate, National Capital Region, General Services Administration.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on space launch and C3 programs, receiving testimony from Thomas P. Quinn, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Command, Control Communications and Intell); George R. Schneider, Acting Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering for Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces, Department of Defense; Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Moorman, Jr., USAF, Director of Space and SDI Programs, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Acquisition); and Rear Adm. D. Bruce Cargill, USN, Deputy Director, Space, Command and Control, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 13.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Alfred A. Dellibovi, of New York, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator D'Amato, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded joint hearings with the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs on the nomination of Susan Carol Schwab, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Danforth, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 2513-2527; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 286, H. Con. Res. 139, and H. Res. 163 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan, amended (H. Rept. 101-71); and

H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency (H. Rept. 101-72).

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Death of Representative Pepper: By a yea-and-nay vote of 397 yeas, Roll No. 69, the House agreed to H. Res. 163, expressing the condolences of the House on the death of Representative Pepper; and

By a yea-and-nay vote of 397 yeas, Roll No. 70, the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 139, authorizing the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for the lying in state of the remains of the late Honorable Claude Pepper.

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Presidential Message—Trade Waiver Extensions: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits documents with respect to a further 12-month extension of authority to waive certain sections of the Trade Act of 1974, including waivers re-

garding the Hungarian People's Republic and the People's Republic of China—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed (H. Doc. No. 101-69).

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Point of Personal Privilege: By unanimous consent, the Speaker addressed the House on a point of personal privilege.

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Oil Shale Claims: House agreed to H. Res. 161, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2392, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims.

Pages 10418, 10441

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 10429, 10430. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance held a hearing on the reauthorization of the National Flood Insurance Program. Testimony was heard from John H. McDowell, Director, Consumer Activities, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; Janice Smith, Director, Office of Consumer Affairs, FDIC; Glenn Loney, Assistant Director, Consumer and Community Affairs, Federal Reserve Board; Francis Passarelli, Senior Advisor, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; James D. Croft, Executive Vice President, Operations, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; and public witnesses.

FOOD SAFETY AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued hearings on H.R. 1725, Food Safety Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing to review the Modification of Final Judgment (MFJ) and its effect on the Information Services Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

EUROPE 1992

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved the following report entitled: "European Communities 1992 Economic Integration Plan".

INTERNATIONAL DEBT CRISIS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On May 30, the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade continued hearings on the International Debt Crisis: The Response of the Financial Community to the Brady Plan. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs met in executive session to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 987, Tongass Timber Reform Act; H.R. 1101, to extend the authorization of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 through the end of fiscal year 1993, and H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.

EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OVER TERRORISTS ACTS ABROAD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on legislation enacted in 1986 relating to extraterritorial jurisdiction over terrorists acts abroad. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Oliver B. Revell, Executive Assistant Director, Investigations, FBI; and Ronald K. Noble, Special Counsel and Chief of Staff, Criminal Division; and Alvin P. Adams, Associate Coordinator for Counterterrorism, Department of State.

STATUS FOR IMMIGRANT NURSES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1507, Immigration Nursing Relief Act of 1989; and H.R. 2111, Emergency Nurse Shortage Relief Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Ackerman; James Puleo, Assistant Commissioner, Adjudications and Nationality, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; David Williams, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Employment and Training, Department of Labor; Dr. J. Jarrett Clinton, Director, Bureau of Health Professions, Health Resources Services Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

HIGH-DEFINITION TELEVISION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on the impact of International HDTV Production Standard of United States Competitiveness. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2365, Airport Security Technology and Research Act of 1989; and H.R. 2241, amended to establish a National Aero-Space Plane Program under the joint control of the Department of Defense and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

DECEPTIVE MEDICAL ADVERTISING

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on the policies and enforcement activities of the FTC involving deceptive medical advertising. Testimony was heard from Daniel Oliver, Chairman, FTC; Richard Gannon, Executive Director, Board of Healing Arts, State of Kansas; Dr. Hugh Johnson, Chairman, Board of Medical Examiners, State of Oregon; and a public witness.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health began markup of a budget reconciliation package.

SSI PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: On May 30, the Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on proposals to improve the Supplemental Security Income program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Donnelly, Bartlett and Slattery; Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

FSX FIGHTER AGREEMENT

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on the FSX Fighter Agreement. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

DRUG ENFORCEMENT CRISIS

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on Drug Enforcement Crisis at the local level. Testimony was heard from Joe Whitley, Acting Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; Fred B. Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court, District of Columbia; Robert Morgenthau, District Attorney, New York County; Kathryn J. Whitmire,

Mayor, Houston, Texas; W. Wilson Goode, Mayor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; James P. Moran, Mayor, Alexandria, Virginia; Sue Myrick, Mayor, Charlotte, North Carolina; George W. Wilson, Director, Department of Rehabilitation and Correction, State of Ohio; and Warren G. Woodfork, Superintendent, Police Department, New Orleans, Louisiana.

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Thursday, June 1, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10504-10716

Measures Introduced: Twenty-seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1089-1115, S. Res. 140, and S.J. Res. 147.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 377, to establish a series of five Presidential primaries at which the public may express its preference for the nomination of an individual for election to the Office of President of the United States, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-43)

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Measures Passed:

Authorizing Use of Hart Office Building Atrium: Senate agreed to S. Res. 140, authorizing the use of the Senate Hart Office Building Atrium for a concert by the Congressional Chorus.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, 1989: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Inouye Amendment No. 112, to authorize certificates of documentation for the vessels *Liberty*, *Navatek I*, *Nancy Ann*, and *Nor'Wester*.

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(2) Byrd Amendment No. 115, to provide for the completion of the Federal Aviation Administration's Logan County Airport grant agreements.

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(3) Coats Amendment No. 114, to express the sense of the Senate that a democratically elected government be in place in Panama before the

Senate gives its advice and consent for the nominee for the position of Administrator of the Panama Canal Commission. (By 31 yeas to 63 nays (Vote No. 73), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(4) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 118, to provide funds for research on rare diseases.

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(5) By a unanimous vote of 94 yeas (Vote No. 75), Graham Modified Amendment No. 119, to express the sense of the Senate concerning the restoration of Eastern Airlines.

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(6) DeConcini Amendment No. 120, to establish responsibility for missile nonproliferation policy in the Department of State.

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(7) Graham Amendment No. 121, to provide additional funds to support the process of democratic transition in Nicaragua.

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(8) DeConcini Modified Amendment No. 125, to make available under certain conditions funds for contributions to implement the Agreement Among the People's Republic of Angola, the Republic of Cuba, and the Republic of South Africa (Tripartite Agreement).

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(9) Hatfield (for Dole) Amendment No. 126, to provide additional funds for the Kansas Agricultural Research Experiment Station at Kansas State University.

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(10) Kasten Amendment No. 127, to incorporate resource depletion into an international system of accounting.

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(11) Byrd (for Rockefeller) Amendment No. 128, to provide that the National Commission on Children may exempt itself from certain provisions of title 5 in carrying out certain duties of the Commission.

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(12) Bumpers Amendment No. 129, to increase the pool of experienced and qualified applicants for full-time magistrate positions.

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(13) Levin Amendment No. 130, to express the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of Transportation should conduct a review of the impacts of highly leveraged acquisitions of control of U.S. air carriers.

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Withdrawn:

(1) Coats Amendment No. 113, expressing the sense of the Senate that the current ruling government of Panama is not democratically elected.

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(2) Reid Amendment No. 116, to limit the ability of taxpayers to deduct the cost of cleaning up oil and hazardous substances spills.

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During the consideration of this bill today, the following actions also occurred:

By 77 yeas to 18 nays (Vote No. 72), Senate tabled the motion to waive section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to consideration of Specter Amendment No. 111, to provide for additional funding for Federal prison space, and upon a point of order the amendment fell.

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By 81 yeas to 15 nays (Vote No. 74), Senate tabled the appeal of the ruling of the chair that D'Amato Amendment No. 117, to provide funds for anti-drug programs as authorized in the Omnibus Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, was not in order under sections 311(a) and 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, and the amendment thus fell.

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By 71 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 76), Senate tabled the motion to waive section 904(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to consideration of Biden Amendment No. 123, to increase the tax on cigarettes, distilled spirits, wines, and beer, and to appropriate the resulting revenues to fund the Omnibus Anti-Substance Abuse Act of 1988, and upon a point of order under sections 311(a) and 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 the amendment fell.

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By 61 yeas to 29 nays (Vote No. 77), Senate tabled a Wilson motion to recommit the bill with instructions.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and additional amendments to be proposed thereto, on Friday, June 2, 1989.

Appointments by the Vice President:

Interparliamentary Union: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276, as amended, appointed Senator Burns as Vice Chair-

man of the Senate Delegation to the Interparliamentary Union during the 101st Congress.

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Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276d-276g, as amended, appointed Senators McClure, Grassley, and Lott, as members of the Senate Delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the 101st Congress, First Session, to be held in Montebello, Canada, June 1-5, 1989.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—77)

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:30 a.m., and recessed at 10:38 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Friday, June 2, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 10713.)

Committee Meetings**APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on Navy posture, receiving testimony from H. Lawrence Garrett III, Secretary of the Navy; Adm. C.A.H. Trost, USN, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Alfred M. Gray, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance, focusing on international narcotics programs, receiving testimony from James F. Hoobler, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Narcotics Matters.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of National Drug Control Policy, receiving testimony from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

CONVENTIONAL ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the recent U.S. proposal on conventional arms control in Europe and its implications for NATO security, receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; and Gen. Robert T. Herres, USAF, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act provisions to expand the Federal commitment to alleviate homelessness by providing States and localities with certain resources, receiving testimony from Mayor Raymond L. Flynn and Steven Goldfinger, Massachusetts Mental Health Center, both of Boston; New Jersey State Assemblyman David Schwartz, New Brunswick; Steven Banks, The Legal Aid Society, Ronald L. Williams, Covenant House, and Fred Brancato, National Organization of State Associations for Children, all of New York, New York; Daniel J. Wuenschel, Cambridge Housing Authority, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Michael C. Piper, Washington State Department of Community Development, Olympia; Andy Raubeson, Single Room Occupancy Housing Corporation, Los Angeles, California; Mitch Snyder, Community for Creative Non-Violence, and Robert Hayes, National Coalition for the Homeless, both of Washington, DC; and Jonathan Zimmer, Action Housing Inc., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation and the Federal Maritime Commission, after receiving testimony from William A. Creelman, Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation;

James J. Carey, Acting Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; Rear Adm. Floyd H. Miller, USN (Ret.), State University of New York Maritime Academy, Fort Schuyler; Capt. Leonard Tyler, Maine Maritime Academy, Castine; Capt. Paul T. Smith, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Buzzards Bay; Rear Adm. James F. McNulty, USMS, Great Lakes Maritime College, Traverse City, Michigan, and William C. Hearn, Texas Maritime Academy, Texas A&M University, Galveston.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 710, S. 711, and S. 712, bills to provide for a referendum on the future political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Governor Rafael Hernandez Colon, Carlos Romero Barcelo, President, New Progressive Party of Puerto Rico, and Ruben Berrios Martinez, President, Puerto Rican Independence Party, all of San Juan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NORTH AMERICAN WETLANDS CONSERVATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded hearings on S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend on such habitat, after receiving testimony from Steve Robinson, Deputy Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; R. Max Peterson, International Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies, Charles H. Collins, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Lynn A. Greenwalt, National Wildlife Federation, and Lonnie L. Williamson, Wildlife Management Institute, all of Washington, DC; David Neave, Wildlife Habitat Canada, Ottawa; Matthew B. Connolly, Jr., Ducks Unlimited, Inc., Long Grove, Illinois; and Thomas Massengale, The Nature Conservancy, Arlington, Virginia.

AUTHORIZATIONS—ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY/POLICY

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection concluded hearings on S. 1089, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1989–1993 for the Office of Environmental Quality, after receiving testimony from A. Alan Hill, Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality; Edwin Johnson, Director, Developing Countries Staff, Office of International Activities, and Richard Sanderson, Director, Office of Federal Activities, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; William A. Nitze, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Environment, Health and Natural Resources; Frank G. Vukmanic, Director, Office of Multilateral

Development Banks, Department of the Treasury; Michael McCloskey, Sierra Club, Washington, DC; and Nicholas Robinson, Pace University School of Law, White Plains, New York.

CATASTROPHIC CARE EXCESS SURPLUS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to review certain provisions with respect to the treatment of excess revenues as contained in the Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988, receiving testimony from Senators Wallop, Levin, Nickles, and McCain; Representatives Fawell and DeFazio; Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; John Wilkins, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Robert D. Reischauer, Director, Congressional Budget Office; Ronald A. Pearlman, Chief of Staff, Joint Committee on Taxation; Michael Zimmerman, Director, Medicare and Medicaid Issues, Human Resources Division, General Accounting Office; Robert J. Myers, Commission on Railroad Retirement Reform, Silver Spring, Maryland; John L. Hildreth, Consumers Union, Austin, Texas; Daniel L. Hawley, Seniors Coalition Against Catastrophic Act, Las Vegas, Nevada; and Richard D. Warden, United Auto Workers, Lawrence T. Smedley, National Council of Senior Citizens, Lovola W. Burgess, American Association of Retired Persons, H.T. Steve Morrissey, National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Thomas J. Kilcline, USN (Ret), The Retired Officers Association, and John M. Adams, The Retired Enlisted Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, receiving testimony from Jeane J. Kirkpatrick, former U.S. Representative to the United Nations.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DOD'S ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held oversight hearings to review Department of Defense acquisition of commercial products, focusing on military specifications, regulations, contract clauses, and procedural requirements, for the purchase of items that could be purchased off-the-shelf, receiving testimony from Donald J. Atwood, Jr., Deputy Secretary of Defense; Eleanor R. Spector, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement; and Gregory Saunders, Assistant for Commercial Acquisition, Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RETAIL COMPETITION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 865, to promote retail competition and assure lower prices on American consumer products, after receiving testimony from Senators Rudman and Gorton; North Carolina Attorney General Lacy H. Thronburg, Raleigh; Raymond Zimmerman, Service Merchandise Company, Nashville, Tennessee; Robert B. Creamer, Illinois Public Action Council, Chicago; Robert Pitofsky, Georgetown University Law Center, Joe Sims, Jones, Day, Reavis and Pogue, on behalf of the American Bar Association, and Bert W. Rein, Wiley, Rein and Fielding, on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, all of Washington, DC; and Alan P. Hald, MicroAge Computer Stores, Inc., Tempe, Arizona.

DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Employment and Productivity concluded hearings on S. 1107 to provide employment opportunities for displaced homemakers, after receiving testimony from Jill Emery, Director, Women's Bureau, Department of Labor; Cheryl Brown Henderson, Kansas State Department of Education, Topeka; Roberta Spalter-Roth, Institute for Women's Policy Research, and Cindy Marano, Wider Opportunities for Women, both of Washington, DC; Jean Martinelli and Caroline Strong, both of Union Memorial Hospital, and Diana McLaughlin, Maryland New Directions, all of Baltimore, Maryland; Kathy Sorensen, Displaced Homemaker Program, Richland Community College, Decatur, Illinois; and Molly Wilkes, Spartanburg Technical College, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

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Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 2528-2540; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 287-288, H. Con. Res. 140, and H. Res. 164 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows H.R. 1415, to amend chapter 37 of title 38, United States Code, with respect to the veterans' home loan program carried out under such chapter, amended (H. Rept. 101-73).

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Oil Shale Claims: By a yea-and-nay vote of 301 yeas to 80 nays, Roll No. 71, the House passed H.R. 2392, to amend section 37 of the Mineral Leasing Act relating to oil shale claims.

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Recess: House recessed at 11:43 a.m. and reconvened at 12:49 p.m.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on page 10492. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREST SERVICE CONSERVATION EASEMENT PURCHASE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review proposed Forest Service conservation easement purchase from the State of New Hampshire. Testimony was heard from Representative Vento; Gordon Small, Director of Lands, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on issues relating to H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Robert R. Glauber, Under Secretary, Finance, Department of the Treasury; Frederick D. Wolf, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT WAIVER PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities approved for full Committee action H.R. 1432, Age Discrimination in Employment Waiver Protection Act of 1989.

TRUST INDENTURE REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1786, Trust Indenture Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

AMTRAK REAUTHORIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2364, Amtrak Reauthorization and Improvement Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTION; FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported H. Con. Res. 99, expressing the sense of the Congress

that Buffalo, NY, should host the 1993 summer World University Games.

The Committee also continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal years 1990–1991.

Will continue June 6.

SITUATION IN LEBANON

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action amended H. Res. 128, expressing the sense of the House of regarding the situation in Lebanon.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this measure. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Edward S. Walker, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and Robert W. Farrand, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs Bureau.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT; DRAFT REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Ordered reported H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

The Committee approved the following draft report: "A Citizen's Guide on Using the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act of 1974 to Request Government Records."

The Committee also considered other pending business.

FSX AIRCRAFT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 2 hours of debate on S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft to Japan. The rule makes in order the Foreign Affairs Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the joint resolution as original test for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. The substitute shall be considered as having been read. No amendment to the substitute is in order except the amendments printed in the report accompanying this resolution to be offered in the following order: (1) the amendment by Representative Solomon of New York or his designee; and (2) the amendment by Representative Bruce of Illinois, or his designee. Each amendment shall be debatable for one hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendments are not subject to amendment. All points of order are waived against the amendments. If both amendments are agreed to, only the last amendment which is adopted shall be considered as finally adopted and reported back to the House. The rule

provides that if the amendment offered by Representative Bruce is agreed to, the question shall not be put on adoption of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended, and the question shall be deemed to have been disagreed to. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fascell and Representatives Solarz, Bruce and Leach of Iowa.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONAL REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Technology Transfer. Testimony was heard from John M. Ols, Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Defense: George P. Millburn, Deputy Under Secretary, (Research and Advanced Technology); Richard Rumpf, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Research, Engineering and Systems; George T. Singely, Director, Research and Technology Office, Secretary of the Army; and Gen. John W. Douglas,

Acting Director, Science and Technology, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisitions; Dr. Reid Adler, Director, Office of Implementation Development, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; L.H. Princen, Director, Northern Regional Research Center, Agricultural Research Service; USDA; and public witnesses.

PHYSICIAN "SELF-REFERRALS"

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health and the Subcommittee on Oversight held a joint hearing on issues relating to Physician "Self-Referrals", including H.R. 939, Ethics in Patient Referrals Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; Michael Zimmerman, Director, Medicare and Medicaid Issues, GAO; and public witnesses.

FOSTER CARE AND CHILD WELFARE PROGRAMS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on proposals to improve the Foster Care and Child Welfare programs. Testimony was heard from Mary Sheila Gall, Assistant Secretary, Human Development Services, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through May 31, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	51	60	..
Time in session.....	262 hrs., 32'	182 hrs., 26'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	5,871	2,251	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	1,956	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	15	14	29
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	1	..
Measures passed, total.....	158	154	..
Senate bills.....	12	3	..
House bills.....	10	40	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	31	15	..
House joint resolutions.....	12	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	13	10	..
House concurrent resolutions..	9	12	..
Simple resolutions.....	71	58	..
Measures reported, total.....	*82	*68	..
Senate bills.....	26	..	..
House bills.....	4	45	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	18	1	..
House joint resolutions.....	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	5	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	29	19	..
Special reports.....	10	2	..
Conference reports.....	..	2	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	31	12	..
Measures introduced, total.....	1,413	3,115	..
Bills.....	1,088	2,527	..
Joint resolutions.....	146	286	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	40	139	..
Simple resolutions.....	139	163	..
Quorum calls.....	4	8	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	71	43	..
Recorded votes.....	..	19	..
Bills vetoed.....	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden.....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 42 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 72 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

(January 3 through May 31, 1989)

Civilian nominations, totaling 243, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	98
Unconfirmed.....	137
Withdrawn.....	7
Rejected.....	1

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 1,566, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,327
Unconfirmed.....	239

Air Force nominations, totaling 6,751, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,914
Unconfirmed.....	837

Army nominations, totaling 11,810, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	11,556
Unconfirmed.....	254

Navy nominations, totaling 7,125, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,582
Unconfirmed.....	1,543

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,967, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,492
Unconfirmed.....	475

Summary

Total nominations received this session.....	29,462
Total confirmed.....	25,969
Total unconfirmed.....	3,485
Total withdrawn.....	7
Total rejected.....	1

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1116-1120, S. Res. 141, S.J. Res. 148, and S. Con. Res. 41.

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Measures Passed:

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 141, directing the Senate Legal Counsel to represent the Senate defendants in *The Honorable Alcee L. Hastings, United States District Judge v. The United States Senate, et al.*

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Printing Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 19, to authorize the printing of a collection of the inaugural addresses of the Presidents of the United States.

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Printing Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 134, to authorize printing of a collection of the rules of the committees of the Senate.

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Display of the Senate Flag: Senate agreed to S. Res. 135, to amend Senate Resolution 369, 98th Congress, 2nd Session, relating to the Senate flag, to clarify the intent of the resolution that committees and officers of the Senate are permitted to display the flag.

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American Folklife Center: Senate passed S. 1075, to authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Technical Corrections Relating to Certain Lands in Lamar County, Alabama: Senate passed H.R. 964, to correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, Alabama) and to make technical corrections in certain other provisions of the law.

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Advisory Council on Historic Preservation: Senate passed H.R. 999, to reauthorize the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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World University Games: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 31, expressing the sense of the Congress that Buffalo,

New York, should host the 1993 summer World University Games, and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, 1989: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Heinz Amendment No. 133, to provide for the administration of the targeted jobs tax credit program.

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(2) Adams Amendment No. 134, to encourage the Secretary of Agriculture to take steps to stabilize the apple market.

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(3) Wallop Modified Amendment No. 132, to re-allocate certain funds for Forest Service fire research programs.

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(4) Byrd (for Metzenbaum) Amendment No. 135, to authorize the use of funds for engineering and design for a project at West Fork of Mill Creek Lake, Ohio.

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(5) Graham Amendment No. 136, to allow P.L. 480 food assistance to Haiti, and to relax restrictions on certain types of foreign assistance to Haiti.

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Withdrawn:

Wallop Amendment No. 131, to provide monies for fiscal year 1989 emergency fire rehabilitation.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and additional amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, June 6, 1989.

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 1:36 p.m., until 9:25 a.m., on Tuesday, June 6, 1989.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE ACQUISITION POLICY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology concluded hearings on recommendations for a defense acquisition policy agenda and the defense industrial and technological base, after receiving testimony from Frank Lewis, Harris Corporation, Alexandria, Virginia; Philip A. Odeen, Coopers and Lybrand, Washington, D.C.; R.N. Longuemare, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Baltimore, Maryland; Frank H. Menaker, Defense Industry Initiative, Martin Marietta, Bethesda, Maryland; and Christopher B. Galvin, Motorola, Inc., Schaumburg, Illinois.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on provisions relating to supportive housing needs of elderly and handicapped persons, receiving testimony from Cindi Herrera, LaSalle County Housing Authority, Ottawa, Illinois, representing the National Association of Housing Redevelopment Officials; Corinne Jochum, North Platte, Nebraska, representing the American Association of Retired Persons; Laverne R. Joseph, Retirement Housing Foundation, Long Beach, California, representing the American Association of Homes for the Aging; Juliet Massey-Duhan, Tampa Jewish Federation, and Esther Piper, both of Tampa, Florida; Richard H. Bradfield, Bradfield Associates, Atlanta, Georgia, representing the American Institute of Architects; Stephen A. Somers, The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Princeton, New Jersey; Leonard S. Rubenstein, Mental Health Law Project, and Bill Mitchell, Housing Technical Assistance Project, representing the National Council on Independent Living, both of Washington, D.C.; Dennis Popp, Black Hills Workshop and Training Center, Rapid City, South Dakota, representing the National Association of Private Residential Resources; Kathleen L. Rollason, Calvert Association for Retarded Citizens, Calvert County, Maryland, representing the Association for Retarded Citizens; and Don Gustafson, Over the Rainbow, Evanston, Illinois.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 6.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee continued hearings on S. 710, S. 711, and S. 712, bills to provide for a referendum on the future political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Carlos Romero Barcelo, President, New Progressive Party of Puerto Rico, and Ruben Berrios

Martinez, President, Puerto Rican Independence Party, both of San Juan.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 11.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy concluded hearings on S. 216, to establish the Social Security Administration as an independent executive branch agency headed by a bipartisan board, and S. 1079, to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide periodic account statements to workers to inform them how much they have paid into the Social Security system, after receiving testimony from Senator Pryor; Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; Robert M. Ball, former Commissioner of Social Security and Robert J. Myers, former Chief Actuary and Deputy Commissioner of Social Security, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; P. Royal Shipp, Deputy Associate Director for Research Coordination, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress, Joseph F. Delfico, Director, Income Security Issues, Human Resources Division, General Accounting Office; Donald F. Walsh, Canada Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa, Ontario; Gene Lehrmann, American Association of Retired Persons, Madison, Wisconsin; and Martha McSteen, National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare, and John N. Sturdivant, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO, both of Washington, D.C.

JUDICIAL NOMINATION SELECTION PROCESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings to review the role of the American Bar Association in the screening of judicial nominations, after receiving testimony from Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States; Judge John W. Kern III, District of Columbia Court of Appeals, and Paul D. Kamenar, Washington Legal Foundation, both of Washington, D.C.; Robert D. Raven, American Bar Association, San Francisco, California; Judge Harold R. Tyler, Jr., American Bar Association Standing Committee on Federal Judiciary, New York, New York; and Arthur J. Schwab, Reed, Smith, Shaw & McClay, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, June 5.

Committee Meeting

OVERSIGHT—CRIME, VIOLENCE AND DRUGS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health concluded oversight hearings on crime, violence and drugs in the metropolitan area of Washington, D.C. Testimony was heard from Representative Wolf and Rowland of Georgia; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for May, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, June 6, at 9:25 a.m.

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel held hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the military medical system, receiving testimony from David Newhall III, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs; Lt. Gen. F.F. Ledford, Jr., USA, Surgeon General of the Army; Vice Adm. J.A. Zimble, Surgeon General of the Navy; Lt. Gen. Monte B. Miller, USAF, Surgeon General of the Air Force; and David Baine, Director, Federal Health Care Delivery Issues, General Accounting Office.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense concluded hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years

1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on fast sealift requirements, after receiving testimony from Representative Bennett; Gen. Duane H. Cassidy, USAF, Commander in Chief, U.S. Transportation Command; Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Shipping and Logistics); Vice Adm. Stanley R. Arthur, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); Robert B. Costello, former Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition; and Lawrence J. Koro, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John Hubert Kelly, of Georgia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

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Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 2541-2543; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 165 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1764, to make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988, amended (H. Rept. 101-74, filed June 1); and

H. Res. 165, providing for the consideration of S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan (H. Rept. 101-75).

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Funeral Committee: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 163, the Speaker appointed as members of the Funeral Committee of the late Representative Pepper, the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Bennett, Wright, Foley, Fascell, Gibbons, Young of Florida, Lehman of Florida, Ireland, Hutto, Nelson of Florida, McCollum, Shaw, Bilirakis, Lewis of Florida, Smith of Florida, Grant, Goss, James, Johnston of Florida, Stearns, Whitten, Quillen, Pickle, Annunzio, Conyers, Bevill, Obey, Rangel, Moakley, Boggs, Derrick, Early, Oberstar, Waxman, Beilenson, Bonior, Gephardt, Jenkins, Kildee, Oakar, Anthony, Byron, Pashayan, Frost, Hall of Ohio, Solomon, Wolpe, Martin of Illinois, Hoyer, Mrazek, Wheat, Wise, Kleczka, Gordon, Bilbray, Blaz, and de Lugo.

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Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned 12:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SEAFOOD SAFETY AND MANDATORY SEAFOOD INSPECTIONS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the issues of Seafood Safety and Mandatory Seafood Inspections. Testimony was heard from the following officials of National Marine Fisheries Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce: Suzanne Montero, Special Agent in Charge, Office of Law Enforcement; and James Brennan, Assistant Administrator, Fisheries; Nancy Ridley, Director, Division of Food and Drugs, Department of Public Health, State of Massachusetts; and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1121-1133, S. Res. 142, S.J. Res. 149, and S. Con. Res. 42

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 462, to authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, and for other purposes, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-44)

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Measures Passed

Condemning Brutality in China: By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 78), Senate agreed to S. Res. 142, condemning the brutal use of force by authorities of the People's Republic of China against unarmed advocates of democracy and human rights in China.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, 1989: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting

enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By a unanimous vote of 98 yeas (Vote No. 81), Mitchell Modified Amendment No. 138 (to Kasten Amendment No. 137), of a perfecting nature.

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(2) Kasten Amendment No. 137, to repeal section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, relating to benefits provided under certain employee benefit plans. (By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 80), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

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Rejected:

Helms Amendment No. 141, to prevent State and local governments from making policies toward South Africa. (By 69 yeas to 29 nays (Vote No. 79), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Pending:

(1) McCain Amendment No. 139, to delay for 1 year the implementation of the provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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(2) Mitchell Amendment No. 140 (to Amendment No. 139), of a perfecting nature.

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During the consideration of the bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 49 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 82), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not voting in the affirmative, Senate rejected a motion to waive titles 3 and 4 of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of Kasten Amendment No. 142 (to Kasten Amendment No. 137), in the nature of a substitute, and upon a point of order under section 311 of the Congressional Budget Act the amendment fell.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Wednesday, June 7.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Shirley Temple Black, of California, to be Ambassador to the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic.

Richard Wood Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman.

Morris Dempson Busby, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as Coordinator for Counter Terrorism.

Michael Ussery, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco.

C. Howard Wilkins, Jr., of Kansas, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, Eddie F.

Brown, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Constance Bastine Harriman, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior.

Rockwell Anthony Schnabel, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Travel and Tourism.

Thomas D. Larson, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration.

Kate Leader Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Edward C. Stinger, of Minnesota, to be General Counsel, Department of Education.

D. Allan Bromley, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

Deborah Kaye Owen, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner.

Timothy B. Atkeson, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Routine list of Coast Guard nominations.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations:

Richard Wood Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Michael Ussery, of South Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Becky Norton Dunlop, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Margot E. Macho, of the District of Columbia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report describing Federal actions with respect to the conservation and use of petroleum and natural gas in Federal facilities; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-48)

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(2) Transmitting the 1985, 1986, and 1987 annual reports of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee; which was referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (PM-49)

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—82)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:25 a.m., and recessed at 9:08 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, June 7. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 11020.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on tactical airpower, receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Richard M. Dunleavy, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations, Air Warfare; Lt. Gen. Charles H. Pitman, USMC, Deputy Chief of Staff, Aviation; and Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, USAF, Principal Deputy for Acquisition, OASAF (Acquisition).

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Paul D. Coverdell, Director, Peace Corps; William F. Ryan, First Vice President and Vice Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States; Robert O. Draggon, Vice President for Finance, Overseas Private Investment Corporation; Leonard H. Robinson, Jr., President, African Development Foundation; and Deborah Szekely, President, Inter-American Foundation.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, June 8.

DEFENSE MODERNIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense held hearings to review Department of Defense plans for evaluating modernization alternatives for close air support,

receiving testimony from Gen. Glenn Otis, USA (Ret.), former Commander, U.S. Army in Europe; John E. Krings, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, and Frank Kendall III, Acting Deputy Director for Tactical Warfare, Defense Research and Engineering, both of the Office of the Secretary of Defense; and Brig. Gen. Joseph Ralston, USAF, Director of Requirements, U.S. Air Force Tactical Air Command.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BANKING SERVICES REFORM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs held hearings on S. 906, to require financial institutions to cash government checks for non-customers for a small fee, S. 907, to require financial institutions to offer low cost "lifeline" banking accounts, and S. 909, to require the disclosure of financial institutions' community reinvestment evaluations and ratings, receiving testimony from William E. Douglas, Commissioner, Financial Management Service, Department of the Treasury; Connecticut State Banking Commissioner Howard B. Brown, Hartford; Jerome S. Gagerman, Financial Clearings, Inc., representing the National Check Cashers Association, Richard A. Loundy, Devon Bank, representing the Independent Bankers Association of America, and Robert J. Sell, American Association of Retired Persons, all of Chicago, Illinois; Rosemary Dunlap, Virginia Citizens Consumer Council, Arlington; Robert L. Stevens, Bryn Mawr Trust Company, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, representing the American Bankers Association; and John P. Kelly, Jr., National Bankers Association, and Peggy Miller, Consumer Federation of America, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on the role of State and local governments in developing housing strategies, receiving testimony from Senators Lautenberg and Lieberman; Massachusetts Governor Michael Dukakis, Boston; Rhode Island Governor Edward D. DiPrete, Providence; Mayor George Voinovich, Cleveland, Ohio; Mayor Edward Koch, New York, New York; Mayor Joseph Riley, Charleston, South Carolina; Merced County Supervisor Ann Klinger, Merced, California; Suffolk County Executive Patrick G. Halpin, Hauppauge, New York; Richard A. Shatten, Cleveland Tomorrow, Cleveland, Ohio; David Stanley, Payless Cash-

ways, Inc., Kansas City, Missouri; and John Pritscher, Community Investment Corporation, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for technology programs of the Department of Commerce, after receiving testimony from Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, Donald R. Johnson, Director, Office of Technology Services, John W. Lyons, Director, National Engineering Laboratory, Lyle H. Schwartz, Director, Materials Science and Engineering Laboratory, James H. Burrows, Director, National Computer Systems Laboratory, and Harry S. Hertz, Acting Director, National Measurement Laboratory, all of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; John Fluke, Jr., National Conference of Standards Laboratories, Boulder, Colorado; Paul Huray, University of South Carolina, Columbia; Donald G. Weinert, National Society of Professional Engineers, Alexandria, Virginia; Pat Hill Hubbard, American Electronics Association, Washington, DC; and Edward A. Miller, National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

AUTHORIZATIONS—STATE/USIA/BIB

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed consideration of S. 928, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Constance B. Newman, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Michael Farrell, to be Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, William M. Diefenderfer III, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and Constance Berry Newman, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Reggie B. Walton, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Director for National Drug Control Policy, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from Dewey Stokes, Fraternal Order of Police, Charles A. Gruber, International Association of Police Chiefs, Lynn C. Slaber, National District Attorneys Association, and Karst Besteman, Alcohol and Drug Problems Association of North America, all of Washington, DC; and Lois Olson, Missouri State Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Jefferson City.

FOOD SAFETY AMENDMENTS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 722, to enhance Federal oversight over the use of dangerous pesticides on the nation's food supply, after receiving testimony from Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Victor J. Kimm, Acting Assistant Administrator, Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency; Jack C. Parnell, Deputy Secretary of Agriculture; Charles M. Benbrook, Executive Director, Board on Agriculture, National Academy of Sciences; David B. Roe, Environmental Defense Fund, Oakland, California; Gary Booth, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah; and Ellen Haas, Public Voice for Food and Health Policy, and Sherwin Gardner, Grocery Manufacturers Association, both of Washington, DC.

SSA'S REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE PROGRAM

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation to establish safeguards to protect the rights of beneficiaries of the Social Security representative payee system, receiving testimony from Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner of Programs, Social Security Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Michael A. Teefy, Vancouver, Washington, Betty Broadhead, Goldsboro, North Carolina, and Kim P. Gaines, San Francisco, California, all representing the American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO; Audrey Madyun, East Arkansas Legal Services, Helena, Arkansas; Linda J. Olson, Legal Aid Society of Metropolitan Denver, Inc., Denver, Colorado; Curtis L. Child, Legal Services of Northern California, Inc., and Elizabeth Freeland, both of Sacramento, California; and Mary Miller, Marvell, Arkansas.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 2544-2569; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 141-142, and H. Res. 166-167 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1101, to extend the authorization of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 through the end of fiscal year 1993, amended (H. Rept. 101-76).

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 298 yeas to 107 nays, Roll No. 72, the House approved the Journal of Monday, June 5.

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Election of Speaker: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 251 yeas to 164 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 73, Thomas S. Foley, of the State of Washington, was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives over Robert H. Michel of Illinois. Representatives Annunzio, Thomas of California, Schroeder, and Smith of Nebraska acted as tellers. The Speaker was escorted to the Chair by Representatives Michel, Gray, Lewis of California, Dicks, Swift, Morrison of Washington, Chandler, Miller of Washington, McDermott, and Unsoeld.

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Representative Whitten administered the oath of office to the Speaker.

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Notify Senate: House agreed to H. Res. 166, to inform the Senate that the House has elected Thomas S. Foley, a representative of the State of Washington, Speaker.

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Notify President: House agreed to H. Res. 167, to inform the President that the House of Representatives has elected Thomas S. Foley, a Representative from the State of Washington, Speaker.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Veterans' home loans: H.R. 1415, amended, to amend chapter 37 of title 38, United States Code, with respect to the veterans' home loan program carried out under such chapter;

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Semiconductor agreement: H. Res. 146, to call for the President to take action to enforce the semiconductor agreement, and prevent further unfair Japanese trade practices (agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 416 yeas, Roll No. 74);

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Business opportunity development reform amendments: S. 767, to make technical corrections to the Business

Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988—clearing the measure for the President;

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Water resources authorization: H.R. 1101, amended, to extend the authorization of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 through the end of fiscal year 1993 (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 336 yeas to 74 nays, Roll No. 75). Agreed to amend the title;

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Vietnam Refugees: S. Con. Res. 26, amended, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reaffirm the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam. Agreed to amend the preamble and the title; and

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Summer World University Games: S. Con. Res. 31, expressing the sense of the Congress that Buffalo, New York, should host the 1993 summer World University Games—clearing the measure.

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Democracy in China: By a yea-and-nay vote of 406 yeas, Roll No. 76, the House agreed to the Fascell motion to agree, with amendments, to the Senate amendments to H. Con. Res. 136, expressing the sense of the Congress on the movement for democracy in China—returning the measure to the Senate.

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D.A.R.E. Day: House passed H.J. Res. 276, designating September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. Day".

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Petroleum and natural gas use: Message wherein he transmits the tenth annual report describing Federal actions with respect to the conservation and use of petroleum and natural gas in Federal buildings covering calendar year 1988—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce; and

Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee: Message wherein he transmits the 1985, 1986, and 1987 annual reports of the Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 10799, 10800, 10830, 10831, 10839. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from Representatives Synar, Watkins, Penny, Hatcher, Dorgan of North Dakota, Glickman, Stenholm, Upton and Skelton.

Hearings continue June 8.

VEAL CALF PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy and Poultry and the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a joint hearing on H.R. 84, to prohibit certain practices in the raising of calves for veal. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett; R.D. Plowman, Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

NUCLEAR MATERIAL PRODUCTION CUTOFF

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel continued hearings on nuclear material production cutoff as an arms control mechanism. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wyden and Green; Kathleen Bailey, Assistant Director, Nuclear Weapons, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Troy E. Wade II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; Brig. Gen. Robert Linhard, USA, Deputy, Strategy and Policy, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

REDUCE MEXICO'S DEBT AND DEBT-SERVICE COST; SEVENTH REPLENISHMENT OF THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 86, expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should encourage the private creditors of Mexico to take certain actions to reduce Mexico's debt and debt-service cost.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the Seventh Replenishment of the Inter-American Development Bank. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2364, amended, to amend the Amtrak Reauthorization and Improvement Act of 1989; and H.R. 2539, to extend title I of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

RISE IN REPETITIVE MOTION INJURIES AND OSHA'S RESPONSE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on the Dramatic Rise in Repetitive Motion Injuries and OSHA's Response. Testimony was heard from Alan McMillan, Acting Assistant Secretary, OSHA, Department of Labor; and public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on proposed Freedom of Information Act amendment to H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing approved for full Committee action the following: H. Res. 156, authorizing the printing of the joint committee print entitled "The Education Deficit" as a House document; H. Con. Res. 112, to authorize printing of a collection of the Inaugural Addresses of the Presidents of the United States; and a resolution to print memorials to the late Representative Claude Pepper.

The Subcommittee also considered other pending business.

INDIAN CONTRACT PREFERENCE REFORM ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 1714, Indian Contract Preference Reform Act. Testimony was heard from W.P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

TROPICAL FORESTRY INITIATIVE ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2065, Tropical Forestry Initiative Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Akaka; George Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Neal of North Carolina, LaFalce, Oaker, Barnard, Laughlin, Wylie,

Leach of Iowa, and McCollum, but no action was taken on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

Will continue tomorrow.

CIVIL PENALTY PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on H.R. 2528, Improved Penalty Administration and Compliance Tax Act. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Dana Trier, Tax Legislative Counsel; and Michael J. Murphy, Acting Commissioner, IRS; Shirley D. Peterson, Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division, Department of Justice; Frank Swain, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, SBA; Arthur L. Nims III, Chief Judge, U.S. Tax Court; and public witnesses.

TARGETED JOBS TAX CREDIT; REHABILITATION TAX CREDIT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures held a hearing on targeted jobs tax credit. Testimony was heard from Senator Domenici; Representative Ford of Tennessee; Tom Neubig, Director and Chief Economist, Office of Tax Analysis, Department of the Treasury; Robert E. David, Executive Director, Employment Security Commission, State of South Carolina; John Hudacs, Executive Deputy Commissioner, Department of Labor, State of New York; and public witnesses.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the rehabilitation tax credit. Testimony was heard from James M. Ridenour, Director, National Parks Service, Department of the Interior; J. Jackson Walter, President, National Trust for Historic Preservation; John Shannahan, Director, Historical Commission, State of Connecticut; and public witnesses.

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Wednesday, June 7, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1134-1146, and S.J. Res. 150-153.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 119, concerning the 1986 agreement between the United States and Japan regarding the Japanese semiconductor market.

S.J. Res. 151, to honor the United States Customs Service on the two hundredth anniversary of its establishment.

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Measure Passed:

Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, after agreeing to further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Mitchell Modified Amendment No. 140 (to McCain Amendment No. 139), of a perfecting nature. By 49 yeas to 51 nays (Vote No. 83), Senate failed to table the amendment.

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(2) McCain Amendment No. 139, to delay for 1 year the implementation of the provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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(3) Byrd Amendment No. 143, to make technical corrections.

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Senator insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd, Inouye, Hollings, Johnston, Burdick, Leahy, Sasser, DeConcini, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Harkin, Mikulski, Reid, Adams, Fowler, Kerrey, Hatfield, Stevens, McClure, Garn, Cochran, Kasten, D'Amato, Rudman, Specter, Domenici, Grassley, Nickles, and Gramm.

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Refuge to All Asylum-Seekers: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S. Con. Res. 26, urging first asylum countries of the Association of Southeast Asia Nations (ASEAN) to reinstate the practice of providing refuge to all asylum-seekers from Vietnam.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Douglas P. Mulholland, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Michael W. Farrell, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals.

William M. Diefenderfer III, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

Constance Berry Newman, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Janice Obuchowski, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications Information.

Michael J. Astrue, of Massachusetts, to be General Counsel of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Sherrie Sandy Rollins, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Richard Harrison Truly, of Texas, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Roy M. Goodman, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—83)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:29 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Thursday, June 8, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on Air Force posture, receiving testimony from Donald B. Rice, Secretary of the Air Force; and Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Staff.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

BANKING SERVICES REFORM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs continued hearings on S. 906, to require financial in-

stitutions to cash government checks for noncustomers for a small fee, S. 907, to require financial institutions to offer low cost "lifeline" banking accounts, and S. 909, to require the disclosure of financial institutions' community reinvestment evaluations and ratings, receiving testimony from Martha R. Seger, Member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Ted Wysocki, Chicago Association of Neighborhood Development Organizations, and Marion R. Foote, First National Bank of Chicago, both of Chicago, Illinois; Charles F. Clement, Landmark Bank, and Mary Ann Cunningham, Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN), both of St. Louis, Missouri; Charles H. Grice, Community Reinvestment Institute, San Francisco, California; Jonathan Brown, BankWatch, and Allen J. Fishbein, Center for Community Change, both of Washington, DC; John M. Kolesar, Ameritrust Development Bank, Cleveland, Ohio, representing the Consumer Bankers Association; and Charles G. Conville, PrimeBank Federal Savings Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan, representing the National Council of Savings Institutions.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on the Housing Opportunity Partnerships (HOP) and HOME Corporation provisions, receiving testimony from Leland Brendsel, President, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; John Sidor, Council of State Community Affairs Agencies, Boston, Massachusetts; Terrence R. Duvernay, Michigan State Housing Development Authority, Lansing; Walter Webdale, Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development, Fairfax, Virginia; Ed Schwartz, Philadelphia Housing and Community Development, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Eric Eichler, The Linpro Company, Berwyn, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the National Multi Housing Council; Joel Rubenzahl, Community Economics, Inc., Oakland, California; Robert Lawson, Jr., Norfolk, Virginia, representing the National Association for Homebuilders; Barry Zigas, National Low Income Housing Coalition, Warren Lasko, Mortgage Bankers Association of America, and Larry Dale, Federal National Mortgage Association, all of Washington, DC; and Kirsten S. Moy, The Equitable Financial Companies, Brian Hays, Public Securities Association, and Marvin Markus, Kidder, Peabody and Company, all of New York, New York.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 9.

AIRLINE CONCENTRATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings to examine airline concentration problems at hub airports in the United States, receiving testimony from Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, and James Noel, Assistant Director, and Frank Mulvey, Evaluator-in-Charge, both of the Resources Community and Economic Development Division, all of the General Accounting Office; and Robert J. Aaronson, Air Transport Association of America, and Edward L. Smick, Simat, Hellieson & Eichner, Inc., both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FTC

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Federal Trade Commission, receiving testimony from Daniel Oliver, Chairman, Mary L. Azcuenaga and Andrew Strenio, Jr., both Commissioners, all of the Federal Trade Commission; Steven Calkins, Wayne State University Law School, Detroit, Michigan; Timothy Muris, George Mason University Law School, Fairfax, Virginia; and Robert Pitofsky, Georgetown University Law Center, Daniel L. Jaffe, Association of National Advertisers, Inc., Wallace S. Snyder, American Advertising Federation, Bruce Silverglade, Center for Science in the Public Interest, John S. Satagaj, Small Business Legislative Council, and Craig Berrington, American Insurance Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 633, to promote the development of technologies which will enable fuel cells to use alternative fuel sources;

S. 634, to develop a national policy for the utilization of fuel cell technology; and

S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not been previously recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy to its customers, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

MINING LAW

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Mineral Resources Development and Production concluded hearings on S. 1126, to provide for the disposition of hardrock minerals on Federal lands, and to review the Mining Law of 1872, after receiving testimony from Representative Craig;

Robert F. Burford, Director, Bureau of Land Management; and T S Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, both of the Department of the Interior; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Stewart L. Udall, Phoenix, Arizona, and Philip M. Hocker, Washington, DC, both on behalf of the Mineral Policy Center; Michael McCloskey, Sierra Club, and Lynn A. Greenwalt, National Wildlife Federation, both of Washington, DC; David W. Delcour, AMAX Mineral Resources Company, on behalf of the American Mining Congress, and Stephen D. Alfors, Graham and Stubbs, both of Denver, Colorado; Geoffrey G. Snow, Minerals Exploration Coalition, Lakewood, Colorado; Putnam Livermore, Public Resources Associates, San Francisco, California; Russell C. Babcock, British Petroleum Minerals America, Salt Lake City, Utah; John Leshy, Arizona State University School of Law, Tempe; Don Smith, Citizens for Mining, Battle Mountain, Nevada; Charles E. Roybal, New Mexico Mining Association, Rio Rancho; John L. Neff, Northwest Mining Association, Spokane, Washington; Gary Langley, Montana Mining Association, Helena; and Curtis McVee, Alaska Miners Association, Anchorage.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Kenneth W. Gideon, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy, Bryce L. Harlow, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury for Legislative Affairs, John Michael Farren, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for International Trade, and Gerald L. Olson, of Minnesota, to be Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Legislation.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the aforementioned nominations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Gideon was introduced by Senator Warner, Mr. Harlow was introduced by Senators Warner and Boren, Mr. Farren was introduced by Senator Dodd, and Mr. Olson was introduced by Senators Boschwitz and Lugar.

RICO REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 438, to restore the usefulness and effectiveness of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) statute, after receiving testimony from John C. Keeney, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Arizona State Chief Assistant Attorney General Steve Twist, Phoenix, on behalf of the National Association of Attorneys General; James E. Long, North Carolina State Commissioner of Insurance, Raleigh, on behalf of the National Association of In-

surance Commissioners; James L. Harrison, Sr., First Community Bancshares, Inc., Princeton, West Virginia; Mark Reinhardt, Reinhardt and Anderson, St. Paul, Minnesota; G. Robert Blakey, Notre Dame Law School, Notre Dame, Indiana; David Harrison, Council of Energy Resource Tribes, Denver, Colorado; and Robert D. Raven, American Bar Association, Ernest DuBester, AFL-CIO, Philip Lacovara, Business Coalition for RICO Reform, Michael Waldman, U.S. Public Interest Research Group, and Kenneth R. Feinberg, all, Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 123, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990-1994 for high quality early childhood development programs for prekindergarten children.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 110, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990-1992 for family planning programs as contained in title X of the Public Health Service Act, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, June 14.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to consider procedural matters in the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 2570-2582; 1 private bill, H.R. 2583; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 289-290, H. Con. Res. 143-144, and H. Res. 168 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Report of the Committee on Ways and Means entitled "Report Relating to the Budget Resolution for Fiscal Year 1990" (H. Rept. No. 101-77).

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 168, electing Representative Moakley as Chairman of the Committee on Rules.

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Recess: House recessed at 10:07 a.m. and reconvened at 12:06 p.m.

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Address by Prime Minister of Pakistan: The Senate and House met in a joint meeting to receive Prime Minister Mohtrama Benazir Bhutto of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. Prime Minister Bhutto was escorted to and from the House Chamber by Senators Mitchell, Cranston, Pryor, Pell, Moynihan, Simon, Mikulski, Dole, Lugar, Kassebaum, Boschwitz, Humphrey, and Cochran; and Representatives Gray, Fascell, Bonior, Hoyer, Michel, Gingrich, Broomfield, Lewis of California, and Edwards of Oklahoma.

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FSX Arrangement: By a recorded vote of 241 ayes to 168 noes, Roll No. 81, the House agreed to S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan—clearing the measure for the President.

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Rejected the Broomfield motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Foreign Affairs with instructions to report it back forthwith containing an amendment in the nature of a substitute (text of the Solomon amendment) (rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 169 yeas to 247 nays, Roll No. 80).

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Agreed to the Bruce amendment in the nature of a substitute that contained identical language to the Senate-passed version of the resolution (agreed to by a recorded vote of 262 ayes to 155 noes, Roll No. 79).

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Earlier, agreed to the Solomon amendment in the nature of a substitute, which was superseded by the Bruce amendment, that would have expressed the sense of the Congress that the United States should not approve the FSX agreement (agreed to by a recorded vote of 320 ayes to 98 noes, Roll No. 78).

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Pursuant to the rule and the adoption of the Bruce amendment, the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute was deemed to have been disagreed to.

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The Committee amendment to the title was not agreed to.

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H. Res. 165, the rule under which the joint resolution was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 314 yeas to 96 nays, Roll No. 77.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 11155,

11194, 11208, 11210, 11211. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT TO REDUCTIONS OR REALIGNMENTS OF FEDERAL CONTRACTS; URBAN AND COMMUNITY FORESTRY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 101, to facilitate the economic adjustment of communities, industries, and workers to reductions or realignments in defense or aerospace contracts, military facilities, and arms export.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 2144, Urban and Community Forestry Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Schneider; Allan J. West, Deputy Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DOD CONSULTANTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on Department of Defense consultants. Testimony was heard from Harold J. Johnson, Director, Manpower Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Col. John P. Wilhelm, USAF, Acting Director, Contract Advisory and Assistance Services, Department of Defense; and Allan Burman, Acting Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement Policy, OMB.

ALASKA OIL SPILL

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on Long Term Energy Security of the U.S. in light of the Alaska Oil Spill. Testimony was heard from Steve Cowper, Governor, State of Alaska; Mark S. Singel, Lt. Governor, State of Pennsylvania; and public witnesses.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance continued hearings to review the modification of Final Judgment and its effect on the Information Services Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 14.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H. Con. Res. 113, calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to expedite the release and emigration of re-

education camp detainees; H. Res. 120, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives in support of actions to eliminate preventable deaths and disabling illness, especially among children, through intensified international collaboration to attain the United Nations goals of Universal childhood immunization by 1990 and health for all by the year 2000, and through the convening of a world summit on children; and H.R. 2550, amended, to provide certain forms of assistance to Poland and Hungary to encourage the process of democratic reforms in those countries.

The Committee also continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

Will continue June 13.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action the following measures: H. Con. Res. 113, calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to expedite the release and emigration of reeducation camp detainees; and H. Res. 120, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives in support of actions to eliminate preventable deaths and disabling illness, especially among children, through intensified international collaboration to attain the United Nations goals of Universal childhood immunization by 1990 and health for all by the year 2000, and through the convening of a world summit on children.

OVERVIEW OF U.S.-MEXICO RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on Overview of United States-Mexico Relations. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bates, Coleman of Texas and Kolbe; and public witnesses.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing voted the issuance of a subpoena for Deborah Dean to appear before the Subcommittee relating to Moderate Rehabilitation Program Scandal at the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported the following: H. Res. 156, authorizing the printing of the joint committee print entitled "The Education Deficit" as a House document; H. Con. Res. 112, to authorize printing of a collection of the Inaugural Addresses of the Presidents of the United States; H. Res. 136, authorizing the printing of the committee print entitled "The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988: A

Guide to Programs for State and Local Anti-Drug Assistance" as a House document; H.R. 2346, to authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992; H.R. 2358, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in honor of the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives and a resolution to be introduced to authorize printing of the customary memorial volume with respect to the late Honorable Claude Pepper.

The Committee also approved the 1990 U.S. Capitol Historical Society calendar and considered other pending business.

SEAFOOD SAFETY PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2511, to direct the President to develop a comprehensive safety program to ensure the quality and wholesomeness of all fish products intended for human consumption in the United States; and H.R. 1387, to provide for the inspection of all commercial seafood destined for human consumption in the United States. Testimony was heard from James Brennan, Assistant Administrator, Fisheries, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drugs, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Jo Ann Smith, Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Services, USDA; and public witnesses.

DISCIPLINE PRACTICES WITHIN THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization concluded hearings on the report by the GAO on the use of discipline within the U.S. Postal Service workforce. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Schumer, Morrison of Connecticut, Kaptur, Kanjorski, Wolpe, Kennedy, Hoagland, Rostenkowski, Pease, Clay, Dicks, McDermott, Unsoeld, Dreier of California, Bartlett, Roth, Roukema, Bunning, Bereuter and Baker, but no action was taken on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Concluded hearings on Science and Mathematics education. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ADVANCED VEHICLE HIGHWAY TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN FACTORS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on Advanced Vehicle Highway Technology and Human Factors. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Michael Finkelstein, Associate Administrator, Office of Research and Development, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration; and Lyle Saxton, Assistant to the Executive Director, Advanced Technology, Federal Highway Administration; and public witnesses.

SBA CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY PROGRAM

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Impact of Deregulation and Privatization and the Subcommittee on Procurement, Tourism and Rural Development held a joint hearing on the SBA Certificate of Competency Program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SBA: Robert J. Maffitt, Acting Associate Administrator; and Thomas Dumaresq, Assistant Regional Administrator; Region two, State of New York, both with Procurement Assistance; Eleanor R. Spector, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Procurement, Department of Defense; the following officials of GSA: Ida Ustad, Director, Acquisition Policy and Regulations; and Albert A. Matera, Supervisor, Contract Specialist, Federal Supply Service; and public witnesses.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 901, amended, Veterans' Health-Care Programs Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1199, Veterans Nurse Pay Act of 1989; H.R. 1780, to amend title 38, United States Code, to revise the eligibility for out-patient medical services furnished by the Department of Veterans' Affairs; H.R. 1931, Childless Veterans Assistance Act of 1989; and H.R. 2557, to designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans' Affairs to be located on New Jersey State Route 70 in Brick Township, NJ, as the "James J. Howard Veterans' Outpatient Clinic."

AVIATION SECURITY; FOREIGN ASSISTANCE; BUDGET ALLOCATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Disapproved the request of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation to approve an amendment to H.R. 1659, Aviation Security Act of 1989, to expand the authorized expenditure purposes of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund.

The Committee authorized the Chairman to engage in jurisdictional discussion with the Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs seeking to delete those provisions of the Foreign Assistance bill which are within the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Committee also approved the Section 302(b) Budget Allocation Report as required by the Congressional Budget Act.

RECONCILIATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

Will continue tomorrow.

ELDER ABUSE: AND ASSESSMENT OF THE FEDERAL RESPONSE

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Human Services held a hearing on "Elder Abuse: An Assessment of the Federal Response". Testimony was heard from Mike Suzuki, Acting Deputy Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

STATE DEPARTMENT INSPECTOR GENERAL

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on State Department Inspector General. Testimony was heard from Sherman Funk, Inspector General, Department of State.

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL EFFORTS

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on international narcotics control efforts, focusing on cocaine. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Mark Dion, Acting Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters; and Michael Skol, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs; David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; Fred Schieck, Acting Assistant Administrator, Latin America and the Caribbean, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and a public witness.

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Measures Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1147-1153, S. Res. 143, and S.J. Res. 154.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 116, commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the United States Jewish Appeal.

S.J. Res. 55, to designate the week of October 1, 1989, through October 7, 1989, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 67, to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Wilderness Act of 1964 which established the National Wilderness Preservation System.

S.J. Res. 73, to designate the week beginning October 29, 1989, as "Gaucher's Disease Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 76, to designate the period commencing on June 21, 1989, and ending on June 28, 1989, as "Food Science and Technology Week".

S.J. Res. 78, to designate the month of November 1989 and 1990 as "National Hospice Month".

S.J. Res. 85, to designate the week of July 24-30, 1989, as the "National Week of Recognition and Remembrance for Those Who Served in the Korean War".

S.J. Res. 95, to designate the week of September 10, 1989, through September 16, 1989, as "National Check-Up Week".

S.J. Res. 96, designating July 2, 1989, as "National Literacy Day".

S.J. Res. 105, to designate October 7 through October 14, 1989, as "National Week of Outreach to the Rural Disabled".

S.J. Res. 108, designating October 3, 1989, as "National Teacher Appreciation Day".

S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period commencing September 11, 1989, and ending on September 15, 1989 as "National Historically Black Colleges Week".

S.J. Res. 110, designating October 5, 1989, as "Raoul Wallenberg Day".

S.J. Res. 117, to designate the week of November 19, 1989 through November 25, 1989 and the week of November 18, 1990 through November 24, 1990, as "National Family Week".

S.J. Res. 118, to designate October 6, 1989, as "German-American Day".

S.J. Res. 120, to designate the period commencing November 12, 1989, and ending November 18, 1989, as "Geography Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 122, to designate October 1989 and 1990 as "National Down Syndrome Month".

S.J. Res. 124, to designate October as "National Quality Month".

S.J. Res. 126, commemorating the bicentennial of the United States Coast Guard.

S.J. Res. 130, designating February 11 through February 17, 1990, as "Vocational-Technical Education Week".

S.J. Res. 133, designating October 1989 as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month".

S.J. Res. 136, designating August 8, 1989, as "National Neighborhood Crime Watch Day".

S.J. Res. 137, designating January 7, 1990, through January 13, 1990, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week".

S.J. Res. 138, designating October 16, 1989, and October 16, 1990, as "World Food Day".

S.J. Res. 142, designating the week beginning July 23, 1989, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 143, to designate the week of December 10, 1989, through December 16, 1989, as "National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 146, designating the week of September 24, 1989, as "Religious Freedom Week".

S.J. Res. 148, to designate the week of October 8, 1989, through October 14, 1989, as "National Job Skills Week".

S.J. Res. 150, to designate August 1, 1989, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day".

S. Con. Res. 39, to commend the group of aviators known as the "Flying Tigers" for nearly 50 years of service to the United States.

S. Con. Res. 40, to designate June 21, 1989, as "Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day".

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Measures Passed

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 143, directing the Senate Legal Counsel to represent the Acting Public Printer in *The Honorable Alcee L. Hastings, United States District Judge v. The United States Senate, et al.*

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Time Limitations Extension: Senate passed S. 750, extending time limitations on certain projects, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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McClure (for Gorton/Adams) Amendment No. 146, to extend the deadline for the development of a certain licensed hydroelectric project in the State of Washington.

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U.S. Customs Service 200th Anniversary: Senate passed S.J. Res. 151, to honor the United States Customs Service on the two hundredth anniversary of its establishment.

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Japanese Semiconductor Market: Senate agreed to S. Res. 119, concerning the 1986 agreement between the United States and Japan regarding the Japanese semiconductor market.

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Vietnamese Political Prisoners: Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 16, calling for the Government of Vietnam to expedite the release and emigration of all political prisoners, and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

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McClure (for Boschwitz) Amendment No. 147 (1), relating to the release and emigration of political prisoners held in Vietnam.

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McClure (for Boschwitz) Amendment No. 148 (2), to amend the preamble and amend the title.

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Agent Orange Settlement Payments: Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of S. 892, to exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income and resources under Federal means-tested programs, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Moynihan) Amendment No. 149, to change the effective date to January 1, 1989.

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Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act: Senate began consideration of H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act, with committee amendments, taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Rejected:

(1) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 144, to provide for reinstitution of price controls in the event of a dramatic increase in the market price of natural gas. (By 89 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 84), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 145, to provide fair refunds to consumers of natural gas who are found to have been overcharged. (By 53 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 85), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill on Friday, June 9, 1989.

Executive Report of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of Richard Reeves Burt, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of Delegation on Nuclear and Space Talks and Chief Negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START). (Ex. Rept. No. 101-7)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Bryce L. Harlow, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Kenneth W. Gideon, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Gerald L. Olson, of Minnesota, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Reggie B. Walton, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Director for National Drug Control Policy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

William H. Taft, IV, of Virginia, to be the United States Permanent Representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with the rank and status of Ambassador.

Debra Russell Bowland, of Louisiana, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor.

William C. Brooks, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Edward Martin Emmett, of Texas, to be Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports on Monday, June 12, 1989, from 12 noon to 3 p.m., during the recess of the Senate.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—85)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 6 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Friday, June 9, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 11382.)

Committee Meetings**APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE**

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on manpower and personnel programs, receiving testimony from David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Resource Management and Support.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 13.

EL SALVADOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings to review a General Accounting Office report on El Salvador, receiving testimony from Michael Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office; and Deihl McKalip, Director for Operations, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 13.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support concluded hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on environmental restoration programs, after receiving testimony from William H. Parker, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Environment; Col. Hugh M. McAlear, USA, Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army for Environment, Safety, and Occupational Health; Nancy Stehle, Deputy Director for Environment, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Shipbuilding and Logistics; and Col. Stephen G. Termaath, USAF, Director Environmental Division, Headquarters, U.S.A.F. Systems Command.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed open and closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the chemical deterrent program, receiving testimony from Roger G. Harrison, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Robert G. Joseph, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear Forces and Arms Control Policy; Brig. Gen. Robert Linhard, USAF, Deputy Director for Strategy and Policy, Joint Chiefs of Staff; Billy Richardson, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Chemical Matters; and Michael Owen, Principal Deputy Secretary of the Army for Installation and Logistics.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 13.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of John B. Taylor, of California, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, John Michael Farren, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for International Trade, Alfred A. Dellibovi, of New York, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and Susan Carol Schwab, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Taylor and Farren, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Taylor was introduced by Senator Wilson.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FTC

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Federal Trade Commission, after receiving testimony from New York State Attorney General Robert Abrams, and Mel Goldberg and Lloyd Constantine, both New York State Assistant Attorneys General, all of Albany, representing the National Association of Attorneys General; Mark Silbergeld, Consumers Union, Katherine McDermott, Collier, Shannon, Rill & Scott, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, R. Malcolm Overby, American Dental Association, H. Martyn Owen, Shipman and Goodwin, and Steven Easter, Blue Diamond Growers, both representing the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives, and Donald A. Randall, National Independent Dairy-Foods Association, all of Washington, DC.

MOTOR VEHICLE FUELS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded oversight hearings on the status of current and future use of alternative motor vehicle fuels in the United States, after receiving testimony from Senator Daschle; John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Conservation and Renewable Energy; Charles Imbrecht, California Energy Commission, Sacramento; Fred Bowditch, Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association, Dearborn, Michigan; Dixon Smith, Chevron, USA, Inc., San Francisco, California; Robert Yuhnke, Environmental Defense Fund, Boulder, Colorado; Milton C. Back, Kanawha Valley Regional Transportation Authority, Charleston, West Virginia; George W. Roberts, Air products and Chemicals, Inc., Allentown, Pennsylvania; and Elawin S. Larson, Brooklyn Union Gas Company, Brooklyn, New York, on behalf of the American Gas Association Natural Gas Coalition.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following measures:

S. 624, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada, for the relocation of the Kerr-McGee Corp. plant operations for the production of Ammonium perchlorate, after receiving testimony from Senators Reid and Bryan; Hillary Oden, Assistant Director for Energy and Minerals, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Clark County Commissioner Manuel J. Cortez, and Jeff van Ee, both of Las Vegas, Nevada; and George B. Rice, Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; and

S. 555, to establish within the Department of the Interior the De Soto Expedition Trail Commission, and S. 830, to authorize funds for the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, after receiving testimony from Senators Graham, Pell, and Chafee; Gerald Patten, Associate Director for Planning and Development, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Massachusetts State Representative Richard Moore, Boston; Robert L. Bendick, Jr., Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Providence; Charles R. McGimsey, III, Arkansas Archeological Survey, Fayetteville; and Douglas E. Jones, De Soto Trail Commission, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, U.S. Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, in lieu of S. 928; and

The nominations of Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, Chic Hecht, of Nevada, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas, John Hubert Kelly, of Georgia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, and John D. Negroponte, of New York, to be Ambassador to Mexico.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Turkey, Thomas Michael Tolliver Niles, of the District of Columbia, to be the U.S. Representative to the European Communities, Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain, Edward N. Ney, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada, and C. Howard Wilkins, Jr., of Kansas, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Zappala was introduced by Senator Mack, Mr. Ney was introduced by Senator Moynihan, and Mr. Wilkins was introduced by Senators Dole and Kassebaum.

DC DRUG PROBLEM

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to examine illegal drug trafficking and violence in the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Anthony E. Daniels, Deputy Assistant Director, Criminal Investigative Division, and Douglas W. Gow, Washington Metropolitan Field Office Special Agent-in-Charge, both of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Mayor Marion Barry, Issac Fullwood, Assistant Chief of Police, John Jackson, Assistant to the Commissioner of Public Health, and David A. Clarke, Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, all of the Government of the District of Columbia, Ruth R. Crone, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments, and George Crawford, Beverly Mitchell, Jean Thomas, Tony Norman, and Evan Sheppard, all on behalf of the Bloomingdale Civic Association Task Force, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of Reggie B. Walton, of the District of Columbia, to be Associate Director for National Drug Control Policy;

S.J. Res. 55, to designate the week of October 1 through 7, 1989, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 67, to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Wilderness Act of 1964 which established the National Wilderness Preservation System;

S.J. Res. 73, to designate the week beginning October 29, 1989, as "Gaucher's Disease Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 76, to designate the period commencing on June 21, 1989, and ending on June 28, 1989, as "Food Science and Technology Week";

S.J. Res. 78, designating the month of November 1989 and 1990 as "National Hospice Month";

S.J. Res. 85, to designate the week of July 24 to July 30, 1989, as the "National Week of Recognition and Remembrance for Those Who Served in the Korean War";

S.J. Res. 95, to designate the week of September 10 through 16, 1989, as "National Check-up Week";

S.J. Res. 96, designating July 2, 1989, as "National Literacy Day";

S.J. Res. 105, to designate October 7 through 14, 1989, as "National Week of Outreach to the Rural Disabled";

S.J. Res. 108, to designate October 3, 1989, as "National Teacher Appreciation Day";

S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period commencing September 11, 1989, and ending on September 15, 1989, as "National Historically Black Colleges Week";

S.J. Res. 110, designating October 5, 1989, as "Raoul Wallenberg Day";

S.J. Res. 117, to designate the week of November 19 through 25, 1989, and the week of November 18 through 24, 1990, as "National Family Week";

S.J. Res. 118, designating October 6, 1989, as "German-American Day";

S.J. Res. 120, to designate the period commencing November 12, 1989, and ending November 18, 1989, as "Geography Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 122, to designate October 1989 and 1990 as "National Down Syndrome Month";

S.J. Res. 124, to designate October 1989 as "National Quality Month";

S.J. Res. 126, Commemorating the bicentennial of the United States Coast Guard;

S.J. Res. 130, designating February 11 through 17, 1990, as "Vocational-Technical Education Week";

S.J. Res. 133, designating October 1989 as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month";

S.J. Res. 136, designating August 8, 1989, as "National Neighborhood Crime Watch Day";

S.J. Res. 137, designating January 7 through 13, 1990, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week";

S.J. Res. 138, designating October 16, 1989, and October 16, 1990, as "World Food Day";

S.J. Res. 142, designating the week beginning July 23, 1989, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 143, to designate the week of December 10 through 16, 1989, as "National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 146, designating the week of September 24, 1989, as "Religious Freedom Week";

S.J. Res. 148, to designate the week of October 14, 1989, as "National Job Skills Week";

S.J. Res. 150, to designate August 1, 1989, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day";

S. Con. Res. 39, to commend the group of aviators known as the "Flying Tigers" for nearly 50 years of service to the United States;

S. Con. Res. 40, to designate June 21, 1989, as Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day;

S. Res. 116, commemorating the 50th anniversary of the United States Jewish Appeal; and

S. 358, to change the level, and preference system for admission, of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Also, the committee indefinitely postponed further consideration of S. 448, to change the level, and preference system for admission, of immigrants to the United States.

LINE ITEM VETO

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution approved for full committee consideration, without recommendation, the following measures:

S.J. Res. 14, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to allow the President to veto items of appropriation; and

S.J. Res. 23, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the President to disapprove or reduce an item of appropriations.

EMPLOYMENT FOR WOMEN

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 975, to encourage a broader range of training and job placement for women, after receiving testimony from Patricia W. McNeil, Administrator, Office of Strategic Planning and Policy Development, Employment and Training Administration, Department of Labor; Clark Street, Ohio Contractors Association, Columbus; Cynthia Marano, Wider Opportunities for Women, Inc., Alicia Pelrine, National Governors Association, Esther F. Schaeffer, National Alliance of Business, and Desta Daggett, all of Washington, DC; and Rosanne Carson, Hopelawn, New Jersey.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

An original resolution to authorize the purchase

of 104,000 1990 U.S. Capitol Historical Society wall calendars for the use of the Senate;

An original resolution to authorize the Secretary of the Senate to withhold salaries of Senate employees for settlement of claims of or against the Government according to regulations prescribed by the Secretary and approved by the Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. 619, to authorize the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity to establish a memorial to Martin Luther King, Jr., in the District of Columbia; and

S. Res. 13, to implement closed caption broadcasting for hearing-impaired individuals of Senate floor proceedings, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Also, committee resumed consideration of S. 874, to establish national voter registration procedures for Presidential and Congressional elections, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, June 14.

PROTECTION OF INDIAN RIGHTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Special Committee on Investigations resumed hearings to examine various matters relating to Indian Affairs, receiving testimony on the committee's findings from Manuel Lujan, Jr., Secretary of the Interior; Oliver Revell, Executive Assistant Director for Investigations, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Robert Bruce Haley, Swimonish and Lummi Tribes, Bellingham, Washington; and Hilda Ann Manuel, Tohono O'odham Judiciary, Tuscon, Arizona.

Also, committee held hearings on the Federal Government's management of timber resources on Indian land, receiving testimony from Marshall Cutsforth, Chief, Division of Forestry, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Dom Nessi, Director, Office of Indian Programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Roy Sampsel, R.H.S. Resource Consultants, Portland, Oregon; Fred Matt and Ron Trosper, both of Pablo, Montana, and Gary Morishima, Mercer Island, Washington, all of the Intertribal Timber Council; Dexter Gill, Navajo Forestry Department, Window Rock, Arizona; and James Spitz, Warm Spring and Yakima Tribes, Bend, Oregon.

Committee recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, June 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 2584-2597; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 291, H. Con. Res. 145-147 were introduced.

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Committee Memberships: The Speaker announced that by virtue of his election as Speaker, the positions held by him as the majority leadership member of the Committee on the Budget and as an ex officio member of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, are deemed vacated.

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Late Reports: Committee on Agriculture received permission to have until midnight Friday, June 9, to file reports on H.R. 2042, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow producers to provide the appropriate county committees with actual yields for the 1989 and subsequent crop years; and H.R. 2469, to limit a previous owner's right of first refusal in the case of fraud or resale for sales of farm property by the Farmers Home Administration and the Farm Credit System.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SOYBEAN PROMOTION, RESEARCH AND CONSUMER INFORMATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing on H.R. 2209, Soybean Promotion, Research and Consumer Information Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Dyson; J. Patrick Boyle, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Order reported the following bills: H.R. 2087, amended, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act; H.R. 2088, to revise

and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986; H.R. 1312, amended, to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal year 1992 certain authorities; and H.R. 2281, amended, to extend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to extend the authorization of certain school dropout demonstration programs.

RAILROAD DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1208, Railroad Drug Abuse Prevention Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEDICARE AND MEDICAID RECONCILIATION PROVISIONS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on miscellaneous Medicare and Medicaid reconciliation provisions. Testimony was heard from Representative McDermott; the following officials of Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services: Ross Anthony, Associate Administrator, Program Planning; and Guy King, Chief of Actuary; Donald Muse, Principal Analyst, Medicare and Medicaid, CBO; and public witnesses.

COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN THE U.S. AND PALAU

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held a hearing on H.J. Res. 175, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau. Testimony was heard from James D. Berg, Director, Office of Freely Associated States Affairs, Department of State; and David Heggstad, Director, Budget and Technical Assistance, Office of Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, functions, and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993.

PICK-SLOAN MISSOURI RIVER BASIN PROGRAMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2438, to authorize amendments to a certain water

service contract for the Frenchman unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program; H.R. 1031, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts; and H.R. 2567, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming. Testimony was heard from Representatives Roberts, Smith of Nebraska and Thomas of Wyoming; C. Dale Duvall, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

HAITIAN DETENTION AND INTERDICTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on Haitian Detention and Interdiction. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lehman of Florida; Fascell, Fauntroy and Smith of Florida; Jim Buck, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Justice; the following officials of the Department of State: Alan Kreczko, Deputy Legal Advisor; and Richard W. Aherne, Director, Office of Human Rights; and RAdm. Walter T. Leland, USCG, Chief, Office of Law Enforcement and Defense Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

INTERMODAL SHIPPING ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 2498, to regulate shipping in the domestic trades of the United States. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 15.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Alexander, Donnelly, Moody, Conyers, Bennett, de la Garza, Panetta, Volkmer, Sikorski, Slattery, Oxley, Hyde, Young of Alaska, Bilirakis and McMillan of North Carolina, but no action was taken on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AMENDMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures held a hearing on H.R.

1761, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify the application of the minimum tax in the case of corporations. Testimony was heard from John Wilkins, Acting Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

OMNIBUS TRADE ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on the United States Trade Representative's identification of priority practices and countries under the "super 301" and "special 301" provisions of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988. Testimony was heard from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

HIGH TECH CONSORTIA

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine issues concerning high technology consortia, focusing on the role of the Federal Government in assisting high technology ventures, including high definition television and semiconductors, after receiving testimony from Craig I. Fields, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Claude Barfield, American Enterprise Institute, Washington, D.C.; and Ralph E. Gomory, International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York.

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Friday, June 9, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1154-1159.

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Measures Passed:

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Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 40, to designate June 21, 1989, as "Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day".

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50th Anniversary of the United Jewish Appeal: Senate agreed to S. Res. 116, commemorating the 50th anniversary of the United Jewish Appeal.

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Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act, with committee amendments.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill, and in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Tuesday, June 13, with the required live quorum under Rule XXII having been waived.

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Senate will resume consideration the bill on Tuesday, June 13.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

John Michael Farren, of Connecticut, to be Under Secretary of Commerce.

Alfred A. DelliBovi, of New York, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

John B. Taylor, of California, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 1:05 p.m., until 12 noon, on Monday, June 12, 1989, for a pro forma session.

Committee Meetings**AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH**

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on the state of agricultural research, receiving testimony from Chuck Hassebrook, Center for Rural Affairs, Walthill, Nebraska; Neville P. Clarke, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station; Michael V. Dunn, National Farmers Union, Washington, DC; and Susan Bright, National Family Farm Coalition, Centerville, Indiana.

Hearings continue Tuesday, June 20.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel held hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on manpower programs for the Reserve Forces, receiving testimony from Stephen M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs; Lt. Gen. Herbert R. Temple, Jr., ARNGUS, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. William F. Ward, USAR, Chief, Army Reserve; Maj. Gen. Donald Burdick, ARNGUS, Director, Army National Guard; Rear Adm. Francis Neale Smith, USNR, Director, Navy Reserve; Maj. Gen. Edmund P. Looney, Jr., USMC, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower and Reserve Affairs for Reserve Affairs; Maj. Gen. Philip Killey, ANG, Director, Air National Guard; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, USAFR, Chief, Air Force Reserve; and Capt. Robert G. Cozzolino, USCG, Deputy for Reserve, Office of Readiness and Reserve, U.S. Coast Guard.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on homeownership affordability, receiving testimony from Pinal County Supervisor Dean Weatherly, Casa Grande, Arizona; John Papandrea, Connecticut State Department of Housing, Hartford; Karney Hodge, California Housing Finance Agency, Sacramento; Gail Cincotta, National Peoples Action, Chicago, Illinois; David Perel, Municipal Finance Department, Los

Angeles, California; Robert Edlestein, University of California at Berkeley, California; David W. Balcer, First Financial Bank, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Barbara Bannon-Harwood, BBH Enterprises, Dallas, Texas; Robert B. O'Brien, Jr., Carteret Savings Bank, Newark, New Jersey; Joseph J. Morris, Manufactured Housing Institute and the Champion Home Builders Company, Dryden, Michigan; George Butts, ACORN-Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and William H. Lacy, Mortgage Insurance Companies of America, Willard Gourley, Jr., Mortgage Bankers Association, Shirley Wiseman, National Association of Homebuilders, and Ira Gribin, National Association of Realtors, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 16.

SCENIC BYWAYS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation, and Infrastructure concluded hearings on S. 432, to establish a National Scenic Byways Program to identify, protect, and enhance scenic roads in America, after receiving testimony from Senator Rockefeller; R.D. Morgan, Executive Director, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation; F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Rhode Island State Representative Robert A. Weygand, Providence, representing the American Society of Landscape Architects; Hugh Lydston, Idaho Transportation Department, Boise; John Archer, American Automobile Association, Falls Church, Virginia; Teresa Mitchell, Seaway Trail, Inc., Oswego, New York; William Least Heat-Moon, Columbia, Missouri, representing Scenic America; and J. Jackson Walter, National Trust for Historic Preservation, Washington, DC.

FEDERAL DRUG INTERDICTION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine Federal drug interdiction capabilities and coordination, focusing on the role of the Department of Defense, receiving testimony from Arnold P. Jones, Director, John Viallet, Assistant Director, and Edward Laughlin, Project Manager, all of Administrative Justice Issues, General Government Division, General Accounting Office; Lt. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, USMC, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Drug Policy and Enforcement, Department of Defense; Lt. Gen. Thomas W. Kelly, USA, Director for Operations (J-3), Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Vice Adm. James C. Irwin, USCG, Commander Joint Task Force-Four.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RURAL AMERICA

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Rural Economy and Family Farming concluded on S. 1051

and S. 863, bills to promote the development of small business in rural areas, after receiving testimony from Edwin T. Holloway, Associate Administrator for Finance and Investment, John R. Cox, Associate Administrator for Business Development, and Wayne S. Foren, Director, Office of Economic Development, all of the Small Business Administration; Arlen Kangas, Midwest Minnesota Community Development Corporation, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota; Jeff Doose, Southern Ventures, Arkadelphia, Arkansas; Terrence F. Stone, Region Nine Regional Development Commission, Mankato, Minnesota, representing the National Association of Development Organizations; Richard Palank, National Association of Development Companies, Washington, DC; and John Jackson, Minnesota Bankers Association, Minneapolis, representing the American Bankers Association.

VETERANS' BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on Title I of S. 13, Veterans' Benefits and Health Care Act, to provide cost-of-living adjustments in VA compensation benefits and certain improvements in the clothing allowances and pension program, and to provide a limited extension of the Veterans' Readjustment Appointment authority, S. 1092, to implement certain recommendations of the Commission on Veterans' Education Policy, S. 564, to provide for the monitoring and promoting the access of members of minority groups to VA services and benefits, Amendment No. 110 to S. 190, to permit service-connected disabled veterans who retire from the Armed Forces based on age or length of service to receive military retired pay concurrently with VA disability compensation, and S. 1003, to make certain revisions in educational assistance programs for veterans and eligible persons, after receiving testimony from R. John Vogel, Chief Benefits Director, Grady Horton, Deputy Chief Benefits Director for Program Management, Gary Hickman, Assistant Director of Policy and Planning for the Compensation and Pension Service, and Dennis Wyant, Director, Vocational Rehabilitation and Education Service, all of the Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Lt. Gen. Donald Jones, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Manpower and Personnel Policy; Stephen Wolansky, Uniformed Services Disabled Veterans, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Bernell Dickinson, North Carolina Department of Community Colleges, Raleigh, representing the American Association of Colleges and Junior Colleges; Lynn Denzin, National Association of Veteran Program Administrators, Denver, Colorado; Col. Richard C. Kaufman, Association of the United States Army, Arlington, Virginia; and Janet Steiger, Babette Polzer, and Bertie Rowland, all of the Commission

on Veterans' Education Policy, Richard S. Christian, National Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation Commission, James N. Magill, Veterans of Foreign Wars, David W. Gorman, Disabled American Veterans, and John Bollinger, Paralyzed Veterans of America, all of Washington, DC.

COQUILLE TRIBE

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 881, to provide for restoration of the Federal trust relationship with, and assistance to the Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians.

INDIAN SELF-DETERMINATION ACT AMENDMENTS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the implementation of amendments to the Indian Self-Determination Act, receiving testimony from William P. Ragsdale, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs; Everett J. Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; William Ron Allen, Jamestown Klallam Tribe, Sequim, Washington; Lionel John, United South and Eastern Tribes, Nashville, Tennessee; S. Bobo Dean, Hobbs, Strauss, Dean and Wilder, Washington, DC; Edward Thomas, Tlingit and Haida Central Council, Juneau, Alaska; Laurence Kenmille and Thomas Acevedo, both of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribal Council; Flathead Reservation, Pablo, Montana; Dorothy Dupree, Pasqua Yaqui Tribal Council, Tuscon Arizona; James Sizemore, Warm Springs Tribe, Portland, Oregon; and Twila Martin-Kekahbah, Turtle Mountain Tribal Council, Belcourt, North Dakota.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, June 12.

Committee Meetings

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from James G. Watt, former Secretary of the Interior.

Hearings continue June 13.

Monday, June 12, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate convened at 12:00:08 p.m., in pro forma session, and recessed at 12:00:34 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 13, 1989.

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence resumed closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on ASAT and space control programs, receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; Kent G. Stansberry, Director, Defense and Space Arms Control, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy; Lt. Gen. Donald S. Pihl, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development and Acquisition); Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Moorman, Jr., USAF, Director of Space and SDI Programs, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Acquisition); Vice Adm. Paul Miller, Deputy Chief of Operations (Naval Warfare), Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Brig. Gen. Morgan Gillette, USA, Program Manager, Joint Kinetic Energy, ASAT Program.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Delos Cy Jamison, of Montana, to be Director of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, and Frank A. Bracken, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary of the Interior, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Jamison was introduced by Senator Burns, and Mr. Bracken was introduced by Senator Coats and Representative Sharp.

CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 1129, to simplify section 89 nondiscrimination rules applicable to certain employee benefit plans, S. 601, to authorize a child tax credit and refundable child and dependent care tax credit, and on provisions of S. 602, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the

Head Start program, receiving testimony from Kenneth W. Gideon, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Rod Dearment, Deputy Secretary of Labor; Lawrence J. White, Board Member, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Richard E. Curtis, Health Insurance Association of America; Mary Nell Lehnhard, Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, Willis B. Goldbeck, Washington Business Group on Health, Sara Rosenbaum, Children's Defense Fund, Nancy Duff Campbell, National Women's Law Center, and Robert Greenstein, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, all of Washington, DC; Donald W. Schiff, American Academy of Pediatrics, Denver, Colorado; Steve A. Freedman, University of Florida, Gainesville; Robert H. Sweeney, National Association of Children's Hospitals and Related Institutions, Alexandria, Virginia; and Charles W. Shewbridge III, Bell South, Atlanta, Georgia, on behalf of the United States Telephone Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Richard H. Solomon, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for East Asia and Pacific Affairs, Della M. Newman, of Washington, to be Ambassador to New Zealand and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Western Samoa, Robert D. Orr, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore, and Melvin F. Sembler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Australia and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Nauru, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Newman was introduced by Senator Gorton, Mr. Orr was introduced by Senator Coats, and Mr. Sembler was introduced by Senator Mack.

CAMBODIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs held open and closed hearings on proposals to provide U.S. assistance to Cambodia, receiving testimony from Representatives Solarz and Atkins; Robert M. Kimmitt, Under Secretary of State Political Affairs; Richard Holbrooke, Shearson Lehmann Brothers, Dith Pran, New York Times, and Al Santoli, all of New York, New York; and Chhang Song, Save Cambodia, Inc., Hyattsville, Maryland, and former Cambodia Minister of Information.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for

programs of the Paperwork Reduction Act, focusing on management and technology issues, receiving testimony from Ralph V. Carlone, Assistant Comptroller General, Information Management and Technology Division, General Accounting Office; Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; Cynthia Kendall, Deputy Comptroller for Information Resources Management, Department of Defense; Richard H. Hopf III, Acting Commissioner, Information Resources Management Service, General Services Administration; John Diebold, The Diebold Group, Inc., New York, New York; D. Kaye Gapen, University of Wisconsin, Madison, representing the Association of Research Libraries; and Kenneth B. Allen, Information Industry Association, and Jerry J. Berman, American Civil Liberties Union, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 16.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 2598 and 2599; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 148 and 149 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan, amended (H. Rept. 101-78);

H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada, for national defense and other purposes, amended (H. Rept. 101-79, foregoing filed on June 8);

H.R. 2042, to amend title V of the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow producers to provide the appropriate county committees with actual yields for the 1989 and subsequent crop years, amended (H. Rept. 101-80); and

H.R. 2469, to limit a previous owner's right of first refusal in the case of fraud or resale for sales of farm property by the Farmers Home Administration and the Farm Credit System, amended (H. Rept. 101-81, foregoing filed on June 9).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Coelho to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Late Report: Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to have until 5 p.m. today to file a report on H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, to design-

nate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:12 p.m.

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Committee Meetings

STATUS OF THE WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PLANT PROJECT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing to review the Status of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Project. Testimony was heard from Representatives Richardson and Skeen; Keith O. Fultz, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Sylvia Lowrance, Director, Office of Solid Waste, EPA; Jill Lytle, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Materials, Department of Energy; and a public witness.

IMPROVING U.S. TRADE RELATIONS WITH POLAND AND HUNGARY

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2356, in support of the people and nation of Poland, and to amend the Trade Act of 1974 and the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961; and H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscrimination treatment to the products of the Peoples' Republic of Hungary for 5 years. Testimony was heard from William Bodde, Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State; and a public witness.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fourteen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1160-1173, S. Res. 144, and S.J. Res. 155-156.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Monday, June 12, during the recess:

S. 341, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit discrimination against blind individuals in air travel. (S. Rept. No. 101-45)

S. 1160, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, the board for International Broadcasting. (S. Rept. No. 101-46)

S. 123, to provide financial assistance to States and localities for high quality early childhood development programs for prekindergarten children, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Reported today:

S. 619, to authorize the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity to establish a memorial to Martin Luther King, Jr. in the District of Columbia. (S. Rept. No. 101-47)

S. 1164, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the United States International Trade Commission, and the United States Customs Service. (S. Rept. No. 101-48)

S. 673, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 and the Motor Vehicle Information and Cost Savings Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-49)

H.R. 881, to provide for restoration of the Federal Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians. (S. Rept. No. 101-50)

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Measure Passed:

Commemorating the Senate Bicentennial: Senate agreed to S. Res. 144, relating to the commemoration of the bicentennial of the Senate of the United States.

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Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Rejected:

(1) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 191, to declare that indefinite price escalator liabilities may not legally be passed through to consumers by the pipeline unless the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission finds those liabilities to be just and reasonable. (By 73 yeas to 23 nays (Vote No. 86), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Metzenbaum Modified Amendment No. 192, to prohibit passthrough of unjust and unreasonable costs incurred by a natural gas company as a result

of an act in violation of environmental law. (By 66 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 87), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 193, to declare that take or pay liabilities may not legally be passed through to consumers by the pipeline unless the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission finds those liabilities to be just and reasonable. (By 63 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 88), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(4) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 194, to require the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to use its existing authority to decontrol incentive pricing for certain high cost natural gas. (By 87 yeas to 11 nays (Vote No. 89), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and an amendment to be proposed thereto, on Wednesday, June 14.

Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of Richard Reeves Burt, of Arizona, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of Delegation on Nuclear and Space Talks and Chief Negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START).

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Joseph Bernard Gildenhorn, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Switzerland.

Martin Lewis Allday, of Texas, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior.

John F. Turner, of Wyoming, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Deborah Wince-Smith, of Ohio, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Technology Policy.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Received on Friday, June 9, during the recess:

Thomas Patrick Melady, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Holy See.

William Braniff, of California, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of California.

Skirma Anna Kondratas, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Mark L. Edelman, of Missouri, to be Deputy Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

James R. Thompson, Jr., of Alabama, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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Impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: The Chair submitted to the Senate for printing in the Senate Journal and in the Congressional Record the replication of the House of Representatives to the Answer of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., to the articles of impeachment against Judge Nixon, pursuant to S. Res. 127, 101st Congress, 1st sess., which replication was received by the Secretary of the Senate on June 12, 1989, and the Chair further noted for the Record the receipt by the Secretary of the Senate of the House of Representatives' Request for Discovery, which will be forwarded to the committee appointed under Rule 11 of the Rules of Procedure and Practice in the Senate When Sitting on Impeachment Trials.

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Appointment by the President pro tempore: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 99-624, appointed Senator Heinz to the Eisenhower Centennial Commission, vice Senator Armstrong, resigned.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—89)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:31 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Wednesday, June 14, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 11461.)

Committee Meetings

RURAL PARTNERSHIPS ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee began consideration of S. 1036, authorizing funds to improve the economic, community, and educational well-being of rural America, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed closed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on strategic programs, receiving

testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; and Gen. John T. Chain, USAF, CINCSAC.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, June 15.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on the Middle East, Pakistan, and Afghanistan, receiving testimony from Paul Hare, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Near East and South Asia; and Carol Adelman, Assistant Administrator for Asia and Near East, Agency for International Development.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, June 15.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence continued closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on strategic bomber and cruise missile programs, receiving testimony from John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; and Lt. Gen. Ronald W. Yates, Jr., USAF, Military Deputy to Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Thomas J. Murrin, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Heinz and Representative Coyne, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Wendell Willkie, General Counsel, Department of Commerce.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill to simplify section 89 non-discrimination rules applicable to certain employee benefit plans, and to authorize fund for child health/child care programs. As approved by the committee, the bill incorporates certain provisions of S. 1129.

COMMUTER TAX MORATORIUM

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 800, to provide for a moratorium on and study of certain State income tax provisions which affect non-residents, receiving testimony from Senators Lauten-

berg, Dodd, and Lieberman; New Jersey Governor Thomas H. Kean, Trenton; Connecticut Governor William A. O'Neill, Hartford; New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance James W. Wetzler, Albany; and Joseph C. Small, McCarter and English, Newark, New Jersey.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Melvyn Levitsky, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters, Jewel S. Lafontant, of Illinois, to be U.S. Coordinator for Refugee Affairs and Ambassador-at-Large, E. Patrick Coady, of Virginia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, and Fred M. Zeder II, of New York, to be President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Lafontant was introduced by Senator Dixon.

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE CORPS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice concluded hearings on S. 594, to establish an independent Administrative Law Judge Corps, after receiving testimony from Steven Richards Valentine, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice; Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner for Programs, and Irwin W. Coleman, Jr., Administrative Law Judge, Mobile, Alabama, on behalf of the Association of Administrative Law Judges, both of the Social Security Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Parlen L. McKenna, Chief Administrative Law Judge, Department of the Interior, on behalf of the Federal Administrative Law Judges Conference; Alan W. Heifetz, Chief Administrative Law Judge, Department of Housing and Urban Development, on behalf of the Forum of United States Administrative Law Judges; and John Vittone, American Bar Association, and John T. Miller, Jr., both of Washington, DC.

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION/STUDENT LOAN DEFAULT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts and Humanities held hearings on S. 695, to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements, and encouraging the study of science, mathematics, and engineering, and a proposal to reduce defaults in the Stafford Student Loan program, receiving testimony from Senator Glenn; Lauro F. Ca-

vazos, Secretary of Education; David Bennett, St. Paul Public Schools, St. Paul, Minnesota, on behalf of the Council of the Great City Schools; Larry McCully, El Dorado Unified School District, El Dorado, Kansas, on behalf of the National School Boards Association; Charles R. Thomas, North Chicago Elementary School District, North Chicago, Illinois, on behalf of the American Association of School Administrators; Ron Marec, Ohio Federation of Teachers, Cleveland, on behalf of the American Federation of Teachers; Sheila Gallagher, South Carolina Education Association, Columbia, on behalf of the National Education Association; Calvin W. Burnett, Coppin State College, Baltimore, Maryland, on behalf of the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education; James L. Flippin, Mississippi Guarantee Student Loan Agency, Jackson, on behalf of the National Council of Higher Education Loan Programs, Inc.; Frank Cammarata, Bank One, Merrillville, N.A., Merrillville, Indiana, on behalf of the Consumer Bankers Association; Terry Johnson, Lincoln Technical Institute, West Des Moines, Iowa, on behalf of the National Association of Trade and Technical Schools; David M. Irwin, Washington Friends of Higher Education, Seattle, on behalf of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities; and Herbert J. D'Arcy, Providence College, Providence, Rhode Island, on behalf of the National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FDA USER FEES ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings on the impact of proposed Food and Drug Administration (FDA) user fees on small business, after receiving testimony from James S. Benson, Acting Deputy Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; J. Bert Bunnell, Bunnell, Inc., Salt Lake City, Utah; Larry Blansett, Blansett Pharmacal, North Little Rock, Arkansas; David Holveck, Centocor, Malvern, Pennsylvania; George K. Meszaros, PolyChem, Inc., Kensington, Maryland, representing the Contact Lens Manufacturers Association; and Ralph Green, Collagen Biomedical, Palo Alto, California, representing the Dental Implant Manufacturers Association, Inc.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, June 15.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 2600-2626; 1 private bill, H.R. 2627; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 292-294, H. Con. Res. 150-152, and H. Res. 169-173 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2281, to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to extend the authorization for certain school dropout demonstration programs, amended (H. Rept. No. 101-82);

H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri, amended (H. Rept. No. 101-83);

H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, to designate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness, amended (H. Rept. No. 101-84); and

H. Res. 173, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies (H. Rept. No. 101-85).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

District of Columbia police department: H.R. 1502, amended, to authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policy system (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 289 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 82);

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Vietnamese reeducation camp detainees: S. Con. Res. 16, calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to expedite the release and emigration of "reeducation" camp detainees—clearing the measure;

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Agricultural yield reports: H.R. 2042, amended, to amend title V of the Agriculture Act of 1949 to allow producers to provide the appropriate county committees with actual yields for the 1989 and subsequent crop years. Agreed to amend the title;

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First refusal in farm sale or resale: H.R. 2469, amended, to limit a previous owner's right of first refusal in the case of fraud or resale for sales of farm property by the Farmers Home Administration and the Farm credit system; and

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School dropout demonstration programs: H.R. 2281, amended, to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to extend the authorization for certain school dropout demonstration programs.

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Dire Emergency Supplemental: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Yates, Obey, Roybal, Beville, Murtha, Traxler, Lehman of Florida, Dixon, Fazio, Hefner, Conte, McDade, Coughlin, Regula, Smith of Nebraska, Edwards of Oklahoma, Green, and Rogers.

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Agreed to the Conte motion to instruct the managers on the part of the House not to meet with the managers on the part of the Senate on other issues until resolution of supplemental funding for Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Care (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 395 yeas, Roll No. 83).

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Drug Abuse Treatment Technical Corrections: House agreed to Senate amendments Nos. 6 and 7; and disagreed to Senate amendments Nos. 1 through 5 and No. 8 to H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Printing: House agreed to the following resolutions authorizing printing:

H. Res. 136, authorizing the printing of the committee print entitled "The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988: A Guide to Programs for State and Local Anti-Drug Assistance" as a House document;

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H. Res. 156, authorizing the printing of the joint committee print entitled "The Education Deficit" as a House document;

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H. Con. Res. 150, authorizing the printing of a collection of statements in tribute to the late Representative Claude Denson Pepper; and

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S. Con. Res. 19, to authorize printing of a collection of the inaugural addresses of the Presidents of the United States.

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Agreed to the Bates amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Minimum Wage Veto Message: Received and read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-71).

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Agreed to the Hawkins motion that further consideration of the veto message be postponed until Wednesday, June 14.

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Baltic Freedom Day: House passed and cleared for the President, S.J. Res. 63, designating June 14, 1989, as "Baltic Freedom Day".

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Scleroderma Awareness Week: House passed H.J. Res. 274, to designate the week beginning June 11, 1989, as "National Scleroderma Awareness Week".

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Referrals: Thirty-one Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 11571, 11575. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 15.

SOYBEAN PROMOTION, RESEARCH AND CONSUMER INFORMATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat and Soybeans and Feed Grains approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2209, Soybean Promotion, Research and Consumer Information Act.

ECONOMIC DIVERSIFICATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on economic diversification legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mavroules, Gejdenson and Weiss; Robert Rauner, Director, Office of

Economic Adjustment, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT WAIVER PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1432, Age Discrimination in Employment Waiver Protection Act of 1989.

LABORATORIES ENGAGED IN DRUG TESTING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 33, to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish standards for the certification of laboratories engaged in drug testing. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Mason, Assistant Secretary, Health, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from Silvio D. DeBartolomeis, former General Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

In failing to respond to Subcommittee questions, Deborah Gore Dean, former Executive Assistant to the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, invoked constitutional privileges.

Hearings continue on June 20.

IS SCIENCE FOR SALE?

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on Is Science for Sale? Conflicts of Interest vs. The Public Interest. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Wyngaarden, Director, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; Erich Bloch, Director, NSF; and public witnesses.

BIG THICKET NATIONAL PRESERVE ADDITION ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 919, Big Thicket National Preserve Addition Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Wilson; Herb Cables, Deputy Director,

National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE DISCIPLINE AND CONDUCT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice continued hearings on H.R. 1620, Judicial Discipline and Impeachment Reform Act of 1989; and H.R. 1930, to amend section 371 of title 28, United States Code, to provide that justices and judges in senior status, in order to receive certain salary increases, be certified as having performed a certain amount of work each year. Testimony was heard from Thomas M. Boyd, Director, Office of Policy Development, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OVER TERRORISTS ACTS ABROAD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime continued oversight hearings on the enforcement of legislation enacted in 1986 relating to Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Over Terrorists Acts Abroad. Testimony was heard from Robert Oakley, U.S. Ambassador to Pakistan; and Richard Armitage, former Assistant Secretary, International Security Affairs, Department of Defense.

PICK-SLOAN MISSOURI BASIN PROGRAMS; REPORT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1031, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts; H.R. 1113, to authorize appropriations for the Office of Environment Quality for fiscal years 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993; to ensure consideration of the impact of major Federal actions on the global environment.

The Subcommittee also approved for full Committee action the following draft report entitled: "Inquiry Into Certain Management Practices of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service".

EFFECTS OF FEDERAL ETHICS RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on the effects of the Federal ethics restrictions on the recruitment and retention of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from Joseph Whitley, Acting Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; Bernard Ungar, Director Federal Human Resource Management Issues, General Government Division, GAO;

the following members of the Commission on Federal Ethics Law Reform: Judith Bello; and R. James Woolsey; Frank Q. Nebeker, Director, Office of Government Ethics, OPM; Carolyn Warner, member, Commission on the Public Service, Task Force on Public Perceptions of the Public Service; and public witnesses.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. The rule makes in order the text entitled "Committee Print, Committee on Rules, June 13, 1989" as an amendment in the nature of a substitute as original text to be considered as having been read. All points of order against the substitute are waived. The rule provides that the amendments printed in part one of the report accompanying this resolution are considered as having been adopted in the House and in the Committee on the Whole. The rule provides that no other amendment is in order except the amendments printed in part two of the report accompanying this resolution. The amendments are to be offered in the order and manner specified in the report and may be offered only by the member specified, or his designee. Debate time on each amendment is specified in the report. The amendments are not subject to amendment except as specified in the report. The amendments are not subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole, except for amendment No. 1 in part two of the report. All points of order are waived against the amendments. If more than one of the amendments on the subject of supervisory goodwill is adopted, only the last such amendment which is adopted shall be considered as finally adopted and reported back to the House. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

Will continue tomorrow.

REVISE CIVIL PENALTIES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2528, to revise the civil penalty provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures approved for full Committee action budget reconciliation recommendations.

STEEL IMPORT STABILIZATION EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on H.R. 904, Steel Import Stabilization Extension Act, and other proposals related to the Steel VRA Program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Michel, Murtha, Regula and Gaydos; Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, International Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 15.

INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT TO NET ASSESSMENT

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Intelligence Support to Net Assessment. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

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Wednesday, June 14, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Seventeen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1174-1190, and S. Con. Res. 44.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1185, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit for health insurance premium costs, to make the credit for dependent care refundable, to simplify the antidiscrimination rules applicable to certain employee benefits. (S. Rept. No. 101-51)

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Measures Passed:

Expressing Respect for the Martyrs of Hungarian Revolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 44, to express the sense of the Congress concerning the funeral of Imre Nagy, the former Prime Minister of Hungary, and other heroes of the 1956 revolution in Hungary.

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Transfer of Naval Vessel: Senate passed S. 1184, to allow the obsolete destroyer U.S.S. *Edson* (DD 946) to be transferred to the Intrepid Sea-Air-Space

Museum in New York before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period.

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Coquille Tribe/Federal Trust Relationship: Senate passed H.R. 881, to provide for restoration of the Federal trust relationship with, and assistance to, the Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians.

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National Scleroderma Awareness Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 274, to designate the week beginning June 11, 1989, as "National Scleroderma Awareness Week".

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Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act: By 82 yeas to 17 nays (Vote No. 91), Senate passed H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act, after taking action on an additional amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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Rejected:

Bradley Amendment No. 195, to state that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission may require, by rule or order, any interstate pipeline to transport natural gas. (By 55 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 90), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Johnston, Bumpers, Ford, McClure, and Domenici.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 89 yeas to 10 nays (Vote No. 92), Richard Reeves Burt, of Arizona, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of Delegation on Nuclear and Space Talks and Chief Negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START).

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John D. Negroponte, of New York, to be Ambassador to Mexico.

Dale Triber Tate, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Kathleen M. Harrington, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

John Hubert Kelly, of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Jennifer Lynn Dorn, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Robert P. Davis, of Virginia, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the Governing International Fishery Agreement between the United States and the Home Government of the Faroe Islands and the Government of Denmark; which was jointly referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-50).

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—92)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and recessed at 6:57 p.m., until 1:30 p.m., on Thursday, June 15, 1989.

Committee Meetings

RURAL PARTNERSHIPS ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported, with an amendment, in the nature of a substitute, S. 1036, authorizing funds to improve the economic, community, and educational well-being of rural America. (As approved by the Committee, the bill incorporates provisions of related measures, including S. 759, S. 862, S. 973, S. 998, S. 1008, S. 1017, S. 1019, S. 1023, S. 1024, S. 1027, S. 1028, S. 1029, and S. 1030.)

AUTHORIZATIONS—WIC/CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Nutrition and Investigations held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program and child nutrition programs, receiving testimony from Senator Sasser; Scott G. Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, Depart-

ment of Agriculture; William Gahr, Associate Director, and Robert Robertson and Harry Wolfe, both Evaluators, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, all of the General Accounting Office; Beverly Lowe, Mary Klatko, and Annette Bomar, all of the American School Food Service Association, Memphis, Tennessee; Victor Sidel, Albert Einstein School of Medicine, New York, New York; Carolyn Brown, Minnesota Department of Education, St. Paul; Kathy Pool, Minnesota Licensed Family Child Care Association, Dassel; Ellen Thompson, National Association of State Net Program Coordinators, Burlington, Vermont; and Jonathan Kotch, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the balanced technology initiative and international armaments cooperation, receiving testimony from Robert C. Duncan, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, and James M. Compton, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Industrial and International Programs, both of the Department of Defense.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence continued open and closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on NATO nuclear deterrence, receiving testimony from Robert G. Joseph, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear Forces and Arms Control Policy; Lt. Gen. E.S. Leland, Jr., USA, Chief of Staff, U.S. European Command; Brig. Gen. William S. Chen, USA, Assistant Deputy for Systems Management to the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Research, Development and Acquisition; Paul H. Nitze, former Special Advisor to President Reagan for Arms Control Matters; and William Van Cleave, Hoover Institution, Stanford University; Stanford, California.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

GLOBALIZATION OF SECURITIES MARKETS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities resumed hearings on S. 646, to strengthen international cooperation in the enforcement of securities laws, and to review America's world financial trading status, receiving testi-

mony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and John G. Heimann, Merrill Lynch Capital Markets, Robert D. Hormats, Goldman, Sachs International, and Alan S. MacDonald, North American Investment Bank, Citicorp, all of New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of James B. Busey IV, of Illinois, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators McCain, Simon, and Dixon, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

MEDIA OWNERSHIP

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on the diversity and concentration of media ownership, receiving testimony from Senator Metzenbaum; John Malone, TeleCommunications Inc., Denver, Colorado; Fred Paxton, WPSD TV, Paducah, Kentucky; Ben H. Bagdikian, University of California, Berkeley; Michael Salinger, Columbia University, New York, New York; and Barry R. Litman, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 21.

DOE FUSION PROGRAM

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held oversight hearings on the Department of Energy's program of research, development and demonstration for the production of energy from thermonuclear fusion, and on related provisions of S. 964, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for civilian energy programs of the Department of Energy, receiving testimony from Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Energy for Energy Research; David E. Baldwin, University of Texas, Austin, and Kim Molvig, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, both on behalf of the Department of Energy's Magnetic Fusion Advisory Committee; Daniel A. Dreyfus, Gas Research Institute, Washington, D.C., and Peter L. Auer, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, both on behalf of the National Research Council's Magnetic Fusion Advisory Committee; Harold P. Furth, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey; and David Overskei, General Atomics, San Diego, California.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

TRADE ACT/SUPER 301 AND SPECIAL 301 PROVISIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed oversight hearings on the implementation of the Omnibus

Trade and Competitiveness Act (P.L. 100-418), focusing on Super 301 provisions, to require the U.S. Trade Representative to identify the trade liberalization priorities of the United States, including priority foreign countries and priority practices, and the Special 301 provisions, to require the U.S. Trade Representative to identify countries that deny adequate and effective protection of intellectual property rights, receiving testimony from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed consideration of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 110, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990-1992 for family planning programs as contained in title X of the Public Health Service Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 120, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990-1992 for adolescent family life demonstration projects, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 54, to prohibit unsupervised waivers of the rights provided to older workers under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Dale Triber Tate, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, Kathleen M. Harrington, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, Jennifer Lynn Dorn, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, Robert P. Davis, of Virginia, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor, and routine nominations in the Public Health Service Corps.

VOTER REGISTRATION

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 874, to establish national voter registration procedures for Presidential and Congressional elections.

CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN FINANCING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings on S. 7, S. 56, S. 137, S. 242, S.

330, S. 332, S. 359, and S. 597, bills to provide for spending limits and public financing for Federal elections, after receiving testimony from Senators Hollings and Specter; James T. Christy and Steven F. Stockmeyer, both on behalf of the National Association of Business Political Action Committees, and Barry W. Lynn, American Civil Liberties Union, all of Washington, DC; Michael D. Brown and David A. Stewart, both of the Coalition to End the Permanent Congress, North Kansas City, Missouri; and Randall Kehler, Study Group on Electoral Democracy, Deerfield, Massachusetts.

VA MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on Sections 201, 202, 203, and 204, provisions relating to post-traumatic stress disorder treatment and research, and Amendment No. 124, to require VA to conduct a 5-year pilot program to encourage and establish non-profit corporations which VA would contract to run compensated work therapy programs in conjunction with therapeutic residences, of S. 13 (Veterans Benefits and Health Care Act), S. 86, to provide for the establishment of mental illness research, education, and clinical centers, S. 192, to require VA to conduct a study of postwar psychological problems among certain minority veteran populations, S. 405, to provide for a three-year extension of VA's program of community-based residential treatment for homeless chronically mentally ill veterans, and S. 846, to improve the compensated work therapy and other services and assistance furnished to homeless veterans, after receiving testimony from John A. Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, and Paul Errera, Director, Mental Health and Behavioral Sciences Service, and Arthur Blank, Director, Readjustment Counseling Service, both of the Veterans Health Services and Research Administration, and Ralph J. Ibson, Deputy Assistant General Counsel, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs; Kenneth A. Klauck, Clement J. Zablocki VA Medical Center, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on behalf of the American Psychological Association and the Association of VA Chief Psychologists; and Spencer Falcon, American Psychiatric Association, on behalf of the National Association of VA Chiefs of Psychiatry, Samuel J. Walsh, The American Legion, James N. Magill, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, David W. Gorman, Disabled American Veterans, Frank R. DeGeorge, Paralyzed Veterans of America, and Thomas A. Sherwood, Vietnam Veterans of America, all of Washington, DC.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 2628–2651; 1 private bill, H.R. 2652; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 295, and H. Res 174–176 were introduced.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 303 yeas to 104 nays, Roll No. 84, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, June 13.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 174, electing Representative Slaughter of New York to the Committee on Rules

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Speaker's Funds: House agreed to H. Res. 175, providing funds for the Office of the Speaker.

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House Mailing Standards: The Speaker appointed as members of the House Commission on Congressional Mailing Standards the following Members of the House: Representatives Udall (Chairman), Solarz, Ford of Michigan, Frenzel, Lewis of California, and Young of Alaska.

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Minimum Wage Veto: By a yea-and-nay vote of 247 yeas to 178 nays, Roll No. 86 (two-thirds of those present not voting in favor), the House voted to sustain the President's veto of H.R. 2, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate.

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Subsequently, the Presidential veto message and the measure were referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Financial Institutions Reform: House completed all general debate on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will begin on Thursday, June 15.

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H. Res. 173, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 330 yeas to 95 nays, Roll No. 85.

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Presidential Message—U.S.-Faroe Islands Fishery Agreement: Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits the Governing International Fishery Agreement between the Government of the United States of America of the one part and the Home Government of the Faroe Is-

lands and the Government of Denmark of the other part Concerning Faroese Fishing in Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-72).

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit on Thursday, June 15, during proceedings of the House.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 11747, 11765, 11776. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 1 p.m. and adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD SAFETY ISSUES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing to review food safety issues. Testimony was heard from Jack Parnell, Deputy Secretary, USDA; and John A. Moore, Assistant Administrator, Pesticides and Toxic Substances, EPA.

USDA'S EXPORT CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco and Peanuts continued hearings to review the USDA's export credit guarantee program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Christopher Goldthwait, Acting General Sales Manager and Assistant Administrator, Export Credits, Foreign Agricultural Service; Dallas R. Smith, Director, Tobacco and Peanuts Division, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; and James R. Ebbitt, Assistant Inspector General, Audit, Office of Inspector General; and Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, International Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, GAO.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development approved for full Committee action the Energy and Water Development appropriations for fiscal year 1990.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance continued hearings to review the modification of Final Judgement and its effect on the Information Services Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 21.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Concluded markup of Foreign Assistance legislation for fiscal year 1990-1991.

COPING WITH AIDS IN AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on Coping with AIDS in Africa: Three Years into the W.H.O. Global Program on AIDS. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jonathan Mann, Director, Global Program on AIDS, World Health Organization; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENTS IN AFGHANISTAN AND THE IMPLICATIONS FOR U.S. POLICY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Developments in Afghanistan and Their Implications for U.S. Policy. Testimony was heard from Senator Humphrey; Howard Schaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asia Affairs, Department of State; Edward W. Gnehm, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asia Affairs, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

U.S.-SOVIET TRADE RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on U.S.-Soviet Trade Relations. Testimony was heard from Senator DeConcini; Representative Pease; and public witnesses.

BRINGING THE INFORMATION AGE TO RURAL AMERICA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture held a hearing on Bringing the Information Age to Rural America. Testimony was heard from Boyce Griffith, Chairman, Public Service Commission, State of West Virginia; and public witnesses.

BUDGETARY TREATMENT OF POSTAL SERVICE FUND

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security approved for full Committee action H.R. 982, Postal Reorganization Act Amendments of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Anthony M. Frank, Postmaster General, U.S. Postal Service; and public witnesses.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, functions, and activities of the

Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992 and 1993.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on H.R. 2138, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the application of employer sanctions to longshore work. Testimony was heard from Richard E. Norton, Associate Commissioner for Examinations, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

VETERANS LEGISLATION; BOARD OF VETERANS APPEALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove a limitation relating to the payment of pension to veterans furnished hospital care by the Veterans Administration on a long-term basis; and H.R. 1336, to amend title 38, United States Code, to reduce from 2 years to 1 year the period of time that a surviving spouse must have been married to a veteran who dies while in receipt of compensation for a service-connected disability in order for the surviving spouse to be eligible for dependency and indemnity compensation.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the Board of Veterans Appeals. Testimony was heard from Kenneth E. Eaton, Chairman, Board of Veterans' Appeals, Department of Veterans Affairs; and representatives of veterans organizations.

RECONCILIATION LEGISLATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

Will continue tomorrow.

EMPLOYER-SPONSORED RETIREE HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on Employer-Sponsored Retiree Health Insurance. Testimony was heard from Kenneth Gideon, Assistant Secretary, Office of Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Ann Combs, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits, Department of Labor; Lawrence H. Thompson, Assistant Comptroller General, Human Resources Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security approved for full Committee action on budget reconciliation recommendations.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; TARIFF BILLS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 2550, Democracy in Eastern Europe Act of 1989; H.R. 1594, amended to extend nondiscrimination treatment to the products of the Peoples' Republic of Hungary for 5 years; and noncontroversial miscellaneous tariff bills.

Joint Meeting

DIRE EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Thursday, June 15, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1191-1195, S. Res. 145 and 146, S.J. Res. 157, and S. Con. Res. 45 and 46.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 633, to promote the development of technologies which will enable fuel cells to use alternative fuel sources. (S. Rept. No. 101-52)

S. 634, to develop a national policy for the utilization of fuel cell technology. (S. Rept. No. 101-53)

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Measures Passed:

Commending the NCAA Baseball Champions: Senate agreed to S. Res. 145, congratulating the Wichita State University on winning the 1989 NCAA Baseball Championship.

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Printing Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 146, authorizing the printing of additional copies of a compilation containing the eulogies of the late Senator Warren G. Magnuson.

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Transfer of Excess Naval Vessels: Committee on Armed Services was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2344, to authorize the transfer to the Republic of the Philippines of two excess naval vessels, and the bill was then passed.

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate began consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of child care, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Pending:

Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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Withdrawn:

Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill, and the pending amendment thereto, on Friday, June 16.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Frederick Morris Bush, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Luxembourg.

Chas. W. Freeman, Jr., of Rhode Island, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

Stella Garcia Guerra, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Edward T. Timperlake, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans' Affairs (Congressional and Public Affairs).

Raoul Lord Carroll, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel, Department of Veterans' Affairs.

Two Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Janet J. McCoy, of Oregon, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the proposed Comprehensive Violent Crime Act of 1989; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (PM-51)

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Recess: Senate convened at 1:30 p.m., and recessed at 6:29 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, June 16, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 11950.)

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—WIC/CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Nutrition and Investigations concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program and child nutrition programs, after receiving testimony from David Heppel, Director, Maternal, Child, and Infant Health Division, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; Loren Bell, National Association of WIC Directors, Olympia, Washington; Dennis Bach, Iowa Department of Public Health, Des Moines; Richard Blount, Missouri Department of Public Health, Jefferson City; Minda Lazarov, Tennessee Department of Health and Environment, Nashville; Connie Weaver, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana; Suzanne Hendrich, Iowa State University, Ames; and Edward Cooney, Food Research and Action Center, and Robert Greenstein, Center for Budget and Policy Priorities, both of Washington, DC.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense resumed closed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, focusing on classified programs, receiving testimony from John J. Welch, Jr., Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; Michael Griffin, Deputy Director for Technology, Strategic Defense Initiative Organization; Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Moorman, USAF, Director, Space and SDI Programs; and Thomas Quinn, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on multilateral development banks, including World Bank, International Development Association, International Finance Corporation, International Monetary Fund, and Multilateral Investment Guaranty Agency, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 20.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on programs recommended for termination, and to review budget authority and outlay estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense and Congressional Budget Office, after receiving testimony from Donald J. Atwood, Deputy Secretary of Defense; David S.C. Chu, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Program Analysis and Evaluation; and Sean O'Keefe, Comptroller, Department of Defense.

AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence concluded closed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the Strategic Defense Initiative, after receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; Gen. Robert T. Herres, USAF, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; Gen. John L. Piotrowski, USAF, Commander in Chief, U.S. Space Command; and Lt. Gen. George L. Monahan, USAF, Director, Strategic Defense Initiative Organization.

GLOBALIZATION OF SECURITIES MARKETS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities resumed hearings on S. 646, to strengthen international cooperation in the enforcement of securities laws, and to review America's world financial trading status, receiving testimony from David S. Ruder, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; Rt. Hon. Lord Camoys, London, England, on behalf of the Barclays de Zoete Wedd Holdings Limited, (Barclays Bank PLC); and Stephen H. Axilrod, Nikko Securities Co. International Inc., and John M. Hennessy, CS First Boston, Inc., both of New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Jeffrey N. Shane, of the District of Columbia, and Kate Leader Moore, of the District of Columbia, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on S. 561, to require mandatory random drug and alcohol testing for transportation employees, receiving testimony from Senator Wilson; Representative Luken; Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Arthur W. Johnson and Roger Horn, both of Safe Travel America, Potomac, Maryland; Richard E. Briggs, Association of American Railroads, Jerry T. Verkler, Interstate Natural Gas Association of America, Lawrence M. Mann, Railway Labor Executives' Association, Fred A. Hardin, United Transportation Union, Richard B. Stone, Air Line Pilots Association, Karl M. Landgrebe, National Marine Engineers Beneficial Association, and Michael O'Connell, Owner-Operators Independent Drivers Association, all of Washington, DC.; William R. Ward, American Trucking Associations, Inc., and Gene S. Berghoffen, National Private Truck Council, both of Alexandria, Virginia; and Joseph Farrell, American Waterway Operators, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSERVATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held hearings on S. 488, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies, proposed budget request for fiscal year 1990 for conservation and renewable energy programs of the Department of Energy, and related provisions S. 964, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for civilian energy programs of the Department of Energy, receiving testimony from Senator Fowler; John R. Berg, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Conservation and Renewable Energy; James Wolf, Alliance to Save Energy, and Scott Sklar, Solar Energy Industries Association, both of Washington, DC; Dan Seligman, American Wind Energy Association, Arlington, Virginia; Robert E. Chaney, EG&G Energy Systems—Idaho, Idaho Falls; and Terry Q. Alarcon, on behalf of the Mayor of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, July 11.

SUPERFUND PROGRAM

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection held oversight hearings on the Environmental Protection Agency's management of the superfund program, receiving testimony from Richard L. Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; William K. Reilly, Administrator, Jon Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response, and Lou Crampton, Special Assistant to the Administrator and Superfund Task Force Leader, all of the Environmental Protection Agency; and Richard C. Fortuna, Hazardous Waste Treatment Council, Donald S. Strait, Natural Resources Defense Council, George L. Gleason, Hazardous Waste Action Coalition, and William C. Child, Association of State and Territorial Solid Waste Management Officials, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Donald Phinney Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

ALCOHOL ABUSE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the recent proceedings of the Surgeon General's Workshop on Drunk Driving, focusing on recommendations to reduce the incidence of alcohol-related accidents and to increase the public awareness of the dangers of alcohol abuse, receiving testimony from C. Everett Koop, Surgeon General of the United States; William Scott, Director, Office of Alcohol and State Programs, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; Dan E. Beauchamp, New York State Department of Health, Albany, on behalf of the American Public Health Association; and Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, James C. Sanders, Beer Institute, and Douglas W. Metz, Wine and Spirits Wholesalers of America, Inc., all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 21.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of James Franklin Rill, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, after the nominee, who was introduced by Representative Byron, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

IMMIGRATION REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Refugee Affairs concluded hearings on proposed legislation to modify immigration and naturalization requirements, after receiving testimony from Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Elliott Barkan, California State University, San Bernardino; Harry Pachon, National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, Washington, DC; and Reed Ueda, Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts.

ACADEMIC RESEARCH FACILITIES

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on proposed authorizations for fiscal year 1990 for modernization of academic research facilities, receiving testimony from Sean Rush, Coopers and Lybrand, Boston, Massachusetts; Richard Traina, Clark University, Worcester, Massachusetts; Thomas Cole, Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia; Richard Wood, Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana; and Frederick Humphries, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, Tallahassee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, June 20.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 2653-2678; 1 private bill, H.R. 2679; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 296-297, H. Con. Res. 153-154, and H. Res. 177 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2539, to extend title I of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (H. Rept. 101-86);

H.R. 536, to amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, to allow claims against the United States under that chapter for damages arising from certain negligent medical care provided members of the Armed Forces, amended (H. Rept. 101-87); and

Report of the Committee on Foreign Affairs entitled "Allocation of Budget Totals Under the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 1990" (H. Rept. 101-88).

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Natural Gas Decontrol: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate well-head price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and make technical and conforming amendments to such Act; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Dingell, Sharp, Tauzin, Lent and Moorhead.

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Financial Institutions Reform: By a recorded vote of 320 ayes to 97 noes with 6 voting "present", Roll No. 95, the House passed H.R. 1278, to reform recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Agreed to the Leach of Iowa motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs with instructions to report it back forthwith containing amendments that empower the Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision to impose restrictions to address serious risk to financial safety of savings and loan companies; provide for administrative and judicial review of such directives; provide for certain conversion transactions during moratorium periods; address liability of savings association insurance and bank insurance members; and make certain other technical corrections (agreed to by a recorded vote of 412 ayes to 7 noes with 4 voting "present", Roll No. 94).

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order by the rule.

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Agreed to:

The Gonzalez en bloc amendment, as modified, that requires uniform personnel policies for the Federal agencies covered by the bill; gives the Farm Credit Administration the authority to adopt the same hiring, pay, and benefit practices as Federal bank regulatory agencies; makes a technical correction in a provision relating to Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation hearing procedures; strikes the moratorium on the FDIC's issuing "pass through" insurance on bank deposits by pension plans and requires a study of the issue; and indexes the \$300 million annual contribution the 12 Federal Home Loan Banks must make to defer the interest costs on REFCORP bonds to either inflation or the growth in bank earnings, but caps the total required contribution to \$600 million a year;

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The Barnard amendment that establishes two new regional offices of the Fraud Section of the Justice

Department's Criminal Division in Southern California and Northern Texas;

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The Annunzio amendment that authorizes civil penalties of up to \$1 million a day for certain criminal offenses involving financial institutions (agreed to by a recorded vote of 382 ayes to 41 noes with 5 voting "present", Roll No. 88);

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The Rostenkowski amendment that makes REFCORP an on-budget Government corporation that would borrow directly from the Treasury and exempts REFCORP's borrowing from Gramm-Rudman budget deficit calculations (agreed to by a recorded vote of 171 ayes to 256 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 90);

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The Gonzalez amendment that limits to \$50 billion the authority of the RTC to issue promissory notes and debt guarantees;

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The Kennedy amendment that requires Federal regulatory agencies to disclose the ratings and evaluations that they give to banks and thrifts regarding lending to the communities that they serve, and also requires mortgage lenders to disclose the number of applications they receive and approve by categories of race, income, and gender (agreed to by a recorded vote of 214 ayes to 200 noes with 5 voting "present", Roll No. 91);

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The Dorgan of North Dakota amendment that prohibits federally insured savings and loans institutions from acquiring or retaining so called "junk bonds" (agreed to by a recorded vote of 303 ayes and 114 noes with 4 voting "present", Roll No. 92);

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The Gonzalez amendment that strikes provisions that provide an exemption from liability requirements to the Frost National Bank of San Antonio, Texas; and

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The Hoagland amendment that grants the National Credit Union Administration the same authority granted to the FDIC in the following areas: managing, assets, collecting obligations and money due to the institution, determining whether to enforce or repudiate contracts, and resolving claims.

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Rejected:

The Hyde amendment that sought to allow the FDIC or the Office of Thrift Supervision to decide—on a case-by-case basis—whether or not the supervisory goodwill that a savings and loan institu-

tion carries on its books is based on a valid contract with the Government, and may therefore continue to be counted toward the thrift's capital requirements (rejected by a recorded vote of 94 ayes to 326 noes with 5 voting "present", Roll No. 87);

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The LaFalce substitute amendment to the Rostenkowski amendment that sought to make REFCORP an on-budget Government agency, but would eliminate the Gramm-Rudman exemption (rejected by a recorded vote of 171 ayes to 256 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 89); and

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The Bartlett amendment that sought to strike provisions requiring the 12 Federal Home Loan Banks to set aside funds for the Affordable Housing Program and the Community Investment Program (rejected by a recorded vote of 206 ayes to 208 noes with 6 voting "present", Roll No. 93).

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The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, cross-references, punctuation, and indentation, and to make any other technical and conforming changes necessary to reflect the actions of the House.

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Privileges of the House: House agreed to H. Res. 177, returning to the Senate S. 744, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of the Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Late Reports: Committee on Foreign Affairs received permission to have until midnight Saturday, June 17, to file a report on H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; and

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Conferees received permission to have until midnight Friday, June 16, to file a conference report on H.R. 2072, making dire and emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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House Office Building Commission: The Speaker appointed Representative Gephardt as a member of the House Office Building Commission, to serve with himself and Representative Michel.

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Resignation: Read a letter to the Speaker from Representative Coelho wherein he resigns as a member of the 101st Congress, effective June 15.

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Presidential Message—Violent Crime Control Act: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled the "Comprehensive Violent Crime Control Act of 1989"—referred to the Committee on Judiciary and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-73).

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Call—Votes: Nine recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 12078, 12090, 12108, 12108, 12120, 12127, 12138, 12164, 12166. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 20.

WORKFORCE 2000 ISSUES

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on the following: issue of workforce 2000; and H.R. 2235, Workforce 2000 Employment Readiness Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senator Simon; Janet Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; William E. Brock, former Secretary of Labor; and public witnesses.

ENERGY MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1216, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989; H.R. 1549, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Authorization Act for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; and H.R. 908, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Member Term Act of 1989.

FAMILY PLANNING REAUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 930, Family Planning Reauthorization Act of 1989, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Dr. James Mason, Assistant Secretary for Health,

Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Virginia Floyd, Director, Family Health Services Section, Department of Human Resources, State of Georgia; and public witnesses.

CABLE FOREIGN OWNERSHIP ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 2643, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit foreign ownership of cable television systems. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ACT; EXPORT ADMINISTRATION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2655, International Cooperation Act of 1989; and H.R. 2653, authorizing funds for the Department of Commerce Export Administration activities.

RECENT CHINA UPRISING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on The Role of the U.S. Embassy and the Voice of America in the Recent China Uprising. Testimony was heard from Representatives Solarz and Chandler; Richard C. Williams, Director, China Task Force, Director, Office of Chinese and Mongolian Affairs, U.S. Ambassador to Mongolia, and Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asia, Department of State; Richard W. Carlson, Director, Voice of America, U.S. Information Agency; and a public witness.

PROPOSAL TO DETAIL U.S. CAPITOL POLICE TO DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Personnel and Police held a hearing on the proposal to detail U.S. Capitol Police to the District of Columbia Police Force. Testimony was heard from Delegate Fauntroy; Isaac Fulwood, Jr., Assistant Chief of Police, Metropolitan Police Department, District of Columbia; Henry Giugni, Sergeant at Arms, U.S. Senate; Jack Russ, Sergeant at Arms, U.S. House of Representatives; and Frank Kerrigan, Chief of Police, U.S. Capitol Police.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1727, Everglades National Park Protection and Expansion Act of 1989; and H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board.

RICO REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime continued hearings on H.R. 1046, RICO Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TV VIOLENCE ACT; PRICE FIXING PREVENTION ACT; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1391, amended, Television Violence Act of 1989; and H.R. 1236, Price Fixing Prevention Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on interlocking directorates and increase in criminal penalties. Testimony was heard from Michael Boudin, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; Jeffrey I. Zuckerman, Director, Bureau of Competition, FTC; and public witnesses.

INTERMODAL SHIPPING ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 2498, Intermodal Shipping Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Heather J. Gradison, Chairman, ICC; James C. Carey, Acting Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; Karl Bakke, Chief Counsel, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

APPOINTMENT OF FAA ADMINISTRATOR

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on H.R. 2444, to provide for the appointment of Adm. James B. Busey as Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration. Testimony was heard from Galen J. Reser, Assistant Secretary, Government Affairs, Department of Transportation; and James B. Busey, Federal Aviation Administrator-Designate.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 88, to direct the Secretary of the Army to set aside an appropriate area within Arlington National Cemetery for the unmarked burial of cremated remains; and H.R. 537, to provide for the establishment of a memorial and museum on Federal land within the District of Columbia to honor members of the Armed Forces who served in World War II and to commemorate the U.S. participation in that conflict. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kaptur and Bennett; John S. Doyle, Jr., Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Civil Works, Department of the Army; Maj. Gen. A.J. Adams, U.S.A., Secretary, American

Battle Monuments Commission; representatives of veterans' organizations; and a public witness.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued markup of a budget reconciliation package.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources approved for full Committee action budget reconciliation recommendations.

STEEL IMPORT STABILIZATION EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade continued hearings on H.R. 904, Steel Import Stabilization Extension Act, and other proposals related to the steel VRA Program. Testimony was heard from Representative Visclosky; Allen I. Mendelowitz, Director, International Trade, Energy, and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Morris Morkre, Senior Economist, Bureau of Economics, FTC; and public witnesses.

CHILDREN AND GUNS

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Children and Guns". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HUNGER AND POVERTY AMONG SINGLE PERSONS

Select Committee on Hunger: Domestic Task Force held a hearing on "Hunger and Poverty Among Single Persons: Is There A Safety Net For Them?" Testimony was heard from Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DRUG-RELATED PROBLEMS IN PUBLIC HOUSING

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on Drug-Related Problems in Public Housing. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

SOCIAL SECURITY TRUST FUND SURPLUS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the economic and budgetary implications of the build-up of the Social Security trust fund, after receiving testimony from Robert M. Ball, former Commissioner of Social Security, Department of Health and Human Services; and John H. Makin, American Enterprise Institute, and Isabel

V. Sawhill, The Urban Institute, both of Washington, DC.

DIRE EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals and correcting enrollment errors for fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1196-1199, S. Res. 147-148, S.J. Res. 158, and S. Con. Res. 47.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 13, to amend Senate Resolution 28 to implement closed caption broadcasting for hearing-impaired individuals of floor proceedings of the Senate, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-54)

S. Res. 147, to authorize the Secretary of the Senate to discharge certain functions under chapter 37 of title 31, United States Code (relating to claims of or against the United States Government).

S. Res. 148, relating to the purchase of calendars.

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Measures Passed:

Printing Resolution: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 150, authorizing the printing of a collection of statements in tribute to the late Representative Claude Denson Pepper.

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate continued consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of child care.

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Pending:

Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and the pending amendment thereto, on Monday, June 19.

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 2:43 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Monday, June 19, 1989.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs resumed hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on rental assistance and public housing provisions, receiving testimony from Earl Phillips, Houston Housing Authority, Houston, Texas, and John A. McCauley, Housing Authority of Baltimore City, Baltimore, Maryland, both representing the Council of Large Public Housing Authorities; David Echols, Housing Authority of New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut, and John Van Ness, Housing Authority of Jefferson County, Louisville, Kentucky, both representing the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials; Floyd Carter, Raleigh Housing Authority, Raleigh, North Carolina, representing the Public Housing Authorities Directors Association; Michael A. Stegman, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Ella Thompson, William Penn Homes Tenant Association, Chester, Pennsylvania; Irene Johnson, LeClaire Courts Resident Management Corporation, Chicago, Illinois; Janet S. Charlton, Multifamily Asset Management, CRI, Inc., Rockville, Maryland, representing the National Leased Housing Association; John Simon, National Housing Conference, Washington, DC; and Clare McCulla, Legal Services of Northern Virginia, Alexandria.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 20.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Richard Harrison Truly, of Texas, to be Administrator, and James R. Thompson, Jr., of Alabama, to be Deputy Administrator, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Truly was introduced by Senators Garn and Lott, and Mr. Sompson was introduced by Senators Heflin and Shelby.

Also, committee concluded hearings on S. 1180, to authorize the President to appoint Rear Adm. Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after receiving testimony from Rear Adm. Richard H. Truly, Administrator-Designate, NASA.

CLEAN WATER

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded oversight hearings on the implementation of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments (P.L. 100-4), after receiving testimony from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Water, Environmental Protection Agency; Leslie Carothers, Connecticut State Department of Environmental Protection, Hartford; Robert Reich, Dupont Corporation, Wilmington, Delaware, representing the Water Pollution Control Federation; Jack Fickessen, Texas Water Control Board, Austin, representing the Council of Infrastructure Financing Authorities; and Alan Beals, National League of Cities, Robert Adler, Natural Resources Defense Council, William Norris, National Lake Management Society, Eric Draper, Clean Water Act Project, Ernest C. Shea, National Association of Conservation Districts, and Roberta J. Savage, Association of State and Interstate Water Pollution Control Administrators, all of Washington, DC.

PHYSICIAN PAYMENT REFORMS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Medicare and Long-Term Care resumed hearings to review physician payment reforms under the Medicare Program, focusing on the volume of physician services, receiving testimony from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; Louis B. Hays, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; John M. Eisenberg, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the Physician Payment Review Commission; Allan S. Detsky, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada; James S. Todd, American Medical Association, Chicago, Illinois; David G. Murray, American College of Surgeons, Syracuse, New York; Everett F. Bryant, Pennsylvania Blue Shield, Camp Hill; Michael Soper, CIGNA Health Plan, Hartford, Connecticut, on behalf of the Group Health Association of America; and Joseph F. Boyle, American Society of Internal Medicine, and Walter B. Maher, Chrysler Motors Corporation, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DOD WEAPONS TESTING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held

hearings to examine Department of Defense policy issues regarding operational weapons testing and contracting practices, receiving testimony from Frank C. Conahan, Director, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office; Derek J. Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General, and John E. Krings, Director, Office of the Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, both of the Department of Defense; Rear Adm. Edward W. Carter III, USN (Ret.), former Commander, Operational Test and Evaluation Force, and former Naval Inspector General; and Anthony Battista, former Senior Staff, House Committee on Armed Services' Subcommittee on Research and Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PAPERWORK REDUCTION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Paperwork Reduction Act, receiving testimony from Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget; Gary Bass, OMB Watch, David Doniger, Natural Resources Defense Council, James L. Martin, National Governors' Association, Mark Richardson, Business Council on the Reduction of Paperwork, and Richard M. Patterson, Dow Chemical, U.S.A., representing the National Association of Manufacturers, all of Washington, DC; Gerald Graff, Graff Flooring, Albuquerque, New Mexico, representing the American Subcontractors Association and the National Small Business United; and Carol Miller and Earl H. Hess, both of Lancaster Laboratories, Inc., Lancaster, Pennsylvania, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BAIL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded oversight hearings on the implementation of the Bail Reform Act of 1984 (P.L. 98-473), after receiving testimony from Anton Valukas, U.S. Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, Department of Justice; Arnold P. Jones, Director of Administration of Justice Issues, General Accounting Office; Judge Jon O. Newman, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, Hartford, Connecticut; Judge Edward R. Becker, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit; and David Reiser, Public Defender's Service, Washington, DC.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, June 19.

Committee Meetings

ENHANCING THE QUALITY OF HEALTH CARE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 2601, to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish an agency to be known as the Agency for Health Care Research and Policy and to amend title XI of the Social Security Act with respect to evaluations of the outcomes of health care services and procedures. Testimony was heard from Dr. James O. Mason, Assistant Secretary, Health, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

EMBEZZLEMENT OF HUD FORECLOSURE FUNDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on Embezzlement of HUD Foreclosure Funds. Testimony was heard from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Department of Housing and Urban Affairs; and Marilyn L. Harrell, former settlement agent under contract to the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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Measures Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1200-1201, and S. Con. Res. 48.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 358, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to change the level, and preference system for admission, of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-55)

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate continued consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of childcare, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Kerrey Amendment No. 198 (to Amendment No. 196), to provide that the chief executive officer of a State establish and appoint a State Child Care Board that shall serve as the lead agency for the State.

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Pending:

Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and proposed amendments thereto, on Tuesday, June 20.

Printing of Inaugural Addresses: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S. Con. Res. 19, to authorize printing of a collection of the inaugural addresses of the Presidents of the United States.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Andrew Camp Barrett, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission.

Routine list of Army nominations.

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Received on Friday, June 16, during the recess:

Luigi R. Einaudi, of Maryland, to be the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador.

Warren A. Lavorel, of California, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the United States Coordinator for Multilateral Trade Negotiations.

Stephen John Hadly, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Henry S. Rowen, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Margaret P. Currin, of North Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Thomas J. Duesterberg, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Brian W. Clymer, of Pennsylvania, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator.

J. Michael Davis, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Conservation and Renewable Energy).

Stephen A. Wakefield, of Texas, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

Sherrie Patrice Marshall, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 30, 1992.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations:

John R. Berg, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Conservation and Renewable Energy).

Francis S. Ruddy, of Texas, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 5:04 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 20, 1989.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL CREDIT ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit held oversight hearings on the implementation of the Agricultural Credit Act (P.L. 100-233), focusing on borrowers' rights and restructuring provisions, receiving testimony from Marvin R. Duncan, Acting Director, and Nancy E. Lynch, Associate General Counsel for Corporate Administrative Law, both of the Farm Credit Administration; Fred Colver, Lewistown, Montana, Member, Board of Directors, Federal Land Bank Association; James Massey, Farmers Legal Action Group, Sisters, Oregon; J.D. Woods, Jr., J.D. Woods, Jr. Interests, Inc., Katy, Texas; Floyd Neth, Daphne, Alabama; Joann Forseness, WIFE National Farm Credit Committee, Wolf Point, Montana; Pam Baldwin, Family Farm Coalition, Meridian, Idaho; Larry Koch, REW Enterprises, Inc., Jackson, Mississippi; Robert Van Winkle and Donald R. Rogge, both of the Farm Credit Bank of Texas, Austin; and Al Haslebacher, Spokane District Farm Credit Council, Spokane, Washington.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—U.S. COAST GUARD

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings in conjunction with

the National Ocean Policy Study on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the U.S. Coast Guard, after receiving testimony from Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation.

HEALTH INSURANCE FOR THE UNINSURED

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Health for Families and the Uninsured held hearings on proposals to provide universal access to health insurance for all Americans, receiving testimony from Senator Kennedy; Paul G. Rogers, Washington, DC, and Robert D. Ray, Des Moines, Iowa, both on behalf of the National Leadership Commission on Health Care; Rashi Fein, Harvard University School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts, on behalf of the Committee for National Health Insurance; C. Patrick Babcock, Michigan Department of Social Services, Lansing, on behalf of the Governor's Task Force on Access to Health Care; Bonnie D. Post, Maine Special Select Commission on Access to Health Care, Augusta, on behalf of the Main Ambulatory Care Coalition; and Lawrence S. Lewin, Lewin/ICF, and Carl J. Schramm, Health Insurance Association of America, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mark L. Edelman, of Missouri, to be Deputy Administrator of the Agency for International Development, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Danforth and Bond, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FEDERAL JOB RECRUITING PRACTICES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings to examine the adequacy of Federal recruitment policies and practices, receiving testimony from J.D. Walt, Dumas, Arkansas, Rebecca Slaven and Mary McLeod, both of Little Rock, Arkansas, and Libby Schnipper, Hot Springs, Arkansas, all with the Committee on Governmental Affairs; Constance Berry Newman, Director, and Curtis J. Smith, Associate Director, Career Entry and Employee Development Group, both of the Office of Personnel Management; Rosslyn A. Kleeman, Senior Associate Director, General Accounting Office; Paul T. Weiss, Associate Administrator for Administration, and Sally Kraus Marshall, Director of Personnel, both of the General Services Administration; P.L. Schittulli, Director of Civilian Person-

nel, and Richard E. Endres, Chief, Staffing, EEO, and Employee Development Division, both of Headquarters, U.S. Air Force; and Patricia W. Ingraham, National Commission on the Public Service, Robert M. Tobias, National Treasury Employees Union, Steven M. Kreisberg, National Federation of Federal Employees, and John Sturdivant, American Federation of Government Employees, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 2680-2682; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 298 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101-89);

H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, and to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (H. Rept. 101-90; foregoing filed on June 16); and H.R. 2467, entitled the "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act", amended (H. Rept. 101-91).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Bevill to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12504-12593

Measures Introduced: Ten bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1202-1211, and S.J. Res. 159 and 160.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1077, to authorize the President to appoint Admiral James B. Busey to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration. (S. Rept. No. 101-56)

S. 1180, to authorize the President to appoint Rear Admiral Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. (S. Rept. No. 101-57)

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Measures Passed:

U.S. Government Claims: Senate agreed to S. Res. 147, authorizing the Secretary of the Senate to discharge certain functions under chapter 37 of title 31, United States Code (relating to claims of or against the United States Government).

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Purchase of Historical Calendars: Senate agreed to S. Res. 148, relating to the purchase of "We The People" historical calendars.

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate continued consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of childcare, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Pryor Amendment No. 200 (to Amendment No. 196), to define the term "eligible child" as an individual who is less than 13 years of age.

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Pending;

Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and proposed amendments thereto, on Wednesday, June 21.

Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

C. Howard Wilkins, Jr., of Kansas, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the United Nations

Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Treaty Doc. No. 101-4). The Treaty was transmitted to the Senate on Monday, June 19, 1989, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and was ordered to be printed.

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Appointment:

U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: The Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-204, announced the appointment of Senator Kassebaum to the U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations.

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:24 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, June 21, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 12593.)

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings to review mechanisms for establishing priorities in agricultural research programs, receiving testimony from Charles E. Hess, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Science and Education; Michael J. Phillips, Senior Associate, Food and Renewable Resources Program, Office of Technology Assessment; John W. Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; William E. Marshall, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., Des Moines, Iowa; Charles Benbrook, National Research Council, Washington, DC; Alice Pell, University of Vermont, Burlington; and Chip Morgan, Delta Council, Stoneville, Mississippi.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in closed session to discuss defense intelligence matters.

Also, committee resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Girard Seitter, USA, Commanding General, Tripler Army Medical Center (Hawaii); and Col. John Leddy, USA, Chief of Army Optometry.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, June 22.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the university research program, receiving testimony from Robert C. Duncan, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; Frank Press, President, National Academy of Sciences; and Joseph B. Wyatt, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs resumed hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on low-income housing preservation provisions, receiving testimony from Martin Levine, Vice-President for Low and Moderate Income Housing, Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae); Marilyn Melkonian, Telesis Corporation, Sara E. Johnson, National Housing Trust, Lawrence Simons, Powell, Goldstein, Frazer & Murphy, Charles L. Edson, Kelley, Drye & Warren, Roberta Youmans, National Housing Law Project, Larry Yates, National Anti-Displacement Project, and Conrad E. Egan, National Corporation for Housing Partnerships, all of Washington, DC; A. Bruce Rozet, Associated Financial Corporation, Santa Monica, California; Daniel B. Grady, Monfric, Inc., San Diego, California; Marvin Siflinger, Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency, and Emily P. Achtenberg, both of Boston, Massachusetts; Jacqueline Rogers, Maryland State Department of Housing and Community Development, Annapolis; Eugene J. Burger, Eugene Burger Management Corporation, Greenbrae, California, on behalf of the National Association of Realtors; Brenda Torpy, Northgate Non-profit, Burlington, Vermont; Dale C. Landon, Landon Properties Incorporated, Walnut Creek, California; Barbara H. Percy, Hillvale ACORN Tenants Association, St. Louis, Missouri; and John Koelemij, Orange State Construction Company, Tallahassee, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Richard Harrison Truly, of Texas, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, James R. Thompson, Jr., of Alabama, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Thomas Joseph Murrin, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce, James Buchanan Busey IV, of Illinois, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, Jeffrey Neil Shane, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Policy and International Affairs, Kate Leader Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Budget and Programs, Susan Carol Schwab, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States Foreign Commercial Service, Fred S. Golove of the United States Coast Guard Reserve for appointment to the grade of Rear Admiral, and a routine list of Coast Guard nominations;

An original bill to enhance the navigation safety of oil tankers;

S. 916, authorizing \$13.274 billion for fiscal year 1990 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 819, to strengthen the enforcement of motor carrier safety laws, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 1486, authorizing funds for the Maritime Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 840, authorizing \$16,350,000 for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission;

S. 890, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *HMS Discovery*;

S. 904, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel the *African Queen*;

S. 1148, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel *M/V Northern Victor*;

S. 1152, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel *American Empire*, with an amendment;

S. 1172, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Papa Joe*;

H.R. 968, to allow Federal reimbursement for certain noise abatement expenditures incurred by local jurisdictions;

S. 1077, to authorize the President to appoint Admiral James B. Busey to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration; and

S. 1180, to authorize the President to appoint Rear Admiral Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK PROTECTION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on S. 724, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park in Florida and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural resources within the park, after receiving testimony from Senator Graham; John M. Morehead, Associate Director for Operations, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Manley K. Fuller III, Florida Wildlife Federation, Tallahassee; James Garner, South Florida Water Management District, West Palm Beach; Cynthia Lenhart, Everglades Coalition, Washington, DC; and Anthony J. Clemente, Metropolitan Dade County, James D. Webb, The Wilderness Society, James Humble, South Dade Land Corporation, Dave Balman, Everglades Coordinating Council, and Jill Whittaker Hoog, all of Miami, Florida.

CHILD HEALTH CARE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on proposals to improve health care coverage for children under the Medicaid and Maternal Child Health Services Block Grant programs, receiving testimony from Louis B. Hays, Acting Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; William Gadsby, Director, Intergovernmental and Management Issues, Human Resources Division, David Bellis, Project Manager, and Robert F. Derkits, Evaluator-in-Charge, all of the General Accounting Office; former U.S. Senator Lawton Chiles, Tallahassee, Florida, on behalf of the National Commission to Prevent Infant Mortality; George D. Farr, Children's Medical Center of Dallas, Texas, on behalf of the National Association of Children's Hospitals and Related Institutions, Inc.; Richard H. Schwarz, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, New York, New York; Richard Nelson, University of Iowa, Ames, on behalf of the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs; Aaron J. Johnson, Georgia Department of Medical Assistance, Atlanta; and Donald Schiff, American Academy of Pediatrics, Kay A. Johnson, Children's Defense Fund, and Raymond C. Scheppack, representing the National Governor's Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Donald Phinney Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea, Thomas Michael Tolliver Niles, of the District of Columbia, to be the U.S. Representative to the European Communities, with the rank and status of Ambassador, Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Turkey, Edward N. Ney, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada, C. Howard Wilkins, Jr., of Kansas, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, Richard H. Solomon, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for East Asia and Pacific Affairs, Robert D. Orr, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore, Melvyn Levitsky, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters, Jewel S. Lafontant, of Illinois, to be U.S. Coordinator for Refugee Affairs and Ambassador-at-Large while serving in this position, E. Patrick Coady, of Virginia, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Mark L. Edelman, of Missouri, to be U.S. Deputy Administrator of the Agency for International Development, and Fred M. Zeder II, of New York, to be President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the future of U.S.-Soviet relations, focusing on the President's recent trip to Europe, after receiving testimony from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

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Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks held hearings on S. 1198, to provide certain rights of attribution and integrity to authors of visual art works, receiving testimony from Edward Damich, George Mason University Law School, Arlington, Virginia; Robert Gorman, University of Pennsylvania Law School, Philadelphia; Jack Brown, Brown and Bain, Phoenix, Arizona; Mark Wilson, Nelson Atkins Museum, Kansas City, Missouri; Linda Crawley, La Jolla, California; and Tom Van Sant, Santa Monica, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Eddie F. Brown, of Arizona, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mr. Brown, after the

nominee, who was introduced by Senators DeConcini, McCain, and Representative Rhodes, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Arcadio Gastelum, Pascua Yaqui Tribe, Tucson, Arizona.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, June 22.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 2683–2695; and 3 resolutions, H. Res. 178–180 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2550, to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland and Hungary to encourage the process of democratic reforms in those countries; amended (H. Rept. 101–92);

Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs entitled "Report Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974" (H. Rept. 101–93);

H. Res. 179, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, and to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (H. Rept. 101–94);

H. Res. 180, waiving certain points of order against the conference report and any amendments reported from conference in disagreement on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101–95); and

H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–96).

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Energy policy and conservation: H.R. 2539, to extend title I of the Energy Policy Conservation Act. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 694, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill;

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Nevada Federal lands: H.R. 1485, amended, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada, for national defense. Agreed to amend the title;

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White Haven historic site: H.R. 1529, amended, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. Agreed to amend the title;

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Childhood immunization: H. Res. 120, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives in support of actions to eliminate preventable deaths and disabling illness, especially among children, through intensified international collaboration to attain the United Nations goals of Universal Childhood Immunization by 1990 and Health for All by the Year 2000, and through the convening of a World Summit on Children; and

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Democratic reforms in Poland and Hungary: H.R. 2550, amended, to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland and Hungary to encourage the process of democratic reforms in those countries.

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Bastille Day Bicentennial: House passed H.J. Res. 298, designating July 14, 1989, as "National Day to Commemorate the Bastille Day Bicentennial".

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Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 40, to designate June 21, 1989, as Chaney, Goodman, and Schwerner Day—clearing the measure.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings on rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 22.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATION; BUDGET ALLOCATION

Committee on Appropriation: Ordered reported the Energy and Water Development appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

The Committee also approved section 302(b) budget allocation report.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior approved for full Committee action the fiscal year 1990 Interior appropriation bill.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems agreed to the Chairman's motion to approve the requested dollar levels for the programs in the procurement portion of the defense authorization.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness met in executive session and approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials met in executive session and approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization concluded hearings on H.R. 486, Defense Production Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Joan McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Commerce; Richard E. Donnelly, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary (Manufacturing and Industries Programs), Department of Defense; and George Woloshyn, Associate Director, National Preparedness Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency.

HUMAN RIGHTS AND MULTILATERAL AID TO CHINA AND SOMALIA

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on Human Rights and Multilateral Aid to China and Somalia. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INCARCERATION FOR CIVIL CONTEMPT IN A CHILD CUSTODY CASE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case.

INCARCERATION FOR CIVIL CONTEMPT IN A CHILD CUSTODY CASE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case.

CHILD NUTRITION ACT AND NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such acts through the fiscal year 1995.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities; H.R. 908, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Member Term Act of 1989; and H.R. 1396, International Securities Enforcement Cooperation Act of 1989.

INTERNATIONAL PLUTONIUM CONTROL ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held a hearing on H.R. 2403, International Plutonium Control Act. Testimony was heard from Kathleen C. Bailey, Deputy Assistant Director, Bureau of Nuclear and Weapons Control, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Troy E. Wade, II, Acting Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; Brig. Gen. Robert E. Linhard, USAF, Deputy Director, Strategy and Policy, Joint Chiefs

of Staff, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

REPORT; MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved for full Committee action the following draft report: "Fire and Explosion in Kansas City: Lack of Information About Hazardous Materials Jeopardizes Firefighters".

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from Bruce Peterson, Mayor, Upper Deerfield Township, State of New Jersey; and a public witness.

Hearings continue June 22.

OVERSIGHT—RADON PROGRAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing on U.S. Geological Survey Radon Program. Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Richard J. Guimond, Director, Office of Radiation Programs, EPA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—OLD GROWTH FORESTS OF THE NORTHWEST

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands and the Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy of the Committee on Agriculture held a joint oversight hearing on Old Growth Forests of the Northwest. Testimony was heard from Representative Unsoeld; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 22.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1236, Price Fixing Prevention Act of 1989; H.R. 1391, amended, Television Violence Act of 1989; H.R. 1048, amended, Hate Crime Statistics Act; H.R. 1630, amended, Naturalization Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice held an oversight hearing on the proposal to merge the Organized Crime Strike Forces with the U.S. Attorney's offices. Testimony was heard from Senator Specter; Edward S.G. Dennis, Jr., Assistant

Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL ESTUARY PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a joint hearing on H.R. 1063, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to add Tampa Bay, FL, to the national estuary program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gibbons and Young of Florida; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—INTERGOVERNMENTAL PERSONNEL ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Human Resources held an oversight hearing on the Intergovernmental Personnel Act: the Mobility program. Testimony was heard from Thomas S. McFee, Assistant Secretary, Personnel Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: Joyce E. Felder, Associate Director, Personnel Operations, Office of Personnel and Labor Relations; and Dr. Richard J. Greene, Assistant Chief Medical Director, Research and Development; Jeff Fenstermacher, Assistant Director, Directorate for Administration, NSF; the following officials of GAO: James Campell, Assistant Director, General Government Division; and Bernard Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resource Management Issues, General Government Division; Leonard Klein, Deputy Associate Director, OPM; Dottie Meletzke, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Civil Personnel Policy-EEO, Department of the Navy; Kenneth F. Dawsey, Director, Office of Human Resource Management, Office of Administration and Resources Management, EPA; and public witnesses.

PROSPECTUSES; GSA CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND LEASING PROGRAMS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action the following: 4 building project survey reports; 1 lease purchase prospectus; amendments to 2 previously approved construction prospectuses; 1 construction prospectus; 3 design prospectuses; 1 repair, alteration, and construction prospectus; 8 lease prospectuses; and 26 repair and alteration prospectuses.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the GSA's fiscal year 1990 capital improvement and leasing programs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Clarke and Myers of Indiana; David L. Bibb, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Facility Planning, Public Buildings Service, GSA; Milton Socolar, Special Assistant to the Comp-

troller General, GAO; and W. Louis Bisette, Jr., Mayor, Asheville, North Carolina.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2655, International Cooperation Act of 1989. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI and clause 3 of Rule XIII are waived against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered for amendment by title instead of by section, with each title considered as having been read. Clause 5(a) of Rule XXI is waived against the bill except against specified provisions. Subject to clause 6 of Rule XXIII debate on amendments shall not exceed eight hours, except as otherwise provided in the rule. Outside of the eight hour time limit, the rule makes in order: (1) amendments en bloc to be offered by Rep. Fascell after consultation with the minority, each to be debatable for not to exceed 20 minutes, the amendments en bloc may amend portions of the bill not yet read for amendment; (2) an amendment if offered by Representative McHugh or his designee, to be debatable for 40 minutes, and all points of order against the amendment are waived. The McHugh amendment is not subject to a demand for a division of the question, nor is it subject to amendment, in the House or in the Committee of the Whole; and (3) an amendment in the nature of a substitute, to be offered by Representative Broomfield, at the conclusion of the consideration of the bill for amendment. Debate on the Broomfield substitute and all amendments thereto shall not exceed 40 minutes. The rule provides that if the McHugh amendment is adopted, no amendment is in order in the House or in the Committee of the Whole, except the Broomfield substitute, that amends or affects the subject matter contained in the McHugh amendment. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit which may not contain instructions that amend or affect the subject matter of the amendment offered by Representative McHugh and previously adopted by the House. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fascell and Representatives Obey, McHugh, Traficant, Gilman and Roth.

CONFERENCE REPORT—EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving sections 302(f) and 311(a) of the Congressional Budget Act against consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, and against motions to dispose of amendments reported in disagreement. The rule also provides that motions to dispose of amendments in disagreement printed in the joint ex-

planatory statement shall be considered as having been read. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten and Representatives Smith of Iowa, Traxler, Panetta, Roe, Conte and Green.

SUPERCOMPUTER INDUSTRY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on the Supercomputer Industry. Testimony was heard from Senator Gore; Fred W. Weingarten, Senior Associate, Communications and Information Technologies Program, OTA; and public witnesses.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 901, amended, Veterans' Housing Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1199, amended, Veterans Nurse Pay Act of 1989; H.R. 2557, to designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans' Affairs to be located on New Jersey State Route 70 in Brick Township, NJ, as the "James J. Howard Veterans' Outpatient Clinic"; H.R. 2569, to designate the Department of Veterans' Affairs medical center in Saginaw, MI, as the "Aleda E. Lutz Department of Veterans' Affairs Medical Center"; H.R. 1334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove a limitation relating to the payment of pension to veterans furnished hospital care by the Veterans Administration on a long-term basis; and H.R. 1336, to amend title 38, United States Code, to reduce from 2 years to 1 year the period of time that a surviving spouse must have been married to a veteran who dies while in receipt of compensation for a service-connected disability in order for the surviving spouse to be eligible for dependency and indemnity compensation.

The Committee also approved the Construction Resolution for fiscal year 1990.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2550, Democracy in Eastern Europe Act of 1989; H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscrimination treatment to the products of the Peoples' Republic of Hungary for 5 years; and H.R. 1233, amended, Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Expansion Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved for inclusion in the Budget reconciliation package the following: recommendations from the Subcommittee on Oversight relating to tax compliance; and an Administration IRS offset proposal relating to veterans benefits.

Joint Meetings

THIRD WORLD DEVELOPMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Technology and National Security concluded hearings to examine strategies and examples of sustainable development in the Third World, after receiving testimony from Thomas E. Lovejoy, Assistant Secretary for External Affairs, Smithsonian Institution; Leonard H. Robinson, Jr., President, African Development Foundation; and Michael Lipton, International Food Policy Research Institute, Walter V. Reid, World Resources Institute, and Michael Whelan, The Whelan Group, all of Washington, DC.

NATURAL GAS WELLHEAD DECONTROL ACT

Conferees: Agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1722, to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas and to make technical and conforming amendments to the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1212-1220, S. Res. 149, and S.J. Res. 161.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report to accompany S. 123, to provide assistance to States and localities for high quality early childhood development programs for prekindergarten children, and for other purposes (with minority views). (S. Rept. No. 101-58)

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Measures Passed:

Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act: Pursuant to the order of Wednesday, April 19, 1989, H.R. 1278 was passed, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, after striking all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the text of S. 774, as amended.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees: Senators Riegle, Cranston, Sarbanes,

Garn, and Heinz to reconcile all provisions of H.R. 1278 and of the Senate amendment to H.R. 1278, except those in sections 1401 and 1402 of H.R. 1278; and as additional conferees: Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, and Packwood solely for the consideration of reconciling: (1) Sections 1401 and Section 1402 of H.R. 1278, and the specific disagreeing provisions of Sections 501 and 502 of the Senate amendment to H.R. 1278 relating to the tax-exempt status of the Resolution Trust Corporation and the Resolution Funding Corporation (new paragraphs 21A(k) and 21B(f)(7) of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act; and (2) Sections 1403 and 1404 of H.R. 1278.

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Strategic Arms Reduction Negotiations: Senate agreed to S. Res. 149, expressing the support of the Senate for the commitment of the President to achieving a verifiable and stabilizing strategic nuclear arms reduction treaty with the Soviet Union.

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Federal Aviation Administration Appointment: Senate passed S. 1077, to authorize the President to appoint Admiral James B. Busey to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

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National Aeronautics and Space Administration Appointment: Senate passed S. 1180, to authorize the President to appoint Rear Admiral Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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Closed Caption Broadcasting of Senate Proceedings: Senate agreed to S. Res. 13, to amend Senate Resolution 28 to implement closed caption broadcasting for hearing-impaired individuals of floor proceedings of the Senate, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate continued consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of child care, and amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Pending:

(1) Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) Dole Amendment No. 201 (to Amendment No. 196), of a perfecting nature.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the aforementioned pending amendments on Thursday, June 22.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and proposed amendments thereto, on Thursday, June 22.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Joseph Verner Reed, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief of Protocol for the White House.

Susan Carol Schwab, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service.

Fred M. Zeder II, of New York, to be President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Peter F. Secchia, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to Italy.

Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Turkey.

Melvyn Levitsky, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters.

E. Patrick Coady, of Virginia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

Thomas Michael Tolliver Niles, of the District of Columbia, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the European Communities, with the rank and status of Ambassador.

Richard H. Solomon, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Jewel S. Lafontant, of Illinois, to be United States Coordinator for Refugee Affairs and Ambassador-at-Large while serving in this position.

Edward N. Ney, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada.

Robert D. Orr, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Singapore.

Thomas Joseph Murrin, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Secretary of Commerce.

Jeffrey Neil Shane, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Eddie F. Brown, of Arizona, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Kate Leader Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Mark L. Edelman, of Missouri, to be Deputy Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard, Public Health Service.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

S. Anthony McCann, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans' Affairs (Finance and Planning).

Wade F. Horn, of Maryland, to be Chief of the Children's Bureau, Department of Health and Human Services.

Susan M. Coughlin, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board.

Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the nomination of Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency, received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of Chic Hecht, of Nevada, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of the Bahamas, on Tuesday, July 11.

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:37 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, June 22, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 12730.)

Committee Meetings

FOREST RESOURCES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry held hearings to review the sustainability of forest resources, receiving testimony from F. Dale Robertson, Chief, and George Leonard, Associate Chief, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Fred Cubbage, School of Forestry Resources, and Carl Jordan, Institute of Ecology, both of the University of Georgia, Athens; Daniel Simberloff, Florida State University, Tallahassee; Douglas E. McClelland, Trout Unlimited Advisory Board, Bozeman, Montana; Walter Jarck, Georgia Pacific, Atlanta; Bruce Miles, Texas Forest Service, Texas A&M University, College Station; Bob Rumpf, Gladfelter Paper Company, Spring Grove, Pennsylvania; Teddy Gold-

smith, The Ecologist, Dosset, England; and Jim Roberts, National Association of State Foresters, Barry Flamm, The Wilderness Society, Frances A. Hunt, The Wildlife Federation, and John Heissenbittel, American Forestry Council, all of Washington, DC.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1085, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the ICBM modernization program, after receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy; and Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Air Force Staff.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on rural and Indian housing provisions, receiving testimony from William N. Martin, Fallbrook, California, representing the Rural Builders Council of California; Robert Marshall, Self Help Enterprises, Visalia, California, representing the Rural Housing Coalition; L. Earnest Beresh, Rural Housing Improvement, Inc., Winchendon, Massachusetts; Thomas W. Honeycutt, The Weaver Companies, Greensboro, North Carolina, representing the Council for Rural Housing and Development; Ted Key, Chickasaw National Housing Authority, Ada, Oklahoma, representing the Oklahoma Indian Housing Association; Ron Jones, Sisseton-Wahpeton Housing Authority, Agency Village, South Dakota; and Ernest Coleman, National Association of Home Builders, Moises Loza, The Housing Assistance Council, Inc., and Virginia Spencer, National American Indian Housing Council, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AVIATION LIABILITY STANDARDS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings on S. 640, to establish guidelines for Federal standards of liability for general aviation accidents, after receiving testimony from Senator Kassebaum; Representative Glickman; Robert Martin, Martin, Pringle, Oliver, Triplett & Wallace, Wichita, Kansas; and Charles T. Hvass, Jr., Hvass, Weisman & King, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

MEDIA OWNERSHIP

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications resumed hearings on the diversity and concentration of media

ownership, receiving testimony from Jim Mooney, National Cable Television Association, Robert L. Johnson, Black Entertainment Television, Robert Schmidt, Wireless Cable Association, Preston Padden, Association of Independent Television Stations, Bob Phillips, NRTC, Harry M. Shooshan III, National Economic Research Associates, Inc., and Gene Kimmelman, Consumer Federation of America, all of Washington, DC; John Hendricks, The Discovery Channel, Landover, Maryland; and John Hanks, New York City Bureau of Franchises, New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGH-PERFORMANCE COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings on S. 1067, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990–1994 for the development of a national high-performance computer technology program, receiving testimony from William A. Wulf, Assistant Director for Computer and Information Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation; John A. Rollwagen, Cray Research, Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota; Sheryl L. Handler, Thinking Machines Corporation, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Craig Fields, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, and Gray Collins, Bell Atlantic Corporation, both of Arlington, Virginia; O. Gene Gabbard, Telecom*USA, Atlanta, Georgia; Richard T. Liebhaber, MCI Communications Corporation, Washington, DC; Robert W. Lucky, AT&T Bell Laboratories, Holmdel, New Jersey; and Roger Schwantes, Northern Telecom, Inc., Nashville, Tennessee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Frank A. Bracken, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary of the Interior, and Delos Cy Jamison, of Montana, to be Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

S. 388, to provide for 5-year staggered terms for members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, with amendments;

S. 338, to provide for a trails interpretation center in Council Bluffs, Iowa, with amendments;

S. 267, to convey certain lands in Idaho to Kenneth and Norma Blevins, with an amendment;

S. 737, to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, with amendments;

S. 830, to authorize funds for the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, with an amendment;

H.R. 310, to remove a restriction on land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans' nursing home; and

H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada for national defense upon receipt from the House and referral to the committee with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, and in lieu of S. 624.

PUBLIC LANDS AND NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 558, to authorize a study on methods to protect and interpret the internationally significant Lechuguilla Cave at Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico, S. 560, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of certain historic military forts in the State of New Mexico, and S. 963, to authorize a study on methods to commemorate the nationally significant highway known as Route 66, after receiving testimony from Gerald D. Patten, Associate Director for Planning and Development, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and Bruce Craig, National Parks and Conservation Association, Washington, DC. Testimony was also received on S. 558 from Chuck Bernhard, Carlsbad Department of Development, Carlsbad, New Mexico; and David Jagnow, National Speleological Society, Huntsville, Alabama; on S. 560 from Larry Woodard, State Director, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and on S. 963 from Judi Snow, New Mexico Route 66 Association, Gallup;

S. 818, to authorize a study on methods to pay tribute to the late Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico for his contributions to the establishment of a national wilderness system, after receiving testimony from Jeff M. Sirmon, Deputy Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture;

S. 855, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish a Cave Research Institute at Carlsbad Caverns National Park, after receiving testimony from Messrs. Bernhard, Craig, and Jagnow; and

S. 940, to designate segments of the East Fork of the Jemez River and of the Pecos River as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers Systems, after receiving testimony from Mr. Sirmon; and Kevin Coyle, American Rivers, Inc., Washington, DC.

Testimony was also received on the aforementioned bills from Representative Richardson.

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on S. 1112 and S. 1113, bills authorizing funds through fiscal year 1993 to provide States with the policy direction, technical support and financial assistance to effectively manage the municipal solid waste within their borders, receiving testimony from Howard Levenson, Project Director, Oceans and Environment Program, Office of Technology Assessment; Jonathon Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response, Environmental Protection Agency; Bill Rathje, University of Arizona, Tucson; Jim Leiter, Montana Department of Health and Environmental Sciences, Helena; and Victor Bell, Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Providence.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OIL SPILLS

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 771, to deny Federal income tax deductions for the costs of cleaning up oil spills and other hazardous substance discharges, and provisions of S. 1066, to establish a domestic liability and compensation system for oil pollution from vessels and facilities and to implement the 1984 Protocols to the 1969 Civil Liability and 1971 Fund Conventions concerning seagoing tanker-source oil pollution, receiving testimony from Senators Reid and Stevens; Representative Lipinski; Kenneth W. Gideon, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Joseph F. Canny, Director, Office of Transportation Regulatory Affairs, Office of Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation; and Charles J. DiBona, American Petroleum Institute, Paul R. Huard, National Association of Manufacturers, Robert A. Roland, Chemical Manufacturers Association, Pamela A. Miller, National Wildlife Federation, Tim Mahoney, Sierra Club, and Clifton E. Curtis, The Oceanic Society, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed consideration of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, but did not take final action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

ALCOHOL ABUSE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee resumed hearings to examine the recent proceedings of the Surgeon General's Workshop on Drunk

Driving, focusing on recommendations to reduce the incidence of alcohol-related accidents and to increase the public awareness of the dangers of alcohol abuse, receiving testimony from Lauro F. Cava-zos, Secretary of Education; Dick W. Hays, Director, Office of Drug Abuse Prevention Oversight, Department of Education; William C. MacLeod, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission; Diane Killory, General Counsel, Federal Communications Commission; and Hal Shoup, American Association of Advertising Federation, DeWitt F. Helm, Jr., American Advertising Federation, Daniel L. Jaffe, Association of National Advertisers, Inc., Fred A. Meister, Distilled Spirits Council of the United States, Hamilton Beazley, National Council on Alcoholism, Michael Birkley, National Licensed Beverage Association, and William H. Latham, National Restaurants Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

CENTRAL AMERICAN MIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Refugee Affairs concluded hearings on Central American migration to the United States, after receiving testimony from Michael G. Kozak, Acting Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Ruth Ann Myers, Chief of Staff to Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; and Holly Burkhalter, Human Rights Watch, Sylvia Rosales-Fike, Central American Refugee Center, on behalf of the Central American Refugee National Network, Wade J. Henderson, American Civil Liberties Union, and Dan Stein, Federation for American Immigration Reform, all of Washington, DC.

ENTERPRISE ZONE PROGRAM

Committee on Small Business: Committee held hearings to examine the impact of the enterprise zone program on small business growth and development, receiving testimony from Representative Oakar; Stephen B. Heintz, Connecticut Department of Economic Development, Rocky Hill; Lous Jambois and Tom Helgesen, both of the Minnesota Department of Trade and Economic Development, St. Paul; Iric Nathanson, Minneapolis Community Development Agency, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Beverly Dawes, Hartford Enterprise Zone, Hartford, Connecticut; and William W. Ginsberg, Science Park Development Corporation, New Haven, Connecticut.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 2697-2715; 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 299-301; and H. Res. 181 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Appropriations entitled "Subdivision of the Allocation of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 1990" (H. Rept. 101-97);

H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case, amended (H. Rept. 101-98); and

H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment to the products of the Peoples' Republic of Hungary for 5 years, amended (H. Rept. 101-99).

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 305 yeas to 102 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 96, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, June 20.

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Supplemental Appropriations: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 201 yeas to 218 nays, Roll No. 98, the House failed to agree to the conference report on H.R. 2072, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations and transfers, urgent supplementals, and correcting enrollment errors for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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Rejected the Conte motion to recommit the conference report to the committee of conference.

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House then insisted on its disagreement to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2072, and asked for a further conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Yates, Obey, Roybal, Bevill, Murtha, Traxler, Lehman of Florida, Dixon, Fazio, Hefner, Conte, McDade, Coughlin, Regula, Smith of Nebraska, Edwards of Oklahoma, Green, and Rogers.

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H. Res. 180, the rule which waived certain points of order against the conference report, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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International Cooperation Act: House completed all general debate and began reading for amendment on H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance

programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but came to no resolution thereof. Consideration of amendments will continue on Thursday, June 22.

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Agreed to the Fascell technical amendments en bloc.

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H. Res. 179, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by a yeand-nay vote of 273 yeas to 146 nays, Roll No. 97.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeand-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 12732, 12743, 12756. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TONGASS TIMBER REFORM ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended H.R. 987, Tongass Timber Reform Act.

FUTURES INDUSTRY INVESTIGATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings on the futures industry investigation. The Subcommittee was briefed by staff.

Will continue June 28.

USDA'S WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing to review the Department of Agriculture's water quality initiative. Testimony was heard from Charles E. Hess, Assistant Secretary, Science and Education, USDA.

PRODUCE SAFETY AND NUTRITION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing to review produce safety and nutrition. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held a overview hearing. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Marion Barry, Jr., Mayor and David A. Clarke, Chairman, Council.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Governmental Direction and Support. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: David A. Clarke, Chairman, Council; Otis Troupe, Auditor; Maudine Cooper, Staff Director, Office of the Mayor; Mary Layton, Director, Office of Communications; and Carol Thompson, City Administrator and Deputy Mayor, Operations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities met in executive session and approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 2311, Military Construction Authorization Act, 1990/1991; and H.R. 2377, to authorize appropriations for civil defense programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session to begin consideration of H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance continued hearings to review the modification of Final Judgement and its effect on the Information Services Industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TO ESTABLISH A DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on H.R. 534, to establish a Department of Environmental Protection. Testimony was heard from Senators Durenberger and Lautenberg; Representatives Florio and Boehlert; Harry S. Havens, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following: H.R. 1727, Everglades National Park Protection and Expansion Act of 1989; H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board; and H.J. Res. 175 to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on FBI policy of questioning Americans who write letters to or otherwise contact officials of communist countries. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 1755, amended, Bridge Administration Transfer Act; H.R. 1465, amended, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989; H.R. 2459, amended, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990; H.R. 2158, amended, Prince William Sound Oil Spill Response Act of 1989; H.R. 1031, amended, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts; H.R. 1113, amended, to authorize appropriations for the Office of Environmental Quality for fiscal years 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993; H.J. Res. 281, amended, to approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or the development or production of oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that sanctuary; and H.R. 2612, to provide temporary authority to certain employees of the Panama Canal Commission to purchase food and other goods at any commissary or exchange store located in Panama which is operated by any military department of the United States.

RIVERS AND HARBORS CONTAMINATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources held a hearing concerning contaminated sediments in rivers and harbors, particularly in the Great Lakes, and to review technical options for clean-up. Testimony was heard from Senator Moynihan; Representative Visclosky; Tudor T. Davies, Director, Office of Marine and Estuarine Protection, EPA; Robert Engler, Senior Scientist, Vicksburg Waterways Experiment Station, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; Michael Mac, Great Lakes Fishery Lab, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Frank Quinn, Deputy Director, Great Lakes Environmental Research Lab, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Darryl Banks, Deputy Commissioner, Environmental Quality, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of New York; and public witnesses.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held a hearing on

H.R. 2486, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans, readjustment appointments authorized by such title. Testimony was heard from Curtis J. Smith, Associate Director, Career Entry and Employment Development Group, OPM; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued consideration of budget reconciliation recommendations.

Will continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting**U.S. SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine Federal efforts to increase U.S. saving and investment, after receiving testimony from C. Eugene Steurle, former Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Alan Auerbach, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and John H. Makin, American Enterprise Institute, Washington, DC.

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Thursday, June 22, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Thirty-five bills and twelve resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1221-1255, S. Res. 150-152, S.J. Res. 162-168, and S. Con. Res. 49 and 50.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 663, to provide for additional contingent termination liability for the Advanced Solid Rocket Motor program, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-59)

H.J. Res. 132, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989 as "National Children's Day".

H.J. Res. 276, designating September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. Day".

S.J. Res. 15, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989 as "National Children's Day".

S.J. Res. 19, to designate November 8, 1989, as "Montana Centennial Day".

S.J. Res. 81, to designate the week of October 1 through 7, 1989, as "National Health Care Food Service Week".

S.J. Res. 93, to designate October 1989 as "Polish American Heritage Month".

S.J. Res. 115, to designate the period commencing on September 9 and ending on September 15, 1989, as "National Nursing Home Residents' Rights Week".

S.J. Res. 121, to provide for the designation of September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. Day".

S.J. Res. 127, designating Labor Day Weekend, September 2-4, 1989, as "National Drive for Life Weekend".

S.J. Res. 134, to designate the week of October 1, 1989, through October 7, 1989, as "National Disability Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 155, designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day".

S.J. Res. 161, to designate the week of October 22, 1989, through October 28, 1989, and the week of October 21, 1990, through October 27, 1990, as "National Adult Immunization Awareness Week".

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Measures Passed:

Desecration of the Flag: By 97 yeas to 3 nays (Vote No. 95), Senate agreed to S. Res. 151, to express the sense of the Senate on the decision of the United States Supreme Court, declaring unconstitutional the Texas statute prohibiting the desecration of the flag.

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U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council Loan Extension: Senate passed S. 1250, to waive the application of chapter 11 of title 18, United States Code, to the extension of a certain loan to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council.

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National Children's Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 132, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989, as "National Children's Day".

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S.J. Res. 15, Senate companion measure, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Montana Centennial Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 19, to designate November 8, 1989, as "Montana Centennial Day".

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National Health Care Food Service Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 81, to designate the week of October 1-7, 1989, as "National Health Care Food Service Week".

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Polish American Heritage Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 93, to designate October 1989, as "Polish American Heritage Month".

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National Nursing Home Residents' Rights Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 115, to designate the period commencing on September 9 and ending September 15, 1989, as "National Nursing Home Residents' Rights Week".

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National D.A.R.E. Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 276, to designate September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) Day".

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S.J. Res. 121, Senate companion measure, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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National Drive for Life Weekend: Senate passed S.J. Res. 127, to designate Labor Day weekend, September 2-4, 1989, as "National Drive for Life Weekend".

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National Disability Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 134, to designate the week of October 1-7, 1989, as "National Disability Awareness Week".

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U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 155, designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day".

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National Adult Immunization Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 161, to designate the week of October 22-28, 1989, as "National Adult Immunization Awareness Week".

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Authorization to Provide Committee Documents: Senate agreed to S. Res. 152, to authorize the Select Committee on Intelligence to provide to the parties certain Committee documents in the case of *United States v. Fernandez*.

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Congressional Recess: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 50, providing for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate and conditional adjournment of the House over the July 4th Holiday.

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U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 111, designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day".

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Bastille Day Bicentennial: Senate passed H.J. Res. 298, designating July 14, 1989, as "National Day to Commemorate the Bastille Day Bicentennial".

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate continued consideration of S. 5, to provide for a Federal program

for the improvement of child care, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 12958, 13005, 13033, 13047

Adopted:

(1) By 63 yeas to 37 nays (Vote No. 94), Mitchell Amendment No. 196, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 96), Bentsen Amendment No. 203, to amend title II of the Social Security Act to increase the retirement test exempt amount in 1990, and to lower the reduction factor for certain earnings to 25 percent.

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(3) Boschwitz Amendment No. 205, to authorize States to provide funds to local libraries to be used for the provisions of services to certain child care providers.

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(4) Boschwitz Amendment No. 206, to express the sense of Congress that \$10 million should be appropriated in fiscal year 1990 to carry out subpart 8 of part A of title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1070f).

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(5) By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 97), Roth Amendment No. 199, to exempt child care earnings from the earnings test under the Social Security Act.

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(6) Dodd (for Graham) Amendment No. 207, of a technical nature.

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(7) Bond Amendment No. 208, to provide for the establishment of school-based child-care grant program and a comprehensive program of child care projects.

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(8) Bond Amendment No. 209, to permit states with child care availability problems to use additional resources to help alleviate.

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(9) Danforth Amendment No. 213, to clarify the application of section 89 rule to churches.

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(10) Coats Amendment No. 214, to protect sectarian providers of child care.

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(11) Coats Amendment No. 215, to limit the scope of requirements under this Act.

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(12) Coats Amendment No. 216, to permit states to reduce the categories of child care providers licensed or regulated by the State.

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(13) Coats Amendment No. 217, to permit child care providers who care for relatives to be eligible for assistance under this Act.

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(14) Coats Amendment No. 218, to permit in-home child care providers to be eligible for assistance under this Act.

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(15) Domenici Amendment No. 219, relating to the effective date for section 89 qualification rules and guidance for the section 89 nondiscrimination rules.

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Rejected:

(1) By 44 yeas to 56 nays (Vote No. 93), Dole Amendment No. 201 (to Amendment No. 196), of a perfecting nature.

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(2) Wilson Amendment No. 211, to delete those provisions relating to the rate of payment of child care providers. (By 59 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 98), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

Domenici Amendment No. 212, to provide an exemption for employers with fewer than 20 employees from section 89.

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Pending:

Dole Amendment No. 202, to replace the tax credit for health insurance premiums with an increase in the earned income tax credit.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill, and proposed amendments thereto, on Friday, June 23.

Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act.

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Department of Veterans Affairs—Supplemental Appropriations: Senate receded from its amendment to H.R. 2402, making supplemental appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, and agreed, by unanimous consent, to further amend the bill, as follows:

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Byrd Amendment No. 210, making dire emergency supplemental appropriations for the Federal Government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.

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Authority for Committees: Committees were authorized to file reports between 12 noon and 3 p.m., on Thursday, July 6, 1989.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

James Franklin Rill, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

E. Bart Daniel, of South Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina.

Dee V. Benson, of Utah, to be United States Attorney for the District of Utah.

Michael J. Astrue, of Massachusetts, to be General Counsel of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Julius L. Katz, of Maryland, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador.

Stephen John Hadley, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Henry S. Rowen, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

14 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

12 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Richard A. Clarke, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Gerald F. Scannell, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Claire E. Freeman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

John J. Easton, Jr., of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (International Affairs and Energy Emergencies).

Richard Burleson Stewart, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Lou Gallegos, of New Mexico, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Jacqueline Knox Brown, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs).

John D. Macomber, of New York, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Eugene Kistler Lawson, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Thomas E. Collins III, of Mississippi, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veteran's Employment and Training.

Routine lists of Navy and Marine Corps nominations.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—98)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 11:54 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Friday, June 23, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 13196.)

Committee Meetings

CONSERVATION AND AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry held hearings to examine agricultural methods and practices that enhance soil conservation, receiving testimony from Charles E. Hess, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Science and Education; Charles W. Laughlin, Georgia Agricultural Experiment Stations, Athens; Margaret Krome, Wisconsin Rural Development Center, Madison; Bob Darst, Potash and Phosphate Institute, Atlanta, Georgia; Teresa Maurer, Kerr Center, Poetau, Oklahoma; James Lee Adams, American Soybean Association, Camilla, Georgia; Don Klor, Illinois Sustainable Agriculture Society, Buffalo; Dave Williams, Sierra Club Agriculture Committee, Villisca, Iowa; Bill Bryson, Oak Grove Farm, Alden, Minnesota; Bob Beck, Cenex/Land O'Lakes, St. Paul, Minnesota; Jake Redmon, Agricultural Chemical Association of Georgia, Bonaire; Dallas Tonsager, Oldham, South Dakota, on behalf of the National Farmers Union; Teddy Goldsmith, The Ecologist, Dosset, England; and Dean Klechner, American Farm Bureau Federation, Bo Gray, Resource Management Consultants, Inc., and Jack Early, National Agriculture Chemicals Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, after receiving testimony from Richard B. Cheney, Secretary of Defense.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Stephen John Hadley, of the District of Columbia, and Henry S.

Rowen, of California, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, and 1,507 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Hadley and Rowen, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy held oversight hearings on chemical and biological weapons proliferation, focusing on export controls related to chemical agent precursors and certain biological agents, receiving testimony from Reginald Bartholomew, Under Secretary of State for Security Assistance, Science, and Technology; Joan McEntee, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration; Lewis A. Dunn, Science Applications International Corporation, McLean, Virginia, and former Assistant Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Elisa D. Harris, Brookings Institution, and Max L. Turnipseed, Chemical Manufacturers Association, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDIA OWNERSHIP

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings on the diversity and concentration of media ownership, after receiving testimony from Robert C. Wright, National Broadcasting Company, Inc., Thomas S. Murphy, Capital Cities/American Broadcasting Company, Inc., Laurence A. Tisch, Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc., all of New York, New York; Jack Valenti, Motion Picture Association of America, Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, and Andrew Jay Schwartzman, Media Access Project, all of Washington, DC; Stephen J. Cannell, Stephen J. Cannell Productions, and Jamie Kellner, Fox Broadcasting Company, both of Los Angeles, California; and Cyril E. Vetter, WVLA-TV, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

RAILROAD ACQUISITION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on S. 1005, to provide the Interstate Commerce Commission with jurisdiction over the acquisition of control of a Class I railroad carrier by a non-carrier, and to review other acquisition, debt and leveraging issues which may affect the long-term financial status of the railroad industry, after receiving testimony from Senator Harkin; Heather J. Gradison, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; James J. Kennedy, Jr., Railway Labor Ex-

ecutives' Association, Washington, DC; Darrell Rensink, Iowa Department of Transportation, Ames; John Swartz, Santa Fe Pacific Corporation, Chicago, Illinois; and James Voytko, Paine Webber, Incorporated, and James A. Runde, Morgan Stanley and Company, Incorporated, both of New York, New York.

NORTH AMERICAN WILDLIFE PRESERVATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend on such habitat.

NOMINATIONS/DEMOCRATIC REFORMS IN EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Fred T. Goldberg Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Department of the Treasury, Julius L. Katz, of Maryland, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative, and Michael J. Astrue, of Massachusetts, to be General Counsel of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Goldberg, Katz, and Astrue, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Goldberg was introduced by Senator Danforth.

Also, committee began consideration of proposed legislation to provide for certain forms of assistance to encourage the process of democratic reforms in Eastern Europe, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

JAPANESE FOREST PRODUCT BARRIERS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings to review Japanese trade barriers that block U.S. forest product exports, receiving testimony from Donald M. Phillips, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Industry; Alan Dunn, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Basic Industries; Robert G. Anderson, American Plywood Association, Takoma, Washington; Barry M. Cullen, National Forest Products Association, Washington, DC; and Robert L. Donnelly, Contact Lumber, Portland, Oregon.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs concluded hearings to review political and military implications of European economic integration, after receiving testimony from Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Deputy Secretary of State; George

Vest, Bethesda, Maryland, former Ambassador to the European Communities; Robert Hormats, Goldman Sachs International, New York, New York; and Robert Hunter, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of James Franklin Rill, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice, E. Bart Daniel, to be United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina, and Dee V. Benson, to be United States Attorney for the District of Utah;

S.J. Res. 15, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989, as "National Children's Day";

H.J. Res. 132, to designate the second Sunday in October of 1989, as "National Children's Day";

S.J. Res. 19, to designate November 8, 1989, as "Montana Centennial Day";

S.J. Res. 81, to designate the week of October 1 through 7, 1989, as "National Health Care Food Service Week";

S.J. Res. 93, to designate October 1989, as "Polish American Heritage Month";

S.J. Res. 115, to designate the period commencing on September 9 and ending September 15, 1989, as "National Nursing Home Residents' Rights Week";

S.J. Res. 121, to designate September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) Day";

H.J. Res. 276, to designate September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. Day";

S.J. Res. 127, to designate Labor Day weekend, September 2 through 4, 1989, as "National Drive for Life Weekend";

S.J. Res. 134, to designate the week of October 1, 1989, through October 7, 1989, as "National Disability Awareness Week";

S.J. Res. 155, designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day"; and

S.J. Res. 161, to designate the week of October 22, 1989, through October 28, 1989, as "National Adult Immunization Awareness Week";

AUTHORIZATIONS—CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, receiving testimony from Arthur Flemming, former Chairman, Stephen Horn, former Commissioner/Vice Chairman, Erwin Griswold, former Commissioner, Louis Nunez, former Staff Director, Linda Chavez, former Staff Director, and Robert L. Burgdorf, former Attorney-Advisor, all of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights; and Benjamin Hooks,

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Washington DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, after receiving testimony from Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States, Department of Justice; and former Senator Lowell P. Weicker, Jr., Research America, Alexandria, Virginia.

AUTHORIZATIONS—VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities held hearings on S. 1109, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs of the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act, receiving testimony from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; John Wirt, Director, National Assessment of Vocational Education, Department of Education; William J. Gainer, Director of Employment and Education Issues, General Accounting Office; Joyce Winterton, National Council on Vocational Education, Washington, DC; Don Bright, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, on behalf of the American Vocational Association; Moody M. Oswald, South Carolina Department of Education, Columbia, on behalf of the National Association of State Directors of Vocational Education; Martha Quint Lawrence, Iowa State Council on Vocational Education, Cedar Rapids, on behalf of the National Association of State Councils on Vocational Education; and Franklin B. Walter, Ohio State Department of Education, Columbus, on behalf of the Council of Chief State School Officers.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 20.

OSHA PAPERWORK REQUIREMENTS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings to assess the problems faced by small businesses in complying with the paperwork requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's hazard communications standard, after receiving testimony from Representative Sisisky; Frank Swain, Chief Counsel, Office of Advocacy, Small Business Administration; Leo Carey, Director, Office of Field Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Department of Labor; Ronald J. Streck, National Wholesale Druggists Association, Washington, DC; Benjamin Cooper, Printing Industries of America, Arlington, Virginia; Stephen George, Haussner's Restaurant, Baltimore, Maryland, on behalf of the National Restaurant Association; Don Flowers, Don Flowers Florists, Inc.,

Randallstown, Maryland, on behalf of the Florist Transworld Delivery and Society of American Florists; David W. Loving, National Retail Hardware Association, Indianapolis, Indiana; Thomas J. Godwin, D&G Electric Company, Birmingham, Alabama, on behalf of the American Subcontractors Association; John Bishop, Gurnee Heating and Air Conditioning, Closter, New Jersey, on behalf of the Associated Builders and Contractors; and David M. Showers, Business Management Committee, National Association of Homebuilders, North Canton, Ohio.

VA BENEFITS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 404, S. 898, S. 1158, and H.R. 1415, bills to modify and strengthen certain Department of Veterans Affairs home loan guaranty provisions, S. 1153, to provide benefits to Vietnam veterans disabled as a result of exposure to toxic herbicide agents, and section 221, relating to services to overcome service-connected disabilities affecting procreation of S. 13, proposed Veterans Benefits and Health Care Act, after receiving testimony from Senators Daschle and Kerry; Anthony J. Principi, Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs; Kathleen Winston Shepherd, Principal Analyst, Congressional Budget Office; Brian Hawkins, VA Medical Center, West Los Angeles, California; John Taylor, VA Medical Center, Dallas, Texas; Frank Watts, VA Medical Center, Kansas City, Missouri; Angelo R. Mozilo, Countrywide Funding Corporation, Pasadena, California; and Richard S. Christian and James B. Hubbard, both of the American Legion, Dennis Cullinan, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Richard F. Schultz, Disabled American Veterans, John C. Bollinger, Paralyzed Veterans of America, Richard E. O'Dell, Vietnam Veterans of America, Jim Irvine, National Association of Home Builders, and Burton C. Wood and Linda K. Bumbalo, both of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America, all of Washington, DC.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to consider pending business relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 2716-2744; 1 private bill, H.R. 2745; and 31 resolutions, H.J. Res. 302-323, H. Con. Res. 155-159, and H. Res. 182-185 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate well-head price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act (H. Rept. 101-100);

Report of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation entitled "Report on Subdivision of Budget Totals Agreed To in the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget (H. Con. Res. 268) for Fiscal Year 1989" (H. Rept. 101-101);

H.R. 801, to designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, Georgia, as the "Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building", amended (H. Rept. 101-102);

H.R. 2557, to designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans' Affairs to be located on New Jersey State Route 70 in Brick Township, New Jersey, as the "James J. Howard Veterans' Outpatient Clinic" (H. Rept. 101-103);

H.R. 2569, to designate the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Saginaw, Michigan, as the "Aleda E. Lutz Department of Veterans' Affairs Medical Center" (H. Rept. 101-104);

H.R. 1334, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove a limitation relating to the payment of pension to veterans furnished hospital care by the Veterans' Administration on a long-term basis, amended (H. Rept. 101-105); and

H.R. 1199, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve recruitment and retention of nurses in the Department of Veterans' Affairs by providing greater flexibility in the pay system for those nurses, amended (H. Rept. 101-106).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 305 yeas to 98 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 99, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, June 21.

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Committee To Sit: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Late Report: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to have until 5 p.m. Friday, June 23, to file a report on H.J. Res. 281, to

approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or the development or production of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that sanctuary.

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Chinese Prodemocracy Demonstrators: By a yeand-nay vote of 416 yeas, Roll No. 100, the House agreed to H. Res. 182, supporting the President of the United States in his call for clemency for the prodemocracy demonstrators arrested in China, and calling upon the leadership of the People's Republic of China to stay further executions of those arrested in the crackdown on prodemocracy demonstrators throughout China.

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International Cooperation Act: House continued consideration of H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, and to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will continue on Wednesday, June 29.

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Agreed To:

The Richardson amendment that expresses the sense of the Congress concerning the seizure of a United States citizen by the security forces of the Government of Afghanistan;

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The Lewis of California amendment that directs the Administrator for economic assistance to study the feasibility of developing an index of economic freedom system for evaluating, on a country-by-country basis, the economic freedom and opportunities of individuals in countries which are recipients or proposed recipients of development assistance and assistance for famine recovery and development in Africa (agreed to by a recorded vote of 206 yeas to 197 noes, Roll No. 104);

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The Berman amendment, as modified, that exempts from the cargo preference requirements any cash assistance to nations that receive less than \$20 million in cash transfer assistance in a fiscal year or that are a party to the Camp David Accords;

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The Fascell en bloc amendment that authorizes use of development assistance for nonmotorized transportation, use of United States technical expertise to improve pre-project planning and environ-

mental impact assessments of projects, and defines "school";

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The Smith of New Jersey amendment that prohibits its use of economic assistance to any organization or program which supports a program of coercive abortion or involuntary sterilization, or to any foreign nongovernmental organization which performs abortions or actively promotes abortion as a method of family planning;

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The Solomon amendment that provides a list of Communist countries that are ineligible for assistance; and

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The Douglas amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that the Cuban people should be allowed to express their view on their country's political future and that the Cuban Communist Party should permit a plebiscite of the people's approval or rejection of Castro's continued rule.

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Rejected:

The Bereuter amendment that sought to strike the requirements that an amount equal to 100% of any United States cash assistance be used by the recipient nation to purchase United States goods and services and that 50% of those goods be carried on United States ships, and to express the sense of Congress that countries receiving cash transfer assistance from the United States should, to the extent possible, import United States goods and services using a wide variety of United States modes of transportation (rejected by a recorded vote of 186 yeas to 230 noes, Roll No. 101);

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The Bereuter amendment, as amended by the Craig amendment (agreed to by a division vote of 62 yeas to 29 noes), that sought to exempt from the cash assistance purchase requirements agricultural commodities, petroleum and petroleum products, fertilizer, and coal (rejected by a recorded vote of 188 yeas to 219 noes, Roll No. 102); and

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The Kostmayer amendment to the agreed-to Smith of New Jersey amendment that sought to permit the prohibition concerning abortion to the extent that it is consistent with United States law (rejected by a recorded vote of 163 yeas to 229 noes, Roll No. 105).

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Financial Institutions Reform: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insur-

ance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 1, 219(5), 223, 314, and 315 and title I of the House bill, and sections 1, 222(4), 223, that portion of section 301 adding new sections 3(b) and 5 (s) and (t) to the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933, and 1409, and titles I and XV of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Neal of North Carolina, Oakar, Vento, Barnard, Garcia, Schumer, Lehman of California, Morrison of Connecticut, Carper, Kleczka, Price, Wylie, Leach of Iowa, Roukema, Bereuter, Roth, Saxton, Stearns, and Gillmor;

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 501, 505 through 508, 1203, 1204, 1207, 1208, 1211, and 1212 and titles II (except section 219(5)), III (except sections 314 and 315), IV, VI, and VIII of the House bill, and sections 501, 505, 724, 1402 through 1405, 1410, 1413, and 1414 and titles II (except sections 221(b)(2), 222(4), and 223), III except that portion of section 301 adding new sections 3(b) and 5 (s) and (t) to the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933), IV, VI, and VIII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Neal of North Carolina, LaFalce, Oakar, Schumer, Frank, Lehman of California, Carper, Kanjorski, McMillen of Maryland, McDermott, Wylie, Leach of Iowa, Shumway, Parris, McCollum, Dreier of California, Hiler, and Bartlett;

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of titles IX, X, and XI of the House bill, and sections 221(b)(2), 1408, and 1411, and titles IX, X, and XIII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Hubbard, Barnard, Kaptur, Erdreich, Nelson of Florida, Patterson, Flake, Hoagland, Neal of Massachusetts, Wylie, Leach of Iowa, Shumway, Parris, McCollum, Bereuter, Ridge, and McCandless;

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 1201, 1202, 1205, 1206, 1210, 1213 through 1216, and titles VII and XIII of the House bill, and sections 1401, 1406, 1407, and 1415 and titles VII (except section 724), XI and XII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Hubbard, Oakar, Vento, Garcia, Frank, Morrison of Connecticut, Torres, Kleczka, Kennedy, Mfume, Pelosi, Wylie, Leach of Iowa, Roukema, Dreier of California, Bartlett, Roth, Ridge, Saiki, and Bunning;

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 502 through 504 of the House bill, and sections 502 through 504 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Neal of North Carolina, Hubbard, LaFalce, Vento, Schumer, Frank, Morrison of Connecticut, Torres, Kleczka, Wylie, Leach of Iowa, Hiler, McCandless, Saxton, Saiki, Baker, and Paxon;

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of title XIV of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Rangel, Stark, Archer, Vander Jagt, and Crane;

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of section 217, such portions of section 502 adding new subsections 21B (b), (c) (1) and (2), (d)(3), (f)(1) (A) and (B), (g)(2)(B), and (j) to the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, sections 502 (b) and (c), 504 and 1209 of the House bill and that portion of section 501 adding a new subsection 21A(k) to the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, such portions of section 502 adding new subsections 21B (b), (c) (1), (2), (3), (5), (6), and (8), (d) (1), (2), and (3), (f)(1), and (i), to the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, sections 503 and 504 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Rangel, Stark, Jacobs, Ford of Tennessee, Jenkins, Downey, Guarini, Russo, Pease, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane, Frenzel, Schulze, Gradison, Thomas of California, and McGrath;

As additional conferees, for consideration of the remaining portions of section 502 of the House bill, and the remaining portions of section 502 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Guarini, and Archer;

As an additional conferee, for consideration of sections 1213 through 1215 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representative Conyers;

As an additional conferee, for consideration of section 223 of the House bill, and that portion of section 223 adding a new subsection 28(d) to the Federal Deposit Insurance Act of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representative Dorgan of North Dakota;

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of sections 212 and 219 of the House bill, and sections 212, 214, and 222 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Kastenmeier, Conyers, Hughes, Glickman, Staggers, Sangmeister, Fish, Hyde, Gekas, and Smith of Mississippi;

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of title IX of the House bill, and sections 913 and 981(c), and title X of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Kastenmeier, Conyers, Hughes, Frank, Schumer, Sangmeister, Fish, Hyde, Gekas, and Smith of Mississippi;

From the Committee on Government Operations, for consideration of section 502(c) of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Conyers, Collins, English, Synar, Wise, Horton, Clinger, and McCandless; and

From the Committee on Rules, for consideration of that portion of section 501 adding a new section 21A(u) to the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, and section 502(c) of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Moakley, Derrick, Beilenson, Frost, Bonior, Quillen, and Solomon.

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Agreed to the Wylie motion to instruct House conferees not to recede to Senate provisions that would single out a specific institution or institutions for unusual or special treatment.

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NASA Administrator: House passed and cleared for the President S. 1180, to authorize the President to appoint Rear Admiral Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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FAA Administrator: House passed and cleared for the President S. 1077, to authorize the President to appoint Admiral James B. Busey to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

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Minority Employees: House agreed to H. Res. 183, providing for the designation of certain minority employees.

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Coast Guard Auxiliary Day: House passed H.J. Res. 111, designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call, two yeas and nay votes, and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 12842, 12858, 12877, 12881, 12883, 12911.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings on rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 28.

MANAGEMENT—FORESTS OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy and the Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs concluded joint hearings to review management of old-growth forests of the Pacific Northwest. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Forest Service, USDA: F. Dale Robertson, Chief; and Thomas Spies, Plant Ecologist, Pacific Northwest Forest and Range Experiment Station; Dean Stepanek, Assistant Director, Land and Renewable Resources, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held a hearing on Public Safety and Justice; Financing and other uses; and on Economic Development. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Judith Rogers, Chief Judge, Court of Appeals; Fred Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court; Larry Polasky, Executive Officer, Court System; Frederick D. Cook, Jr., Corporation Council, Office of Corporation Council; Wendall W. Webster, Chairperson, Board of Equalization and Review; and Kim A. Taylor, Director, Public Defender Service.

Hearings continue June 27.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on Governmental Direction and Support. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Vernon Gill, Inspector General; Robert Pohlman, Deputy Mayor, Finance; Richard Siegel, Director, Office of the Budget; N. Anthony Calhoun, Comptroller, Office of Financial Management; and Harold L. Thomas, Director, Department of Financing Revenue.

Hearings continue June 27.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION; ARMS CONTROL AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems met in executive session and approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991; and H.R. 1495, Arms Control Authorization Act of 1989.

DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development met in executive session and approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

ALASKA OIL SPILL

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on Long-Term Energy Security of the U.S. in light of the Alaska Oil Spill. Testimony was heard from John J. Easton, Jr., Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Affairs and Energy, Department of Energy; Jeffrey Jones, Director, Energy Policy, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense; and a public witness.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Began markup of H.R. 3, Child Development and Education Act of 1989.

Will continue June 27.

TOXIC AIR POLLUTANTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on toxic air pollutants, including H.R. 2585, to control the release of toxic air pollutants, to reduce the threat of catastrophic chemical accidents; and H.R. 4, Clean Air Act Amendments of the 101st Congress; and other proposals for reducing the release of air toxics. Testimony was heard from Melvin Holden, Representative, State of Louisiana; Richard Abrams, Attorney General, Department of Law, State of New York; Bruce Maillet, Director, Division of Air Quality Control, State of Massachusetts; and public witnesses.

MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE CRISIS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on the Municipal Solid Waste Crisis. Testimony was heard from Representatives Richardson and Kanjorski; Sylvia Lowrance, Director, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA;

Howard Levenson, Senior Analyst, OTA; and public witnesses.

NATO AND DEVELOPMENTS IN EAST-WEST RELATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on Challenges Ahead for NATO and Developments in East-West Relations. Testimony was heard from James A. Baker, III, Secretary of State.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from the former officials of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: Joseph Strauss, Special Assistant to the Secretary; Philip Abrams, Under Secretary; and Philip Winn, Assistant Secretary, Housing.

Hearings continue June 29.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Office Systems met to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 491, to establish a mining experimental program on critical minerals; H.R. 1705, Mining and Minerals Policy Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

OVERSIGHT—REVIEW OF FBI'S INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on the status of the GAO's Review of the FBI's international terrorism program. Testimony was heard from Arnold P. Jones, Director, Administration of Justice Issues, GAO.

OVERSIGHT—BANKRUPTCY TRUSTEE PROGRAM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held an oversight hearing on the bankruptcy trustee program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Executive Office for U.S. Trustees, Department of Justice: Thomas J. Stanton, Director and Counsel; and Harry Jones, U.S. Trustee; David Coar, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—INTERPRETATION OF "CITIZENSHIP"

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held an oversight hearing on the interpretation of "citizenship" as it affects the ownership and operation of vessels engaged in the U.S. coastwise trades. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Capt. James M. MacDonald, USCG, Chief, Merchant Vessel Inspection and Documentation Division, Office, Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard, and Karl Bakke, Chief Counsel, Maritime Administration; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 801, amended, to designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, GA, as the "Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building"; and H.R. 2444, to provide for the appointment of Adm. James B. Busey as Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

The Committee approved the following: building project survey reports; 1 lease purchase prospectus; amendments to 2 previously approved construction prospectuses; 1 construction prospectus; 3 design prospectuses; 1 repair, alteration, and construction prospectus; 8 lease prospectuses; 26 repair and alteration prospectuses; and 5 11(b) resolutions.

The committee also approved section 302(b) budget allocation report.

SMOKING ON DOMESTIC FLIGHTS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 160, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to make permanent the prohibition against smoking on scheduled flights of 2 hours or less in duration; H.R. 561, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit smoking on domestic commercial aircraft flights; H.R. 598, Aircraft Cabin Air Quality Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 817, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to make permanent the prohibition against smoking on scheduled domestic flights of 2 hours or less in duration and to extend such prohibition to all scheduled domestic flights. Testimony was heard from Senator Lautenberg; Representatives Durbin, Young of Florida, Thomas of Georgia, Delay and Gillman; John S. Kern, Deputy Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification, FAA, Department of Transportation; Dr. Ronald M. Davis, Director, Office of Smoking and Health, Center for Health Promotion and Education, Centers for Disease Control, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human

Services; Eileen B. Claussen, Director, Office of Program Development, Air and Radiation, EPA; and public witnesses.

WATER RESOURCE PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources held a hearing on water resources project authorizations which have been proposed for inclusion in the Energy and Water Development appropriations bill for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from Representatives Studds, Regula, Watkins, Dyson, McCandless and Herger; G. Edward Dickey, Deputy, Policy and Evaluation, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; and public witnesses.

APPOINTMENT OF NEW NASA ADMINISTRATOR

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications approved for full Committee action the introduction of a measure to authorize the President to appoint RAdm. Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

STATUS AND CONCERNS OF WOMEN VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the status and concerns of women veterans. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: RAdm. Frances Shea-Buckley, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Women Veterans; and Dr. John Gronvall, Chief Medical Director, Veterans Health Services and Research Administration; Donald E. Shasteen, Assistant Secretary, Veterans Employment and Training, Department of Labor; Leonard Klein, Deputy Associate Director, Career Entry and Employment Development, OPM; Leon J. Bechet, Acting Director, Office of Veterans' Affairs, SBA; Linda S. Caldwell, Chairwoman, Advisory Commission on Women Veterans, State of New Jersey; and representatives of veterans organizations.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued consideration of budget reconciliation recommendations.

Will continue June 27.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session and approved for full Committee action the introduction of a measure providing Intel-

ligence and Intelligence-related budget requests for fiscal year 1990.

RESTRUCTURING FOOD AID

Select Committee on Hunger: International Task Force held a hearing on "Restructuring Food Aid: Time For A Change?" Testimony was heard from Christopher Goldthwait, Acting General Sales Manager and Assistant Administrator, Export Credits, USDA; Peter D. Whitney, Director, Office of Regional Economic Policy, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; Philip L. Christenson, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Food for Peace and Voluntary Assistance, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, July 11.

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Friday, June 23, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-six bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1256-1281, S.J. Res. 170-173, and S. Con. Res. 51-53.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1262, to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to make Poland eligible for the Generalized System of Preferences.

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Measures Passed:

Robert Douglas Willis Hydropower Project: Committee on Environment and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 923, to redesignate the Federal hydropower generating facilities located at Dam B on the Neches River at Town Bluff, Texas, as the Robert Douglas Willis Hydropower Project, and the bill was then passed.

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Public Land Exchange: Committee on Environment and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2119, to authorize the exchange of certain Federal public land in Madison County, Illinois, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Burdick) Amendment No. 235, to make technical corrections.

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U.S. Coin Design: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 428, to modernize United States circulating coin designs, of which one reverse will have a theme of the Bicentennial of the Constitution, and the bill was then passed.

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Alternative Fuel Source Development: Senate passed S. 633, to promote the development of technologies which will enable fuel cells to use alternative fuel sources.

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Fuel Cell Technology: Senate passed S. 634, to develop a national policy for the utilization of fuel cell technology.

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Act for Better Child Care: Senate passed S. 5, to provide for a Federal program for the improvement of child care, after taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Jeffords Amendment No. 220, to limit the effect of title I provisions of State law regarding the expenditure of State government revenues in sectarian institutions.

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(2) Domenici Amendment No. 221, to exempt child care services provided by relatives from the prohibition against sectarian activities.

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(3) By 54 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 99), Bentsen Amendment No. 222 (to Amendment No. 202), of a perfecting nature relating to supplemental earned income credit for families with young children.

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(4) Dole Amendment No. 202, to replace the tax credit for health insurance premiums with an increase in the earned income tax credit (as amended by Amendment No. 222, listed above).

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(5) Domenici Amendment No. 224, to provide parents with a choice in the type of care their children receive.

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(6) Mitchell Amendment No. 228, relating to the definition of qualified cash payment.

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(7) Kasten Amendment No. 230, to provide modifications to section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (as amended by subsection (a)).

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(8) Kasten Amendment No. 231, to establish that nothing in this Act shall be construed to require, or to mandate the States to require, the training or licensing of individuals to provide child care to members of their families.

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(9) Biden Amendment No. 232, to establish penalties for the desecration of the United States flag.

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(10) Dodd Amendment No. 233, to make a technical correction.

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(11) Hatch Amendment No. 234, of a technical nature.

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Rejected:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 225, to make those provisions that provide limitations on the use of financial assistance for sectarian purposes and activities unseverable. (By 62 yeas to 36 nays (Vote No. 100), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) By 44 yeas to 53 nays (Vote No. 101), Dole Amendment No. 223, to replace the tax credit for health insurance premiums with an increase in the earned income tax credit.

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(3) Heinz Amendment No. 226, to replace the tax credit for health insurance premiums with an increase in the dependent care tax credit. (By 53 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 102), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(4) Wilson Amendment No. 227, to permit States to use assistance provided under title I to offer child care tax credits to its residents. (By 55 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 103), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Strategic Petroleum Reserve Authority: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S. 694, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to extend the authority for the strategic petroleum reserve, with the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Johnston) Amendment No. 236, in the nature of a substitute.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

James Buchanan Busey IV, of Illinois, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

Frank A. Bracken, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary of the Interior.

Fred T. Goldberg, Jr., of Maryland, to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Delos Cy Jamison, of Montana, to be Director of the Bureau of Land Management.

Richard Harrison Truly, of Texas, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

James R. Thompson, Jr., of Alabama, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Julia Chang Bloch, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Nepal.

Kyo Ryoan Jhin, of Maryland, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report of the Council on Environmental Quality; which was referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (PM-52)

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Announcement by the Presiding Officer: The Chair announced, pursuant to Public Law 100-480, the designation of Senator Thurmond to represent the Republican Leader on the Commission for the Judiciary Office Building.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today, (Total—103)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and in accordance with S. Con. Res. 50, recessed at 6:57 p.m., until 8:30 a.m., on Tuesday, July 11, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, focusing on Latin America, receiving testimony from Bernard Aronson, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; and Frederick Schieck, Acting Assistant Administrator for Latin America, Agency for International Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill (S. 1262), to extend eligibility for the Generalized System of Preferences to Poland.

NUTRITION MONITORING PROGRAM

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 253, to provide for the development, management, and implementation of a national comprehensive nutrition monitoring program, after receiving testimony from Representative Brown; James T. Heimbach, Acting Administrator, Human Nutrition Information Service, Department of Agriculture; J. Michael McGinnis, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Health of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion; Sushma Palmer, Director, Food and Nutrition Board, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Science; J. Burton Eller, Jr., National Cattlemen's Association, Englewood, Colorado; and Darlene A. Dougherty, American Dietetic Association, Chicago, Illinois.

HEALTH BENEFITS/SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 768, to provide all Americans with basic health benefits, focusing on the current health insurance market for small businesses, after receiving testimony from Mark Merlis, Specialist, Education and Public Welfare Division, Congressional Research Service; John C. Lewin, Hawaii State Department of Health, Honolulu; David A. Raine, Raine & Son, Inc., Hyattsville, Maryland, on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Kelly Buckland, Living Independence Network Corp., Boise, Idaho; Lisa M. Carroll, Small Business Service Bureau, Inc., Worcester, Massachusetts; Jane Ramshaw-Reed, Ramshaw and Associates, San Diego, California; W.W. Naylor, American Restaurant Services, Inc., Los Angeles, California, on behalf of the National Restaurant Association; Ronald P. Sandmeyer, Sandmeyer Steel Company,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Lynn Etheredge, Chevy Chase, Maryland.

INDIAN PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on administration of Indian programs by the Environmental Protection Agency, receiving testimony from F. Henry Habicht III, Deputy Administrator, Paul Rasmussen, Director, Office of Program Management, Office of Air and Radiation, William A. Whittington, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Water, Robert Duprey, Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, and Richard E. Sanderson, Director, Office of Federal Activities, Office of External Affairs, all of the Environmental Protection Agency; Everett R. Rhoades, Director, Indian Health Services, Department of Health and Human Services; Patrick A. Hayes, Acting Deputy Assistant for Indian Affairs—Trust and Economic Development, Department of the Interior; Dale Kohler, Colville Confederated Tribes, Nespelem, Washington; John Pursell, Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, Cass Lake; A. David Lester, Council of Energy Resource Tribes, Denver, Colorado; Suzan Shown Harjo, National Congress of American Indians, Washington, DC; and Nora Garcia, Inter-Tribal Council of Arizona, Inc., Phoenix.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 2746-2747; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 324-327, were introduced.

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Reports filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 901, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve programs for the recruitment and retention of health-care personnel of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, to extend certain expiring programs of that Department, amended (101-107);

H.R. 2444, to provide for the appointment of Admiral James B. Busey as Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration (101-108);

H.R. 1048, to provide for the acquisition and publication of data about crimes that manifest prejudice based on race, religion, homosexuality or heterosexuality, or ethnicity, amended (101-109); and

H.J. Res. 281, to approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or the development or production

of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that sanctuary, amended (101-110).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 226 yeas to 71 nays, Roll No. 106, the House approved the Journal of Thursday, June 22.

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Veterans Supplemental Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 318 yeas to 6 nays, Roll No. 107, the House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2042, making supplementary appropriations for the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989—clearing the measure for the President.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 50, providing for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate and a conditional adjournment of the House over the July 4th Holiday—clearing the measure.

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Late Report: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 1048, to provide for the acquisition and publication of data about crimes that manifest prejudice based on race, religion, homosexuality or heterosexuality, or ethnicity.

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Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 13241, 13269. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meeting

U.S.S. "PUEBLO"

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the U.S.S. *Pueblo*. Testimony was heard from VAdm. J.M. Boorda, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Manpower, Personnel and Training), Chief of Navy Personnel, Department of the Navy; and Comdr. Lloyd M. Bucher (Ret.), Commanding Officer U.S.S. *Pueblo*.

Tuesday, June 27, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, July 11, 1989, at 8:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 2748-2766; 3 private bills, H.R. 2767-2769; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 328-338, H. Con. Res. 160, and H. Res. 186-190 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2214, to ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations (H. Rept. 101-111);

Report of the Committee on Agriculture entitled "Report on Allocation of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 1989, submitted pursuant to section 302 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974" (H. Rept. 101-112);

H.R. 2087, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, amended (H. Rept. 101-113);

H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care and Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986 (H. Rept. 101-114); and

H. Res. 187, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101-115).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 296 yeas to 96 nays, Roll No. 108, the House approved the Journal of Thursday, June 22.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Armed Services received permission to sit on Thursday, June 28, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance of the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs received permission to sit on Wednesday, June 28, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Veterans' housing: H.R. 901, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve programs for the recruitment and retention of health-care personnel of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, and to extend certain expiring programs of that Department;

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Veterans' nurse pay: H.R. 1199, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve recruitment and retention of nurses in the Department of Veterans' Affairs by providing greater flexibility in the pay system for those nurses. Agreed to amend the title;

Page 13512

James J. Howard Clinic: H.R. 2557, amended, to designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans' Affairs to be located on New Jersey State Route 70 in Brick Township, New Jersey, as the "James J. Howard Veterans' Outpatient Clinic";

Page 13518

Aleda E. Lutz Medical Center: H.R. 2569, to designate the Department of Veterans' Affairs medical center in Saginaw, Michigan, as the "Aleda E. Lutz Department of Veterans' Affairs Medical Center";

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Veterans' pensions and spouse benefits: H.R. 1334, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to remove a limitation relating to the payment of pensions to veterans furnished hospital care by the Veterans' Administration on a long-term basis. Agreed to amend the title;

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Disaster Assistance Extension Act: H.R. 2467, amended, entitled the "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act";

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Hate crime statistics: H.R. 1048, amended, to provide for the acquisition and publication of data about crimes that manifest prejudice based on race, religion, homosexuality or heterosexuality, or ethnicity (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 368 yeas to 47 nays, Roll No. 110). Agreed to amend the title.

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Government health benefits: H.R. 2705, amended, relating to the method by which Government contributions to the Federal employees health benefits program shall be computed for 1990 or 1991 if no Government-wide indemnity benefit plan participates in that year;

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Cordell Bank Marine Sanctuary: H.J. Res. 281, amended, to approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or the development or production of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that sanctuary. Agreed to amend the title;

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Palau Compact of Free Association: H.J. Res. 175, amended, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau;

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Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations: H.R. 2214, to ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations;

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Claims against Armed Forces medical negligence: H.R. 536, amended, to amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, to allow claims against the United States under that chapter for damages arising from certain negligent medical care provided members of the Armed Forces; and

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Sense of the House regarding U.S. flag: H. Res. 186, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the flag of the United States (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 411 yeas to 5 nays, Roll No. 111).

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MFN Status for Hungary: By a yea-and-nay vote of 242 yeas to 172 nays, Roll No. 109 (two-thirds of those present not voting in favor), the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1594, amended, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment to the products of the People's Republic of Hungary for five years.

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D.C. Civil Contempt Imprisonment Limitation: Legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order, and the House considered H.R. 2136, amended, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time of which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such case; on which the yea-and-nay vote on passage was postponed until Wednesday, June 28.

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Presidential Message—Environmental Quality: Received a message from the President wherein he transmits the annual report of the Council on Environmental Quality, entitled "Environmental Quality,

1987-1988"—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

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Referrals: Eight Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 13494, 13602, 13604. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 9:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 29.

CROP ACREAGE BASE PROVISIONS—FOOD SECURITY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton, Rice, and Sugar and the Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans, and Feed Grains held a joint hearing to review crop acreage base provisions of the 1985 Food Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Roberts and Stenholm; John Campbell, Deputy Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Programs, USDA; and public witnesses.

GRAND ISLAND NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms, and Energy approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this measure. Testimony was heard from Larry Henson, Associate Deputy Chief, National Forest Systems, Forest Service, USDA; and a public witness.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on District of Columbia continued hearings on Governmental Direction and Support; and on Public Safety and Justice and Economic Development and Regulation. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Calvin C. Tildon, Acting Director, Office of Personnel; Maurice T. Turner, Jr., Chief of Police; Rayfield Alfred, Fire Chief; Walter B. Ridley, Acting Director, Department of Corrections; Gladys W. Mack, Chairperson,

Board of Parole; Teri Doke, Acting Secretary, Office of the City Secretary; Dwight S. Cropp, Director, Office of Intergovernmental Relations; Edward W. Norton, Chairman, Board of Elections and Ethics; Marianne Coleman Niles, Director, Office of Campaign Finance; Theresa Watson, Chairman, Retirement Board; Wylie L. Williams, Deputy Mayor, Economic Development; Fred L. Greene, Director, Office of Planning; David S. Dennison, Director, Department of Housing and Community Development; Ronald L. Turpin, Acting Director, Department of Public and Assisted Housing; and Maj. Gen. Calvin G. Franklin, Commanding General, National Guard.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported the following bills: S. 1184, to allow the obsolete destroyer U.S.S. *Edson* (DD 946) to be transferred to the Intrepid Sea Air Space Museum in New York before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period; and H.R. 1495, amended, Arms Control Authorization Act of 1989.

The Committee considered pending Department of Defense reprogrammings.

The Committee also began markup of H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

IMPACT OF ACCOUNTING AND REGULATORY PROCEDURES ON THE THIRD WORLD DEBT PROBLEM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on the Impact of Accounting and Regulatory Procedures on the Third World Debt Problem. Testimony was heard from Robert J. Herrmann, Senior Deputy Comptroller, Bank Supervision, Office of Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; Allen Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance Division, GAO; William Taylor, Director, Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation, Federal Reserve System; and a public witness.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3, Child Development and Education Act of 1989.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR SERVICE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported amended H.R. 971, Telephone Operator Service Consumer Protection Act of 1989.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Recent Developments in Eastern Europe. Testimony was heard from Curtis Kamman, Deputy Assistance Secretary, European Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; DRAFT REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 982, Postal Reorganization Act Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1326, amended to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Commission for fiscal year 1990.

The Committee also approved the following draft reports: "Fire and Explosion in Kansas City: Lack of Information About Hazardous Materials Jeopardizes Firefighters"; and "PCP's: EPA Must Strengthen Regulations, Improve Enforcement and Prevent Criminal Activity".

DRAFT REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources approved for full Committee action the following draft report: "PCB's: EPA Must Strengthen Regulations, Improve Enforcement and Prevent Criminal Activity."

COMMISSION ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER NATIONAL HERITAGE CORRIDOR ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2174, Commission on the Mississippi River National Heritage Corridor Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Espy and Smith of Mississippi; Gerald Patten, Associate Director, Planning and Development, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations continued oversight hearings on adjudicatory procedures at the Department of Health and Human Services. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Louis Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA; and Ross Anthony, Associate Administrator, Program Development, Health Care Financing Administration; and public witnesses.

PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF COASTAL AND GREAT LAKES ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography and the Great Lakes held a joint hearing on H.R. 2647, to provide for the protection and preservation of coastal and Great Lakes environmental quality for present and future generations. Testimony was heard from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator, Water, EPA; Kent Burton, Assistant Secretary, Oceans and Atmosphere, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Robert Percia-sepe, Deputy Secretary, Department of the Environment, State of Maryland, and a public witness.

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held a hearing on H.R. 1211, to require that the Director of the Office of Management and Budget include a reference to Easton, Pennsylvania, in the official title of the metropolitan statistical area of which it is a part. Testimony was heard from Representative Ritter; S. Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB; Sal Panto, Mayor, City of Easton, Pennsylvania; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN REPAIR STATIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 145, to terminate the effectiveness of certain amendments to the foreign repair station rules of the Federal Aviation Administration; and H.R. 1741, to require certain work on aircraft to be performed by a domestic repair station. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mineta, Watkins, Pelosi, Inhofe, Lantos, Synar and Wheat; the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs; and Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification, FAA; Allan Larson, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Economic and Business Affairs, Department of State; Linda F. Powers, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Services, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

ENERGY AND DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI against specified provisions of H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule makes in order the following amendments printed in the report accompa-

nying this resolution: (1) the amendment, if offered by Representative Mrazek; (2) the amendment, if offered by Representative Owens of Utah; and (3) the amendment, if offered by Representative Martin of Illinois; and (4) the amendments, if offered by Representative Roe, or his designee, which shall be considered en bloc and shall not be subject to a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Clause 7 of Rule XVI is waived against the Mrazek amendment and the Owens amendment. Clause 2 of Rule XXI is waived against the Mrazek amendment, the Owens amendment, and the Martin amendment. Testimony was heard from Representatives Beville, Obey, Watkins, Chapman, Roe, Anderson, Eckart, Owens of Utah, Mrazek, Boggs, Myers of Indiana, Livingston, Hamerschmidt, Stangeland, Nielson of Utah and Barton of Texas.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued consideration of budget reconciliation recommendations from the Subcommittee on Health.

Will continue tomorrow.

STEEL IMPORT STABILIZATION EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: On June 26, the Subcommittee on Trade continued hearings on H.R. 904, Steel Import Stabilization Extension Act, and other proposals related to the Steel VRA Program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cardin and Petri; and public witnesses.

1991 WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON AGING

Select Committee on Aging: On June 26, the Subcommittee on Human Services and the full Select Committee held a joint hearing on "1991 White House Conference on Aging: Options and Strategies". Testimony was heard from Dr. Joyce Berry, Acting Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

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Wednesday, June 28, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, July 11, 1989, at 8:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 2770-2787; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 339-346, H. Con. Res. 161 and 162, and H. Res. 191 and 192 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1312, to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal year 1992 certain authorities contained in such Act relating to national volunteer antipoverty programs, amended (H. Rept. 101-116).

Page 13844

Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 299 yeas to 100 nays, Roll No. 112, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, June 27.

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D.C. Civil Contempt Imprisonment Limitation: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 376 yeas to 34 nays, Roll No. 113, the House passed H.R. 2136, amended, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time of which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such case. This bill was debated on Tuesday, June 27.

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Illinois Land Exchange: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2119, to authorize the exchange of certain Federal public land in Madison County, Illinois—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 13662

Texas Land Conveyance: House passed H.R. 2749, to authorize the conveyance of a parcel of land in Whitney Lake, Texas.

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Agreed to the Anderson amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 13664

Elbert P. Tuttle Building: House passed H.R. 801, to designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, Georgia, as the "Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building".

Page 13665

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Financial Institutions Reform: The Speaker, under the authority granted by the House on June 22, 1989, made the following corrections in the appointment of conferees on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies:

(1) For the second panel from the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, delete section 223 of the House bill from the sections under consideration;

(2) For the first panel from the Committee on Ways and Means, add section 1412 of the Senate amendment as a section for consideration; and

(3) For the second panel from the Committee on Ways and Means, delete section 503 of the Senate amendment from the sections under consideration.

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Transfer of Naval Vessel: House passed S. 1184, to allow the obsolete destroyer United States ship *Edson* (DD 946) to be transferred to the Intrepid Sea-Air-Space Museum in New York before the expiration of the otherwise applicable sixty-day congressional review period—clearing the measure for the President.

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Energy and Water Appropriations: House passed H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed To:

The Martin of Illinois amendment that appropriates \$600,000 to begin construction of the Loves Park Creek Flood Control Project, in Loves Park, Illinois;

Page 13688

The Owens of Utah amendment that makes funds appropriated under section 8 of Public Law 100-563 available for fish and wildlife mitigation measures associated with the Central Utah Project (agreed to by a recorded vote of 243 ayes to 174 noes, Roll No. 117);

Page 13692

The Watkins amendment that deletes language in the Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act, 1988, concerning the completion of the McGee Creek Project;

Page 13696

The Roe amendment en bloc that reduces the appropriation for the Nuclear Waste Disposal Fund by \$25.3 billion, and increases the appropriation for Energy Supply, Research, and Development by the same amount; and

Page 13697

The Horton amendment that increases the appropriation for Atomic Energy Defense Activities by

\$15.3 million to fund an upgrade of the University of Rochester laser laboratory.

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Rejected:

The Conte amendment that sought to remove the Federal obligation to fund additional recreation facilities at Cooper Lake and Channels project in Texas (rejected by a recorded vote of 179 ayes to 238 noes, Roll No. 115); and

Page 13685

The Eckart amendment that sought to reduce the appropriation for the Superconducting Super Collider from \$200 million to \$90 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 93 ayes to 330 noes, Roll No. 118).

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The following points of order were sustained against provisions of the bill:

Language that sought to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Army to design, construct, operate and maintain Federal hydroelectric generating facilities at the Broken Bow Reregulation Dam in Oklahoma; and

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Language that sought to authorize the construction of a project for flood control along the Santa Ana River in the vicinity of the city of Norco as a part of the Santa Ana River Mainstem project.

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The Clerk was authorized to make any necessary technical corrections in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res 187, the rule waiving certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 364 yeas to 47 nays, Roll No. 114.

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Energy Policy and Conservation: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendments to S. 694, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to extend the authority for the strategic petroleum reserve—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 13714

International Cooperation Act: House continued consideration of H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, and to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will continue on Thursday, June 29.

Pages 13715, 13718

Agreed To:

The Stallings amendment, as amended by the Craig amendment, that expedites privatization of engineering, surveying, mapping, and construction services currently provided to foreign countries by federal agencies;

Page 13718

The Solomon amendment that prohibits the use of funds made available by this act to finance the purchase, sale, long-term lease, or exchange of any motor vehicle not manufactured in the United States;

Page 13718

The Fascell en bloc amendment that expresses the sense of the Congress that the President should take into consideration the current status of the El Salvador government with respect to its war with communist elements; Nicaraguan compliance with human rights and free elections; military assistance to Nicaragua by the Soviet Union; assistance for Ecuador; commendation to Mexico for economic reforms; support for a multilateral antinarcotics strike force; and United States Policy regarding reforms which should be taken by Nicaragua in order to bring about peace and democracy;

Page 13727

The Fascell en bloc amendment that provides developmental and economic assistance to Lebanon for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; expresses the sense of the Congress that the former inhabitants of New Fama-gusta should be resettled; expresses concern by the Congress of human rights violations in Yugoslavia; condemns the excessive use of force by Soviet troops in response to demonstration in Soviet Georgia; and permits importation of certain defense articles from Poland and Hungary by a museum or educational institution;

Page 13734

The Torricelli amendment, as amended by the Hyde amendment (agreed to by a recorded vote of 299 ayes to 118 noes, Roll No. 120), that requires a report by any United States agency that expends funds to directly or indirectly influence the 1990 elections in Nicaragua, to be submitted to the appropriate committees of the Congress;

Page 13738

The Goss amendment that expresses the sense of the Congress that the Sandinista Government has failed to fulfill the minimum standards required by the Tesoro Beach agreement to ensure free and fair elections in Nicaragua in 1990 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 293 ayes to 119 noes, Roll No. 121, after having been rejected by a division vote of 20 ayes to 22 noes);

Page 13742

The McCollum amendment, as amended by the McCurdy amendment, that promotes the development of separate law enforcement forces and armed forces of El Salvador with assistance provided by United States civilian law enforcement personnel

(agreed to by a recorded vote of 220 ayes to 198 noes, Roll No. 123); and

Page 13757

The Solomon amendment that expresses the sense of the Congress that the President should not appoint a new Administrator to head the Panama Canal Commission until Panama has in place a democratic, constitutional government.

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Rejected:

The Solomon amendment that sought to require random drug testing of officers and employees of Federal agencies assigned to carry out any assistance program funded under this act (rejected by a recorded vote of 204 ayes to 212 noes, Roll No. 119); and

Page 13715

The McHugh amendment that sought to require the Congress to enact a joint resolution to grant El Salvador the April 1990 military aid installment (rejected by a recorded vote of 185 ayes to 233 noes, Roll No. 122).

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call, three yea-and-nay votes, and eight recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 13661, 13662, 13669, 13687, 13695, 13710, 13717, 13742, 13746, 13754, 13768.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:43 a.m. on Thursday, June 29.

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing to review issues relating to formulation of the 1990 Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Martin, Lehman of California, Roth, Slattery, Smith of Nebraska, Dorgan of North Dakota, Stearns, Thomas of Georgia, Kastenmeier and Bereuter; George A. Sinner, Governor, North Dakota; and Mike Hayden, Governor, Kansas.

Hearings continue July 12.

FUTURES INDUSTRY INVESTIGATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings on futures industry investigation. The Subcommittee was briefed by staff.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on District of Columbia held a hearing on Financing and

Other Uses. Testimony was heard from Kent T. Cushenberry, Chairman, Board of Directors, Washington Convention Center, District of Columbia.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on Economic Development and Regulation, and on Public Education System, Human Support Services and on Enterprise Funds. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: F. Alexis H. Robinson, Director, Department of Employment Services; Donald G. Murray, Director, Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs; R. David Hall, Vice President and Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Education; and Peter G. Parham, Director, Department of Human Services.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991.

LONG-TERM ENERGY SECURITY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on long-term security, with emphasis on effect of vessel casualties. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation: Capt. Gerard B. Bardon, Chief, Marine Investigations Division; Capt. James M. MacDonald, Chief, Merchant Vessel Inspection and Documentation Division; Comdr. Thomas Purtell, Chief, Marine Safety and Evaluation Branch; and Comdr. Doug Lentsch, Chief, Pollution Response Branch.

FEDERAL CRIME INSURANCE PROGRAM; FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance approved for full Committee action the Federal Crime Insurance Program and the National Flood Insurance Program authorizations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee concluded hearings on the Federal Crime Insurance Program. Testimony was heard from Representative Green; Harold T. Duryee, Administrator, Federal Insurance Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education, Subcommittee on Human Resources, Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Select Education held a joint hearing on National Youth Service (H.R. 660, Citizenship and National Service Act of 1989, H.R. 717, American Conserva-

tion and Youth Service Corps Act of 1989; H.R. 948, National Volunteer Service Act of 1989; H.R. 1000, National Community Service Act of 1989; and related bills). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—HEALTH HAZARDS IN HIGH TECH INDUSTRIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held an oversight hearing on health hazards in high tech industries. Testimony was heard from Philip J. Bierbaum, Director, Division of Physical Sciences and Engineering, National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

RELIEF FOR ELDERLY EVICTION AND FORECLOSURE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on H.R. 1062, Relief for Elderly Eviction and Foreclosure Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Gekas; and public witnesses.

NRC AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Began markup of H.R. 1549, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Authorization Act for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

CHANGES IN ELECTRONIC INFORMATION FORMAT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing continued hearings to review the printing chapters of Title 44 of the United States Code due to the changes in electronic information format, distribution, and technology in the past decade. Testimony was heard from Representative Fazio; Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB; S. Bruce Scaggs, Assistant Public Printer, GPO; the following officials of GAO: L. Nye Stevens, Director, General Government Division; and Larry E. Rolufs, Director, Office of Publications and Communications.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 491, to establish a mining experimental program on critical minerals; H.R. 1705, Mining and Minerals Policy Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the Act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

POST-EMPLOYMENT RESTRICTIONS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held a hearing on provisions applicable to the judicial branch of H.R. 2267, Post-Employment Restrictions Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Judicial Conference of the U.S. Courts: Walter K. Stapleton, Judge, Third Circuit Court of Appeals; Arthur L. Nims, III, Chief Judge, U.S. Tax Court; and George C. Paine, II, Judge, U.S. Bankruptcy Court; and Edward S.G. Dennis, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice.

JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE: DISCIPLINE AND CONDUCT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice continued hearings on Judicial Independence: Discipline and Conduct (H.R. 1620, Judicial Discipline and Impeachment Reform Act of 1989, H.R. 1930, to amend section 371 of title 28, United States Code, to provide that justices and judges in senior status, in order to receive certain salary increases, be certified as having performed a certain amount of work each year, H.R. 2181, to restore lost compensation and establish the procedure for adjusting future compensation of justices and judges of the United States). Testimony was heard from Abner J. Mikva, Circuit Judge, Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia; and a public witness.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held an oversight hearing on Orderly Departure Program and U.S. Policy regarding Vietnamese Boat People. Testimony was heard from Representative Atkins; Delia B. Combs, Assistant Commissioner, Refugees, Asylum and Parole, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; from the following officials of the Department of State: Robert Funseth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Refugee Affairs; and David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Phil A. Holman, Acting Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Family Support Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and Rear Adm. James E. Taylor, Director, Politico-Military Policy and Current Plans Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Department of the Navy.

IMPROVING THE PUBLIC IMAGE OF CIVIL SERVANTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on improving the public image of civil servants. Testimony was

heard from Paul A. Volcker, Chairman, National Commission on the Public Service; Constance Berry Newman, Director, OPM; David Lilly, Special Investigator, Mine Health and Safety Administration, Department of Labor; the following officials of the NIH, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Ruth L. Kirschstein, Director, National Institute of General Medical Sciences; and Dr. Malcolm A. Martin, Chief, Laboratory of Molecular Microbiology; Marilyn Ross Povenmire, Foreign Service Officer, Department of State; Kenneth Klasinski, Air Traffic Controller Specialist, FAA Headquarters, Department of Transportation; Gerry Grahn, Pilot, U.S. Customs Service, Albuquerque Air Operations Branch, Department of the Treasury; and a public witness.

COMPREHENSIVE OIL SPILL LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources held a hearing on proposals pertaining to comprehensive oil spill liability and compensation. Testimony was heard from Representative Walgren; Jeff Shane, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation; Brian Hoyle, Director, Office of Ocean Law and Policy, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Fine Civic Affairs, Department of State; Jim Makris, Director, Office of Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention, EPA; Amy Kyle, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

MAINTAINING THE INTEGRITY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on maintaining the Integrity of Scientific Research. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Lyle Bivens, Acting Director, Office of Scientific Integrity Review; Brian Kimes, Acting Director, Office of Scientific Integrity; and William F. Raub, Deputy Director, NIH; Robert M. Andersen, Deputy General Counsel, NSF; and public witnesses.

COSMETIC SURGERY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy continued hearings on Cosmetic Surgery. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Approved for inclusion in the budget reconciliation package recommendations from the Subcommittee on Health.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session and began markup of H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.

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Thursday, June 29, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, July 11, 1989, at 8:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives**Chamber Action**

Bills Introduced: 58 public bills, H.R. 2788–2845; 1 private bill, H.R. 2846; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 347–352, H. Con. Res. 163, and H. Res. 193 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service entitled "Report Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974) (H. Rept. 101–117);

Report from the Committee on Government Operations entitled "PCB's: EPA Must Strengthen Regulations, Improve Enforcement and Prevent Criminal Activity" (H. Rept. 101–118);

H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, amended (H. Rept. 101–119); and

H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–120).

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Financial Institutions Reform: The Speaker appointed Representative James as a conferee on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal

financial institutions regulatory agencies; vice Representative Hyde, resigned.

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National Women's Business Council: The Speaker appointed the following individuals from private life to the National Women's Business Council, on the part of the House: Mrs. Esther Shapiro of Los Angeles, California; and Ms. Gilliam Rudd of Washington, DC; and the Minority Leader appointed Ms. Marilu Meyer of Chicago, Illinois to the Council.

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International Cooperation Act: By a yea-and-nay vote of 314 yeas to 101 nays, Roll No. 129, the House passed H.R. 2655, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, and to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

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Rejected the Leach of Iowa motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Foreign Affairs with instructions to report the bill back forthwith without language designed to require cash transfer recipient countries to spend an amount equal to that cash transfer on United States goods and services, which goods purchased would be made subject to United States law requiring transport on American ships (rejected by a recorded vote of 162 ayes to 255 noes, Roll No. 128).

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Agreed to:

The Fascell en bloc amendment that clarifies funding authorities; provides for monitoring of technology linkage with the People's Republic of China regarding the degree to which that country has reduced its assistance to the Khmer Rouge; reaffirms as a national priority the American prisoners of war in Southeast Asia; articulates United States policy toward one-child-per-family programs in the People's Republic of China; provides for assistance to displaced Burmese student along the Thai-Burmese border; provides for annual certification regarding arms transfers by the People's Republic of China to Iran, Iraq, Libya, and Syria; expresses the sense of Congress regarding the removal of mines in Afghanistan; urges the Government of India to end its support for the Communist Government in Afghanistan; agree to submit to international safeguard inspections of India's nuclear activities, and become a party to the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons

Treaty; and expresses the sense of Congress on the war in Afghanistan;

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The Fascell en bloc amendment, as modified, that deals with the actions of the government of the People's Republic of China in suppressing the pro-democracy movement in China; commends the President for clear articulation of United States condemnation of the PRC's actions; supports the consultative approach with other nations utilized in coordinating the United States response; calls on the General Assembly of the United Nations to condemn actions by the government of the PRC; calls on the Secretary of State to express strong reservations of the United States to the United Nations and the People's Republic of China with respect to the absence of guarantees for free direction elections and human rights; and continues suspension of new authority for Overseas Private Investment Corporation and the Trade Development Agency, suspensions of munitions export licenses, export of crime control and detection instruments, export of U.S. manufactured satellites, eligibility for a license for export under the Nuclear Cooperation with the People's Republic of China; and suspension of the CoCom discussion on the liberalization of export controls agreed to by a recorded vote of 418 ayes, Roll No. 124;

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The Fascell en bloc amendment that prohibits providing funds, material, or military training for any military or paramilitary operations of persons or groups engaged in an insurgency against the government of Nicaragua;

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The Fascell en bloc amendment expressing the sense of the Congress that the United States should work to eliminate apartheid in South Africa through a comprehensive policy of nonracial democracy; expresses the sense of Congress concerning Angola that the United States should continue to promote talks between leaders of opposing political movements in that country, continue a policy of opposing international credits to Angola until there is an agreement on national reconciliation in Angola or the President determines there has been significant progress towards such an agreement; commends the President of Zaire on bringing about a cease-fire in that country; establishes relationship between the provision of assistance to Mozambique and continued commitment by that country to talks aimed at a solution to Mozambique's civil war that respects human rights; urges the President to use economic and diplomatic pressures upon the Government of Ethiopia if, after the enactment of the act, the Ethiopian government fails to act in good faith to resolve its internal wars and improve respect for human rights; reiterates friendship and longstanding inter-

ests with Kenya and commends improved human rights actions by that government; and establishes guidelines for the consideration of military assistance to foreign governments;

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The Solomon amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that the vital interests and security of the United States would be jeopardized if the nation became dependent on communist countries as the source of essential minerals and metals;

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The Traficant amendment, as amended by the Fascell substitute amendment (agreed to by a recorded vote of 406 ayes to 12 noes, Roll No. 127), that reduces by a further 5 percent the amounts authorized for activities under this Act; and provides further that the aggregate amount appropriated for fiscal year 1990 pursuant to the authorizations in this Act may not exceed \$11,236,407,000;

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The Smith of New Jersey amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that, due to flagrant human rights violations on the part of the Republic of Romania, the United States should impose sanctions against that country's food and agricultural products; and that the President should consult with allied countries in developing a coordinated policy to impose sanctions against Romania;

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The Burton amendment, as amended by the Yatron amendment, that expresses the deep displeasure of the United States with specific countries voting against the United States and with Cuba at the United Nations Human Rights Commission in Geneva on the resolution proposed by Panama to curb the United Nations investigation of human rights abuses in Cuba; and

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The Burton amendment, as amended by the Berman amendment, that expresses the sense of Congress that the United States should continue to reject the resolution adopted by the United Nations General Assembly that calls zionism a form of racism and urges all other countries which have not done so to join in formally rejecting the resolution.

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Rejected:

The Roth amendment that sought to reduce the \$1 billion authorized for the Multilateral Assistance Initiative for the Philippines to \$200 million in each of the fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (rejected by a recorded vote of 185 ayes to 233 noes, Roll No. 125); and

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The Herger amendment that sought not to allow any economic or technical assistance to be given to India until the Department of State certifies that India has allowed Amnesty International to begin a

review of the human rights situation in the Punjab region (rejected by a recorded vote of 204 ayes to 212 noes, Roll No. 126).

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The following amendments were offered, but subsequently withdrawn:

The Porter amendment that sought to express the sense of the Congress that the President should take actions necessary under the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit increased immigration from Hong Kong to the United States; and

The Burton amendment that sought to eliminate the bill's ban on United States aid to the contras, directly or indirectly.

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The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, cross references, punctuation, and grammatical and spelling errors, to correct the table of contents to reflect the provisions of the bill as passed, and to make such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary to reflect the actions of the House in amending the bill.

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Late Reports: Committee on Energy and Commerce received permission to have until midnight on July 10 to file a report on H.R. 315, to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasters afford reasonable opportunity for discussion of conflicting views on issues of public importance;

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Committee on the Judiciary received permission to have until 6 p.m. on July 7 to file reports on H.R. 1391, to exempt from the anti-trust laws certain activities relating to alleviating the negative impact of violence in telecast material; and H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees; and

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Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Monday, July 10, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

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Check-Up Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 95, to designate the week of

September 10, 1989, through September 16, 1989, as "National Check-Up Week."

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Lithuanian Independence Day: House passed H.J. Res. 149, designating February 16, 1990, as "Lithuanian Independence Day."

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Literacy Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 96, designating July 1, 1989, as "National Literacy Day."

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Decade of the Brain: House passed H.J. Res. 174, to designate the decade beginning January 1, 1990, as the "Decade of the Brain."

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Pride in the Flag Day: House agreed to H. Res. 189, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that individuals throughout the United States should observe Independence Day, July 4, 1989, as "Take Pride in the Flag Day."

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Law Enforcement Training Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 137, designating January 7, 1990, through January 13, 1990, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week."

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Resignation: Read a letter to the Speaker from Representative Wright wherein he resigns as a Member of the 101st Congress, effective June 30.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and five recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 13903, 13911, 13915, 13929, 13939, 13940. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and, pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 50, adjourned at 6:15 p.m. until noon on Monday, July 10.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development continued hearings to review rural economic development. Testimony was heard from Representative Coleman of Missouri; and public witnesses.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported Interior appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies approved for full Committee action the fiscal year 1990 Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies appropriation bill.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Ordered reported H. Con. Res. 86, expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should encourage the private creditors of Mexico to take certain actions to reduce Mexico's debt and debt-service cost.

The Committee also approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on H.R. 1180, Housing and Community Development Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on H.R. 2039, Job Training Partnership Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Elizabeth H. Dole, Secretary of Labor; and Lawrence H. Thompson, Assistant Comptroller General, Human Resources Division, GAO.

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1549, Nuclear Regulatory Commission Authorization Act for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

OVERSIGHT-TVA'S CONSERVATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on the TVA's conservation programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Marvin T. Runyon, Chairman, TVA; and James J. Jura, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration; and public witnesses.

MEDICARE AND MEDICAID BUDGET RECONCILIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee action Medicare and Medicaid budget reconciliation recommendations.

MODERATE REHABILITATION HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Favoritism by HUD in Administering the Moderate Rehabilitation Housing Program. Testimony was heard from William Connolly, Director of Housing, State of New Jersey; and a public witness.

CHANGES IN ELECTRONIC INFORMATION FORMAT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing continued hearings to review the printing chapters of Title 44 of the United States Code due to the changes in electronic information format, distribution, and technology in the past decade. Testimony was heard from James L. Cherny, Director, Navy Publishing and Printing Service, Department of the Navy; Armand R. Lienard, Branch Chief, Reprographics Management Branch, Bolling Air Force Base, Department of the Air Force; Daniel R. Espinoza, Chief, Publications Services Division, Department of Transportation; Thomas E. May, Director, Printing and Graphics Division, Department of the Treasury; David Lane, Director, Office of Information, USDA; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 919, Big Thicket National Preserve Addition Act of 1989; H.R. 2065, amended Tropical Forests Initiative Act; and H.R. 875, amended, Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania Battlefield Memorial National Military Park Expansion Act.

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE BUDGET

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on the Immigration and Naturalization Service budget. Testimony was heard from Henry Wray, Senior Associate General Counsel, GAO; Michael Roper, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Justice Management Division, Department of Justice; and a public witness.

CERTIFICATE OF DOCUMENTATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1803, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel the *African Queen*; H.R. 2767, to authorize issuance of a

certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel *M/V Harbor Exec*; H.R. 2652, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *M/V South Bass*; H.R. 431, to clear certain impediments to the licensing of a vessel for employment in the coastwise trade and fisheries of the United States; H.R. 1328, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *3/4 Time*; H.R. 1580, amended, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel *M/V Northern Victor*; and H.R. 2768, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the submersible vessel *PC-1501*.

EASTERN AIRLINE

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the current condition of Eastern Airline and the prospects for its restoration as a major carrier. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gingrich, Jones of Georgia, and Lewis of Georgia; the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Patrick V. Murphy, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs; and John S. Kern, Deputy Associate Administrator, Regulation and Certification, FAA; and public witnesses.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued reconciliation markup.

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Monday, July 10, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, July 11, 1989, at 8:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Sustainability and Support completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee began evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from James Deichert, Assistant United States Attorney, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 2847–2848 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, amended (H. Rept. 101–121, filed on July 1);

H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories for nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees (H. Rept. 101–122, filed July 6); and

H.R. 1391, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain activities relating to alleviating the negative impact of violence in telecast material, amended, (H. Rept. 101–123, filed July 7).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HUD COINSURANCE MORTGAGE PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: On June 30, the Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a

hearing on Housing and Urban Development Coin-surance Mortgage Program. Testimony was heard from Paul Adams, Inspector General, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Thomas T. Demery, former Assistant Secretary, Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and a public witness.

AGENT ORANGE STUDIES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on Agent Orange Studies. Testimony was heard from Dr. Vernon N. Houk, Director, Center for Environmental Health and Injury Control, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; Col. William H. Wolfe, M.D., Principal Investigator, Ranch Hand Study, Department of the Air Force; the following officials of the Veterans' Advisory Committee on Environmental Hazards: Oliver E. Meadows, Chairman; and Armon Yanders, Chairman, Scientific Council; Helen Gel-

band, Senior Associate, Office of Technology Assessment; and a public witness.

Joint Meetings

EMPLOYMENT-UNEMPLOYMENT/PARIS ECONOMIC SUMMIT

Joint Economic Committee: On Friday, July 7, the committee held hearings to review the employment-unemployment situation for June, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Also, on Thursday, July 6, the committee held hearings to examine prospects for the upcoming 15th annual Economic Summit in Paris, July 14-16, receiving testimony from C. Fred Bergsten, Institute For International Economics, Washington, DC; Robert Hormats, Goldman Sachs International, New York, New York; and Jeffrey Sachs, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Committee recessed subject to call.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through June 30, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	67	77	..
Time in session.....	373 hrs., 05'	295 hrs., 16'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	7,585	3,524	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	2,425	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	25	27	..
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	4	..
Measures passed, total.....	245	224	469
Senate bills.....	23	7	..
House bills.....	19	67	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	68	20	..
House joint resolutions.....	17	24	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	20	16	..
House concurrent resolutions..	10	13	..
Simple resolutions.....	88	77	..
Measures reported, total.....	*135	*106	241
Senate bills.....	42	..	..
House bills.....	5	77	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	57	1	..
House joint resolutions.....	2	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	7	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	34	24	..
Special reports.....	10	10	..
Conference reports.....	..	4	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	34	21	..
Measures introduced, total.....	1,659	3,554	5,213
Bills.....	1,281	2,846	..
Joint resolutions.....	57	352	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	53	163	..
Simple resolutions.....	152	193	..
Quorum calls.....	4	10	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	103	71	..
Recorded votes.....	..	48	..
Bills vetoed.....	..	1	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

* These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 59 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 120 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through June 30, 1989

Civilian nominations, totaling 308, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	148
Unconfirmed.....	144
Withdrawn.....	15
Rejected.....	1

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 1,818, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,816
Unconfirmed.....	2

Air Force nominations, totaling 6,751, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	6,750
Unconfirmed.....	1

Army nominations, totaling 12,624, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	11,706
Unconfirmed.....	918

Navy nominations, totaling 8,115, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	5,628
Unconfirmed.....	2,487

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,175, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,967
Unconfirmed.....	208

Summary

Total nominations received this session.....	31,791
Total confirmed.....	28,015
Total unconfirmed.....	3,760
Total withdrawn.....	15
Total rejected.....	1

Tuesday, July 11, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14078-14209

Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1282-1294, and S.J. Res. 174.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Reported on Thursday, July 6, during the recess:

S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not previously been recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy to its customers, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-60)

S. 267, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain lands in Idaho to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blevins of Kuna, Idaho, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-61)

S. 338, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-62)

S. 830, to amend Public Law 99-647, establishing the Blackstone River Valley Heritage Corridor Commission, to authorize the Commission to take immediate action in furtherance of its purposes and to increase the authorization of appropriations for the Commission, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-63)

H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home. (S. Rept. No. 101-64)

H.R. 1485, to provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada, for national defense and other purposes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-65)

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Reported today:

S. 797, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to improve the education of children by establishing a National Endowment for Children's Educational Television, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-66)

S. 890, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel HMS *Discovery*. (S. Rept. No. 101-67)

S. 904, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of

the United States for the vessel the *African Queen*. (S. Rept. No. 101-68)

S. 1148, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel M/V *Northern Victor*. (S. Rept. No. 101-69)

S. 1172, to authorize a certificate of documentation for a vessel. (S. Rept. 101-70)

H.R. 840, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission. (S. Rept. No. 101-71)

H.R. 968, to provide for the Federal reimbursement of local noise abatement funds. (S. Rept. No. 101-72)

S. 1036, to improve the economic, community, and educational well-being of rural America, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-73)

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Immigration Act of 1989: Senate began consideration of S. 358, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to change the level, and preference system for admission, of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

By a unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 104), Mitchell/Dole Amendment No. 239, to adjust to lawful temporary resident status certain nationals of the People's Republic of China.

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Pending:

Helms Amendment No. 240, in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, July 12.

Nomination Confirmed: By 78 yeas to 19 nays (Vote No. 105), Senate confirmed the nomination of Chic Hecht, of Nevada, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Arthur W. Fort, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Raymond Charles Ewing, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana.

Eric M. Javits, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Venezuela.

Jerry Alexander Moore, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Lesotho.

Edward Joseph Perkins, of Oregon, to be Director General of the Foreign Service.

Michael G. Sotirhos, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Greece.

Joy A. Silverman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Barbados, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Commonwealth of Dominica, Ambassador to Saint Lucia, and Ambassador to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.

Thomas F. Stroock, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala.

Evelyn Irene Hoopes Teegen, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Fiji, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Kingdom of Tonga, Ambassador to Tuvalu, and Ambassador to the Republic of Kiribati.

Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts, to be the Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador.

Milton James Wilkinson, of New Hampshire, to be Deputy Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

Linda M. Combs, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Martin C. Faga, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Gilbert E. Carmichael, of Mississippi, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration.

Michelle Easton, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs, Department of Education.

Harry M. Snyder, of Kentucky, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

Jane A. Kenny, of Virginia, to be Director of the ACTION Agency.

Alfred C. Sikes, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission.

Jean McKee, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

Kathleen Day Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

Janet Dempsey Steiger, of the District of Columbia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner.

Daphne Wood Murray, of Texas, to be Director of the Institute of Museum Services.

Eugene P. Kopp, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the United States Information Agency.

4 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

45 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Coast Guard, Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy nominations.

Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nominations, which were received by the Senate on January 3, 1989:

Robert H. Gentile, of Ohio, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement.

Michelle Easton, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs, Department of Education.

Jane A. Kenny, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the ACTION Agency.

Kathleen Day Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

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Appointments

United States Alternative Fuels Council: The Chair announced on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to the Public Law 100-494, the appointment of Senator Grassley to the United States Alternative Fuels Council.

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Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 94-304, as amended by Public Law 99-7, appointed Senators D'Amato, Heinz, McClure, and Wallop to the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe.

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Committee Reporting Deadline Extension: By unanimous consent, authorizing committees were authorized until 5 p.m., on Friday, July 21, to submit their reconciliation recommendations to the Committee on the Budget pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, with respect to fiscal year 1990.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—105)

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:54 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, July 12, 1989. (For Senate's program, see remarks in today's Record on page 14209.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Conventional Forces and Alliance Defense completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: On Monday, July 10, Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence completed its review of those programs which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, and agreed on recommendations it will make to the full committee thereon.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the imple-

mentation of the Defense Production Act of 1950, receiving testimony from Frank C. Carlucci, former Secretary of Defense; Adm. Bobby R. Inman, USN, former Deputy Director of Central Intelligence; and Robert B. Costello, former Under Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 19.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN THE U.S.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings to examine the issue of foreign direct investment in the United States and the effectiveness of foreign investment data collection procedures, including related measures S. 289 and S. 856, receiving testimony from Senators Harkin and Murkowski; Representative Bryant; Michael R. Darby, Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs; T. Boone Pickens, Boone Company, Amarillo, Texas; Douglas Woodward, University of South Carolina, Columbia; and Jerry Jasnowski, National Association of Manufacturers, and Elliot Richardson, Milbank, Tweed, Hadley and McCloy, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed hearings on S. 710, S. 711, and S. 712, bills to provide for a referendum on the future political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Edward S. Dennis, Acting Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Mary V. Mochary, Principal Deputy Legal Advisor, Department of State; Brig. Gen. Michael J. Byron, USMC, Director, Inter-American Region, Department of Defense; Stephen G. Breyer, Circuit Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit, representing the Judicial Conference of the United States; and Levin H. Campbell, Chief Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 13.

FOSSIL ENERGY/CLEAN COAL TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded hearings on the Department of Energy's proposed budget request for fiscal year 1990 for fossil energy research and development and clean coal technology programs, and related provisions of S. 964, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for civilian energy programs of the Department of Energy, after receiving testimony from J. Allen Wampler, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Fossil Energy; R.E. Disbrow, American Electric Power Service Corporation, Columbus, Ohio, on behalf of the Clean Coal Technology Coalition; Leonard K. Peters, University of Kentucky, Lexington; and

David O. Webb, Gas Research Institute, and Thomas G. Squires, American Chemical Society, both of Washington, DC.

MEDICARE CATASTROPHIC COVERAGE PROGRAM

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to review proposals to revise duplicate coverage provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 and whether participation in the catastrophic coverage program should be made voluntary, receiving testimony from Senators Pressler, Graham, and McCain; Representatives Fawell and Rhodes; David Newhall III, Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs; Frank D. Titus, Acting Associate Director, and Nancy Kichak, Chief, Office of Actuaries, both of the Retirement and Insurance Group, Office of Personnel Management; North Dakota Commissioner of Insurance Earl R. Pomeroy, Bismarck, on behalf of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners; and Gail E. Shearer, Consumers Union, Alan V. Reuther, United Auto Workers, Alan P. Spielman, Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, Linda S. Jenckes, Health Insurance Association of America, Arthur S. Fleming, Save Our Security Coalition, and Martha McSteen, National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in open and closed sessions in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony in open session from Neal Sonnett, Miami, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 2849–2862; 3 private bills, H.R. 2863–2865; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 353–356, and H. Con. Res. 164 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report from the Committee on Government Operations entitled "Fire and Explosion in Kansas City: Lack of Information About Hazardous Materials Jeopardizes Firefighters" (H. Rept. 101–124);

H.R. 2653, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 to carry out the Export Administration Act of 1979 (H. Rept. 101–125);

H.R. 491, to establish a mining experimental program on critical minerals, amended (H. Rept. 101–126);

H.R. 1705, to amend the Mining and Minerals Policy Act of 1970, amended (H. Rept. 101–127);

Report from the Committee on Armed Services entitled "Report pursuant to section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974" (H. Rept. 101–128);

H. Res. 194, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–129);

H. Res. 195, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees (H. Rept. 101–130);

H. Res. 196, providing for the consideration of H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, to designate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness (H. Rept. 101–131);

H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993, amended (H. Rept. 101–132); and

H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board, amended (H. Rept. 101–133).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Mexico debt reduction: H. Con. Res. 86, amended, expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should encourage the private creditors of Mexico to take certain actions to reduce Mexico's debt and debt-service cost (agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 331 yeas to 77 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 130);

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Export Administration authorization: H.R. 2653, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 to carry out the Export Administration Act of 1979;

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Mining experimental program: H.R. 491, amended, to establish a mining experimental program on critical minerals;

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Mining and Minerals Policy Act amendments: H.R. 1705, amended, to amend the Mining and Minerals Policy Act of 1970;

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Domestic Volunteer Service Act amendments: H.R. 1312, amended, to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal year 1992 certain authorities contained in such Act relating to

national volunteer antipoverty programs. Agreed to amend the title;

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Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act: H.R. 2087, amended, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act; and

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Temporary child care for handicapped children: H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986.

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Computer Matching and Privacy Protection: House passed H.R. 2848, to amend the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988 to delay the effective date of the Act for existing agency matching programs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 14061. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WELFARE REFORM PROPOSALS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations, and Nutrition held a hearing to review welfare reform proposal of Minnesota. Testimony was heard from Representative Penny; G. Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, USDA; John Petraborg, Assistant Commissioner, Family Support Programs, Department of Human Services, State of Minnesota; and a public witness.

FOREIGN OPERATIONS APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs began markup of the foreign assistance appropriation bill for fiscal 1990.

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government began markup of the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

Will continue July 13.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA-HUD and Independent Agencies approved for full Committee action the VA-HUD and Independent Agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

GENERIC DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the generic drug approval process at the FDA. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD Programs. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue July 14.

FEDERAL INFORMATION DISSEMINATION POLICY AND PRACTICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice, and Agriculture held a hearing on Federal Information Dissemination Policy and Practices. Testimony was heard from Representative Kleczka; Joseph E. Jenifer, Acting Public Printer, GPO; and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1295-1307.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-74)

S. 388, to provide for five-year, staggered terms for members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-76)

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Measures Passed:

Federal Election Contributions: Senate passed S. 326, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to repeal a provision allowing use of excess contributions.

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Immigration Act of 1989: Senate continued consideration of S. 358, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to change the level, and preference system for admission, of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Murkowski Amendment No. 241, to establish a task force to assess the specific needs and status of citizens of the People's Republic of China who were admitted under non-immigrant visas to the United States.

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(2) Gorton Modified Amendment No. 242, to grant permanent residence status to certain non-immigrant nationals of the People's Republic of China.

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(3) Kennedy (for Moynihan) Amendment No. 243, to require the Attorney General, in consultation with the Secretary of State, to provide a report to Congress on U.S. immigration policy toward Burmese students.

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(4) By 61 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 107), Chafee Amendment No. 244, to provide temporary stay of deportation for certain eligible immigrants.

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(5) Humphrey Amendment No. 245, to continue to permit, after October 1, 1989, the immigration of certain adopted children.

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(6) Lautenberg Amendment No. 247, to require the Secretary of Labor to identify labor shortages and develop a plan to reduce such shortages.

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(7) By 62 yeas to 36 nays (Vote No. 109), Hatch/DeConcini Amendment No. 238, to prevent the reduction of family preference immigration below the level set in current law.

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(8) Levin Amendment No. 248, to instruct the Commission on Legal Immigration Reform to review the impact of per country immigration levels.

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Rejected:

(1) By 27 yeas to 71 nays (Vote No. 106), Helms/Shelby Amendment No. 240, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) By 43 yeas to 56 nays (Vote No. 108), Bumpers Amendment No. 246, to strike out the employment creation visa category.

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A unanimous consent agreement was reached providing for the further consideration of the bill and certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Thursday, July 13.

Health, Drug Abuse Treatment Technical Corrections Act of 1989: Senate receded from its amendments numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 to H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

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Senate receded from its amendment numbered 8, with Kennedy Amendments No. 249.

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Appointments:

Federal Judicial Foundation Board: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-702, appointed E. William Crotty, of Florida, for a term of 5 years, and Richard Rosenbaum, of New York, for a term of 3 years to the Federal Judicial Foundation Board.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—109)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:43 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Thursday, July 13, 1989. (For Senate's program, see remarks in today's Record on page 14372.)

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE ALLOCATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee completed its review of subcommittee allocations of budget outlays and new budget authority allocated to the com-

mittee in H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed to report to the Senate under the provisions of 302(b)(1), as amended, of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to consider proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Janice Obuchowski, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf. Testimony was also received from James H. Quello, Commissioner, Federal Communications Commission.

CHILDREN'S TELEVISION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on S. 707 and S. 1215, bills to require the Federal Communications Commission to reinstate restrictions on advertising during children's television and to enforce the obligation of broadcasters to meet the educational and informational needs of the child audience, receiving testimony from Senators Metzbaum and Wirth; Peggy Charren, Action for Children's Television, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Dale Kunkel, Indiana University, Bloomington; and Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, DeWitt F. Helm, Jr., Association of National Advertisers, Inc., Sharon Robinson, National Education Association, and Frank Palumbo, American Academy of Pediatrics, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Martin Lewis Allday, of Texas, to be Solicitor, Lou Gallegos, of New Mexico, to be an Assistant Secretary, Stella Garcia Guerra, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary, and Constance Bastine Harriman, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Fish and Wildlife, and Parks, all of the Department of the Interior, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Allday and Ms. Guerra were introduced by Senators Bentsen and Gramm, Mr. Gallegos was introduced by Senator

Domenici, and Ms. Harriman was introduced by Senator McClure.

MARINE AND COASTAL WATER PROTECTION

Committee on Environmental and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection and Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean and Water Protection held joint hearings on proposals to improve the environmental quality of marine and coastal waters, including S. 587, S. 588, S. 1178, and S. 1179, receiving testimony from Representative Pallone; Howard Levenson, Project Director, Oceans and Environment Program, Office of Technology Assessment; Charles Ehler, Director, Office of Oceanography and Marine Assessment, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, Jessica Landman, Natural Resources Defense Council, Linda Eichmiller, Association of State and Interstate Water Pollution Control Administrators, Paul Brouha, Fishermen Involved in Saving Habitat (FISH), and Charles Fox, Friends of the Earth, all of Washington, DC; Carolyn Carp, Narragansett Bay Estuaries Program, Providence, Rhode Island; and Robert Patterson, Cape May County Chamber of Commerce, Cape May, New Jersey.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice approved for full committee consideration, without recommendation, the following bills:

S. 84, to provide Federal debt collection procedures, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 594, to establish an independent Administrative Law Judge Corps, with an amendment.

COPYRIGHT FEES/COMMISSIONERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights, and Trademarks concluded hearings on S. 1271, to change the fee schedule of the Copyright Office and make certain technical amendments, and S. 1272, to reduce the number of commissioners on the Copyright Royalty Tribunal, to provide for lapsed terms of such commissioners, after receiving testimony from Edward W. Ray, Chairman and Commissioner, J.C. Argetsinger, Commissioner, and Mario F. Aguero, Commissioner, all of the Copyright Royalty Tribunal; Ralph Oman, Register of

Copyrights, Library of Congress; and Irwin Karp, Rye Brook, New York.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 768, to provide all Americans with basic health benefits, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 975, to encourage a broader range of training and job placement for women, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Charles E.M. Kolb, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget, and Evaluation, Nell Carney, of Virginia, to be Commissioner of Rehabilitation Services Administration, and Robert Refugio Davila, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, all of the Department of Education.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATIONS

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from William Murphy, Special Agent (Miami, Florida), Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Neal Sonnett, Miami, Florida; and Martha Rogers, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

H.R. 1233, to improve the operation of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act, amended (H. Rept. 101-136).

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Journal: By a ye-and-nay vote of 312 yeas to 97 nays, Roll No. 131, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, July 11.

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Interior Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 374 ayes to 49 noes, Roll No. 135, the House passed H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed To:

The Dicks technical amendment;

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The Army amendment, as amended by the Stenholm amendment (amendment agreed to by a recorded vote of 361 ayes to 65 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 132, that reduces the National Endowment for the Arts grants and administration appropriation by \$45,000 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 332 ayes to 94 noes, Roll No. 134);

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The Yates technical amendment; and

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The Yates amendment that strikes language relating to restrictions on Naval Petroleum Reserve activity.

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Rejected:

The Rohrabacher amendment that sought to strike the funds appropriated to the National Endowment for the Arts; and

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The Stearns substitute amendment to the Army amendment, as amended, that sought to reduce the National Endowment for the Arts grants and administration appropriation by 5 percent (rejected by a recorded vote of 95 ayes to 328 noes, Roll No. 133).

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A point of order was sustained against the Regula amendment that sought to make \$50,000 in funds appropriated to the National Endowment for the Arts avoidable to require that all subgrants be made in accordance with the provisions of section 5(c) of the current statute.

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The AuCoin amendment was offered but subsequently withdrawn that sought to appropriate \$100,000 for a feasibility study of the establishment of a national park in connection with the antebellum plantation homes in the Creole style along Cane River in Louisiana.

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House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 2866-2881; 1 private bill, H.R. 2882; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 357-362, H. Con. Res. 165 and 166, and H. Res. 197 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2346, to authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 (H. Rept. 101-134);

H.R. 2358, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives, amended (H. Rept. 101-135); and

The Clerk was authorized to make any necessary technical corrections in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 194, the rule which waived certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Committee To Sit: Committee on Energy and Commerce received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule on Thursday, July 13.

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Natural Gas Decontrol: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1722, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act—clearing the measure for the President.

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Tongass Timber Reform: House agreed to H. Res. 196, providing for the consideration of H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, and to designate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness.

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Soviet and Indochinese Refugees: House agreed to H. Res. 195, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 14373, 14449, 14450, 14454. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings to review issues relating to formulation of the 1990 Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor-HHS and Education approved for full Committee action the Labor-HHS-Education appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full Committee action the Transportation appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

B-2 BOMBER PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the B-2 bomber program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Air Force: Donald B. Rice, Secretary; and Gen. Larry D. Welch, Chief of Staff.

DEFENSE MANAGEMENT REVIEW

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on Defense Management Review. Testimony was heard from Donald J. Atwood, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

MODERNIZE CIRCULATING COINS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage held a hearing on H.R. 505, to modernize circulating coins of which the reverse of the first coin will contain the theme of the bicentennial. Testimony was heard from Representative Hayes of Louisiana; Donna Pope, Director, U.S. Mint, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

HUD SCANDALS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing regarding the HUD scandals. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held an oversight hearing to review extent to which exposures to fumes from diesel engines in closed work places are affecting workers. Testimony was heard from Richard A. Lemen, Assistant Director, National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 19.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2742, amended, Library Services and Construction Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2666, to establish a Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Program.

**BUDGET RECONCILIATION
RECOMMENDATIONS**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Began markup of budget reconciliation recommendations.

Will continue tomorrow.

FASTENER QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Competitiveness approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 777, Fastener Quality Assurance Act of 1989.

RECYCLING OF MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on issues relating to the Recycling of Municipal Solid Waste. Testimony was heard from Representatives Walgren, Wyden, and Hochbrueckner; Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISSILE TECHNOLOGY CONTROL REGIME

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on Missile Technology Control Regime. Testimony was heard from Vincent DeCain, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; Jim Hinds, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Negotiations Policy, Department of Defense; Jim LeMunyon, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Export Administration, Department of Commerce; Norm Wulf, Deputy Director, Nuclear and Weapons Control, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Developments in the Middle East. Testimony was heard from John H. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State.

WASTE EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a joint hearing on U.S. Waste Exports and on H.R. 2525, Waste Export Control Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Synar, Conyers, Porter, and Wolpe; Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary, Oceans, International Environmental, and Scientific Affairs, Department of State;

Scott Hajost, Acting Assistant Administrator, International Affairs, EPA; and public witnesses.

ROLE OF THE OAS IN THE 1990'S

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Operations held a joint hearing on the Role of the Organization of American States in the 1990's. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Office Systems met to consider pending business.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing met to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 875, amended, Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania Battlefields Memorial National Military Park Extension Act; H.R. 919, Big Thicket National Preserve Addition Act of 1989; H.R. 2065, amended, Tropical Forestry Initiative Act; and H.R. 952, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, IA.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1860, amended, to provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of a uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits; H.R. 982, Postal Reorganization Act Amendments of 1989; H.R. 2802, to amend title 39, United States Code, and associated provisions of other laws, to make technical and perfecting corrections; H.R. 2431, amended, to redesignate the Midland General Mail Facility in Midland, TX, as the "Carl O. Hyde General Mail Facility"; H.R. 2331, amended, Deceptive Mailings Prevention Act of 1989; and H.R. 2847, to extend by 1 year a program under which the Government is allowed to accept the voluntary services of private sector executives.

Committee also approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held a hearing on the transportation of hazardous materials. Testimony was heard from Representatives Applegate, Boehlert, Gallo, and Bustamante; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2486, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans' readjustment appointments authorized by such title.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Will continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1308-1316, and S.J. Res. 175-176.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 345, to grant employees family and temporary medical leave under certain circumstances. (S. Rept. No. 101-77)

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Measures Passed:

Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act Amendment: Senate passed H.R. 2848, to amend the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, to delay the effective date of the Act for existing agency matching programs.

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Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations: Senate passed H.R. 2214, to ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations.

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National POW/MIA Recognition Day: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of S.J. Res. 129, to provide for the designation of September 15, 1989, as "National

POW/MIA Recognition Day," and the measure was then passed.

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National Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of S.J. Res. 132, to designate September 1-30, 1989, as "National Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month," and the measure was then passed.

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Space Exploration Day: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of S.J. Res. 174, to designate July 20, 1989, as "Space Exploration Day," and the measure was then passed.

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Decade of the Brain: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of H.J. Res. 174, to designate the decade beginning January 1, 1990, as the "Decade of the Brain," and the measure was then passed.

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The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of S.J. Res. 173, companion measure, and the measure was then indefinitely postponed.

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Immigration Act of 1989: By 81 yeas to 17 nays (Vote No. 117), Senate passed S. 358, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act, to change the level and preference system for admission of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, after taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By 93 yeas to 6 nays (Vote No. 111), Exon-Kerrey Amendment No. 250, to prohibit Federal benefits for illegal aliens.

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(2) By 78 yeas to 21 nays (Vote No. 113), Specter Amendment No. 252, to increase the number of business-sponsored immigrants.

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(3) Shelby Amendment No. 255, to prevent distortions in the reapportionment of the House of Representatives caused by the use of census population figures which include illegal aliens. (By 41 yeas to 58 nays (Vote No. 114), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

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By 56 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 115), Senate tabled a Moynihan point of order against the amendment, as being unconstitutional.

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(4) Kennedy Amendment No. 256 (to Shelby Amendment No. 255), of a perfecting nature.

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(5) Simon Amendment No. 257, to treat Hong Kong as a separate foreign state for numerical limitations.

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(6) Simon Amendment No. 258, to reserve 10,000 visas for qualified immigrants who are natives of foreign states the immigration of whose natives to the United States was adversely affected by the enactment of Public Law 89-236.

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(7) Simon Amendment No. 259, to provide additional grounds for qualifying as a selected immigrant.

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(8) Gramm Amendment No. 261, to admit additional immigrants who are nurses and physicians and who will work in health manpower shortage areas.

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(9) Gramm Amendment No. 262, to allot visa numbers to selected immigrants based on a revised ranking of the scores attained through the point assessment system.

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(10) Gramm Amendment No. 263, to modify provisions relating to congressional review of worldwide numerical limitations on the admission of immigrants.

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(11) Gramm Amendment No. 264, to admit additional immigrants who will invest in rural areas or areas of high unemployment.

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(12) Simpson (for Kassebaum and Danforth) Amendment No. 265, to permit reciprocal visaless rights for aircraft crewmembers serving on aircraft from countries participating in the Visa Waiver Pilots Program.

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(13) Kennedy-Simpson Amendment No. 266, to make available certain funds for the preparation and initiation of the immigrant visa program and to make certain technical corrections.

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Rejected:

(1) By 43 yeas to 56 nays (Vote No. 110), Simpson Amendment No. 251, to provide that an alien who certifies, upon the date of filing a petition, subject to verification by examination after the date of selection, has an understanding of the English language and the ability to communicate in such language, 20 points.

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(2) By 22 yeas and 77 nays (Vote No. 112), Helms Amendment No. 254 (to Specter Amendment No. 252), of a perfecting nature.

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(3) By 46 yeas to 52 nays (Vote No. 116), Boschwitz Amendment No. 260, to increase the number of immigrant admissions and to reallocate the visa preferences for family reunification immigrants.

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Indefinitely Postponed: The following measures were indefinitely postponed:

Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel "Liberty": S. 104, authorizing a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Liberty*.

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Certificate of Documentation for a Vessel: S. 475, to authorize a certificate of documentation for a vessel.

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Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel "Navatek I": S. 572, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Navatek I*.

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Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel "Nor'-Wester": S. 638, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Nor'-Wester*.

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Department of State Authorizations, 1990: Senate began consideration of S. 1160, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and any amendments proposed thereto on tomorrow.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Robert Refugio Davila, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education.

Francis Anthony Keating II, of Oklahoma, to be General Counsel of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Nell Carney, of Virginia, to be Commissioner of the Rehabilitation Services Administration.

Charles E.M. Kolb, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Planning, Budget and Evaluation, Department of Education.

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Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—117)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:45 a.m., and recessed at 7:09 p.m., until Friday, July 14, 1989, at 9:15 a.m. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 14619.)

Committee Meetings

DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation to provide for disaster relief assistance for crop losses due to adverse weather conditions of 1988 or 1989, after receiving testimony from Senators Exon and Breaux; Representative Browder; Jack C. Parnell, Deputy Secretary, Scott Steele, Deputy Director for Budget Analysis, and John Campbell, Deputy Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs, all of the Department of Agriculture; Kansas Governor Mike Hayden, Topeka; Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Dale Cochran, Des Moines; Carl D. Fanning, North Dakota State University, Fargo; and Don Waller, Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation, Oxford, on behalf of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued in a closed evening session to consider proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of Defense.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of Francis A. Keating II, of Oklahoma, to be General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the flood insurance program; and

S. 681, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint and issue coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Statehood of Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming.

Prior to this action the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mr. Keating, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Nickles, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FINANCIAL SERVICES IN THE 1990'S

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the financial services industry in the 1990's, receiving testimony from E. Gerald Corrigan, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Felix G. Rohatyn, Lazard Freres & Co., and John S. Reed, Citicorp, all of New York, New York; and Jay O. Light, Harvard Business School, Boston.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY SEALIFT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine concluded hearings to examine military sealift requirements and national sealift policy, focusing on the ability of the merchant marine to meet national security needs as well as U.S. shipbuilding capability, foreign competition, and the current health of the industry, after receiving testimony from Representative Bennett; William A. Creelman, Deputy Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; Everett Pyatt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Shipbuilding and Logistics; Gen. Duane H. Cassidy, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois; Michael Sacco, Seafarers International Union of North America, Camp Springs, Maryland; John J. Stocker, Shipbuilders Council of America, and Bill Verdon, United Shipowners of America, both of Washington, DC.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed hearings on S. 710, S. 711, and S. 712, bills to provide for a referendum on the future political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Ken Gideon, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Latin American, Caribbean and Commodity Policy, Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; Jeffrey Shane, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Policy and International Affairs; James Brennan, Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; Arnold R. Tompkins, Acting Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Planning and Evaluation; and Alan C. Raul, General Counsel, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OIL SPILLS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on the recent oil spills in the coastal waters of

Rhode Island, the Delaware River and the Houston Ship Channel, receiving testimony from Senators Roth and Pell; Representatives Schneider and Machtley; Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; Capt. Eric J. Williams III, Port of Providence, Rhode Island, Capt. William A. Monson, Port of Houston, Texas, and Capt. Larry A. Murdock, Port of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, all of the U.S. Coast Guard; Ronald E. Lambertson, Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Robert L. Bendick, Jr., Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Providence; Christopher J. Daggett, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Trenton; Ed Roland, AMOCO Corporation, Chicago, Illinois; and Sam Gillespie, Mobil Oil Corporation, Fairfax, Virginia.

Subcommittee will meet again on Wednesday, July 26.

OIL SPILLS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the international aspects of oil spill prevention, cleanup and compensation, receiving testimony from Senator Mitchell; Elaine L. Chao, Deputy Secretary of Transportation; Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; Brian Hoyle, Director, Office of Ocean Law and Policy, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; Timothy Fields, Director, Emergency Response Division, Environmental Protection Agency; Rhode Island Attorney General James E. O'Neil, and Arthur Markos, Office of the Governor of Rhode Island, both of Providence; and Karin Sheldon, Wilderness Society, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 303, to establish a framework for the conduct of negotiated rulemaking by Federal agencies, with amendments;

H.R. 1502, authorizing funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia a community-oriented policing system, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 253, to provide for the development, management, and implementation of a national comprehensive nutrition monitoring program; and

S.J. Res. 57, to establish a national policy of using acid-free permanent papers for Federal records, books, and publications of enduring value.

Also, the committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

AUTHORIZATIONS—CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, after receiving testimony from Frankie Freeman, former Commissioner, U.S. Civil Rights Commission; G. Mario Moreno, Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Jared Blum, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, Frank Liu, Organization of Chinese Americans, and Clint Bolick, Landmark Legal Foundation for Civil Rights, all of Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 695, to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements, and encouraging the study of science, mathematics, and engineering, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1291, authorizing funds for programs of the Library Services and Construction Act.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1153, to provide benefits to Vietnam veterans disabled as a result of exposure to toxic herbicide agents, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1243, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Also, committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from William Murphy, Special Agent (Miami, Florida), Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Special Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to deliberate on pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., raised by the House Managers and Judge Nixon's Counsel.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 2883–2903; 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 363–365, and H. Res. 201 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–137);

H. Res. 198, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1549, to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (H. Rept. 101–138);

H. Res. 199, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board (H. Rept. 101–139);

H. Res. 200, providing for the consideration of H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, functions, and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993 (H. Rept. 101–140);

H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities, amended (H. Rept. 101–141);

H.R. 1860, to provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of a uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial

census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits, amended (H. Rept. 101–142); and

H.R. 2802, to amend title 39, United States Code, and associated provisions of other laws, to make technical and perfecting corrections (H. Rept. 101–143).

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 302 yeas to 100 nays, Roll No. 136, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, June 12.

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Tongass Timber Reform: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 356 yeas to 60 nays, Roll No. 138, the House passed H.R. 987, to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, and to designate certain lands in the Tongass National Forest as wilderness.

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Agreed to the Interior Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Volkmer amendment that revises the reporting requirements to include the Committee on Agriculture and a complete analysis of the losses or gains sustained by the Government with respect to long-term, short-term, and total sales of timber from the Tongass National Forest;

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The Olin amendment that adds language to improve the management of the Tongass National Forest; and

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The Jontz amendment that directs the Secretary of Agriculture to maintain a buffer zone of a minimum of 100 feet in width within which logging shall be prohibited on each side of all anadromous fish streams in the Tongass National Forest, and their tributaries, except those tributaries with no resident fish populations, which are intermittent in flow, or have flow of inadequate magnitude to directly influence downstream fish habitat.

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Rejected the de la Garza amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order by the rule (rejected by a recorded vote of 144 yeas to 269 noes, Roll No. 137).

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Agreed to the Volkmer amendment to the preceding rejected substitute that would have directed the Secretary to maintain a buffer zone along all

tributaries of anadromous fish streams in accordance with best management practices for water quality.

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Soviet and Indochinese Refugees: By a ye-and-nay vote of 358 yeas to 44 nays, Roll No. 139, the House passed H.R. 2022, to establish certain categories of nationals of the Soviet Union and nationals of Indochina presumed to be subject to persecution and to provide for adjustment to refugee status of certain Soviet and Indochinese parolees.

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Agreed To:

The Solarz amendment that establishes as a category of aliens, nationals and residents of Vietnam, Laos, or Cambodia determined by the Attorney General to be presumed to be targets of persecution;

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The Lipinski amendment that establishes as a category of aliens, nationals and residents of the Soviet Union who are current members of the Ukrainian Catholic Church or the Ukrainian Orthodox Church; and

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The Kleczka amendment that directs the Attorney General to establish one or more categories of aliens who are or were nationals of Poland and who share common characteristics that identify them as targets of persecution in Poland.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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The Clerk was authorized to make such clerical corrections in the designation of the provisions as may be appropriate in the engrossment of the bill.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three ye-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 14620, 14651, 14658, 14680. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; BUDGET RECONCILIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan; and H.R. 2799, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow the planting of alternate crops on permitted acreage for the 1990 crop year.

The Committee approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings to review issues relating to formulation of the 1990

Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 19.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AGRICULTURE AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary approved for full Committee action the Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction approved for full Committee action the Military Construction appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government continued markup of the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

Will continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE; MAJOR STRATEGIC PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Approved a unanimous-consent request that the Committee be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2612, to provide temporary authority to certain employees of the Panama Canal Commission to purchase food and other goods at any commissary or exchange store located in Panama which is operated by any military department of the United States.

The Committee also held a hearing on major strategic programs and the fiscal year 1990 defense budget in general. Testimony was heard from Dick Cheney, Secretary of Defense.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; BUDGET RECONCILIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1661, Employee Pension Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such acts.

The Committee also approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

AUTOMOTIVE FUEL ECONOMY

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on automobile fuel economy and the possible trade-offs with air emissions and safety. Testimony was heard from Linda G. Stuntz, Deputy Under Secretary, Policy, Planning and Analysis, Department of Energy; Barry Felrice, Associate Administrator, Rulemaking, Department of Transportation; Steven E. Plotkin, Senior Associate, OTA; and Richard D. Wilson, Director, Office of Mobil Sources, EPA.

RECYCLING OF MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials concluded hearings on issues relating to the Recycling of Municipal Solid Waste. Testimony was heard from Senator Heinz; Representatives Skelton, Dreier of California, Torres and Henry; and public witnesses.

U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organization and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on U.S.-China Relations: Where do We Go From Here? Testimony was heard from Richard Williams, Director, China and Mongolian Affairs, Department of State; Joan McEntee, Acting Under Secretary, Export Administration, Department of Commerce; Nancy Frame, Deputy Director, Trade and Development Program; and Fred M. Zeder, President and CEO, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, both with the U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and William F. Ryan, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States.

BULGARIAN DISCRIMINATION AGAINST TURKISH MINORITY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 154, condemning the brutal treatment of, and blatant discrimination against, the Turkish minority by the Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria.

FROM DUARTE TO CRISTIANI: WHERE IS EL SALVADOR HEADED?

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on From Duarte to Cristiani: Where is El Salvador Headed? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROTECTION OF THE APPALACHIAN TRAIL IN VERMONT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on National Park Service actions regarding protection of the Appalachian Trail in Vermont. Testimony was heard from Herbert Cables, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Stephen Sease, Director, Planning, Agency of Natural Resources, State of Vermont; and public witnesses.

LAND MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2783, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Dean Stepanek, Acting Deputy Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Rod Sando, Department of Natural Resources, State of Minnesota.

DESECRATION OF THE U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held a hearing on Statutory and Constitutional responses to the Supreme Court decision in *Texas v. Johnson* (desecration of the flag of the United States). Testimony was heard from Senator Metzenbaum; and Representatives Michel and Montgomery.

Hearings continue July 18.

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT AMENDMENTS; OVERSIGHT— EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OVER TERRORISTS ACTS ABROAD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 1305, to amend the Controlled Substances Act to strengthen minimum imprisonment provisions for employing persons under 18 years of age in drug operations. Testimony was heard from Representatives Florio and Payne of New Jersey; Ronald K. Noble, Special Counsel and Chief of Staff, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and Charles Knox, Director, Narcotics Division, Essex County, State of New Jersey.

The Subcommittee also continued oversight hearings on the enforcement of legislation enacted in 1986 relating to Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Over Terrorists Acts Abroad. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

DEEP SEABED MINERAL RESOURCES ACT AUTHORIZATION; REPORT; BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

The Committee approved the following oversight report entitled: "Inquiry Into Certain Management Practices of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service."

The Committee also approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

MILITARY BASE CLOSINGS—IMPACT ON FEDERAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on military base closings and the Impact on Federal civilian employees. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boxer, Campbell of Colorado, Hopkins, Porter, and Saxton; David Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Resources Management and Support, Department of Defense; Curtis J. Smith, Associate Director, Career Entry and Employment Development, OPM; and public witnesses.

TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on the transportation of hazardous materials. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pallone and Buechner; Travis P. Dungan, Administrator, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation; Barry White, Director, Safety Standards Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Department of Labor; Denzel L. Fisher, Acting Chief, Hazardous Materials Branch, Technological Hazards Division, Federal Emergency Management Agency; James L. Makris, Director, Emergency Response Preparedness Staff, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; Jill Lytle, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Materials, Department of Energy; Hugh L. Thompson, Jr., Deputy Executive Director, Nuclear Materials Safety, Safeguards, and Operations Support, NRC; and public witnesses.

NRC AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1549, to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission

for fiscal years 1990 and 1991. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI is waived against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. Each section shall be considered as having been read. Clause 7 of Rule XVI is waived against the substitute. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Udall and Representatives Sharp, Hochbrueckner and Ritter.

NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM REVIEW BOARD

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board. Testimony was heard from Chairman Udall and Representative Vento.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, functions, and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993. Clause 7 of Rule XVI is waived against the amendment recommended by the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs now printed in the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Udall and Representative Vento.

CORPORATE RESTRUCTURING—EFFECTS ON R&D

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Corporate Restructuring—Effects on R&D. Testimony was heard from Julie Gorte, Senior Analyst, OTA; William Stewart, Director, Division of Science and Resources Studies, NSF; and public witnesses.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION; BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 2727, Court of Veterans Appeals Judges Retirement Act; and H.R. 2486, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans' readjustment appointments authorized by such title.

The Committee also approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Joint Meeting

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Friday, July 14.

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Friday, July 14, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14717-14777

Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1317-1327, S.J. Res. 177-178, and S. Res. 153.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1324, to authorize appropriations for the Fiscal Years 1990 and 1991 for intelligence activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System. (S. Rept. No. 101-78)

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Measures Passed:

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia: Senate passed S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Land Conveyance—Idaho: Senate passed S. 267, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain lands in Idaho to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blewins of Kuna, Idaho, after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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Trails Interpretation Center, Council Bluffs, Iowa: Senate passed S. 338, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, after agreeing to committee amendments thereto.

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Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission: Senate passed S. 830, to amend Public Law 99-647, establishing the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, to authorize the Commission to take immediate action in furtherance of its purposes and to increase the authorization of funds for the Commission.

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Land Conveyance—Virginia: Senate passed H.R. 310, to remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a nursing home.

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Public Lands Sale—Clark County, Nevada: Senate passed H.R. 1485, to direct sale of certain lands in Clark County, Nevada, to meet national defense and other needs; to authorize sale of certain lands in Clark County, Nevada; to further the ability of the United States to recover for damages to certain marine and other resources of the National Park System, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Foreign Relations Authorizations, 1990: Senate continued consideration of S. 1160, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting (which was modified, by unanimous consent), taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

By 81 yeas to 10 nays (Vote No. 272),

Mitchell-Dole Amendment No. 271, condemning the Government of the People's Republic of China for carrying out massive arrests and numerous executions of students and workers who participated in the prodemocracy movement in that country; commending the President for taking additional measures against the Government of the People's Republic of China in response to those arrests and executions; and urging additional measures be taken against the Government of the People's Republic of China to discourage additional arrests and executions.

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Pending:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 269, to prohibit negotiations with terrorists responsible for the murder, injury or kidnapping of an American citizen.

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(2) Grassley Amendment No. 270 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature.

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(3) Heinz Amendment No. 272, to provide international support for programs of sustainable development, environmental protection, and debt reduction.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Monday, July 17.

Unanimous-Consent Agreement:

Physical Desecration of the Flag: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for hearings and Senate consideration of a measure concerning the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Richard Anthony Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Ireland.

Dennis Edward Kloske, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration.

Michael R. Deland, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council on Environmental Quality.

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Measures Introduced:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—118)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 3:57 p.m., until Monday, July 17, 1989, at 11:30 a.m. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Byrd in today's Record on page 14777.)

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY RESEARCH AND PROMOTION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Domestic and Foreign Marketing and Product Promotion held hearings on proposed legis-

lation to authorize funds for commodity research and promotion programs, including related measures S. 919, S. 918, S. 836, and S. 962, receiving testimony from Senator Cohen; Kenneth C. Clayton, Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Howard Lyman, National Farmers Union, and David Senter, American Agriculture Movement, Inc., both of Washington, DC; Andrew Whisenhunt, Arkansas Farm Bureau, Bradley, on behalf of the American Farm Bureau Federation; James Lee Adams, Jr., Camilla, Georgia, on behalf of the American Soybean Association; G. Arnold Roach, Symrna Mills, Maine, and Mike Corey, Easton, Maine, both on behalf of the National Potato Council; Dennis Zensen, Mushroom Council, Quincy, Florida; Fred Brashears, Monticello, Florida, on behalf of the Federated Pecan Growers; and Bruce Heiden, Buckeye, Arizona, on behalf of the National Cotton Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for national defense programs;

An original bill authorizing funds for the Department of Defense;

An original bill authorizing funds for military construction programs of the Department of Defense;

An original bill authorizing funds for national security programs of the Department of Energy;

An original bill authorizing funds for certain Reserve and National Guard programs;

An original bill to establish the Soldier and Marine Enhancement Program;

An original bill concerning munitions sustainability and missile enhancement production rate increases;

An original bill to provide for improvements in Department of Energy national security program activities concerning environmental, safety, and management improvements;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for national defense programs;

An original bill to authorize various programs of the Department of Defense and the Department of Energy;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for national security programs of the Department of Defense, the Department of Energy and related agencies;

An original bill authorizing funds for national security programs of the Department of Defense and the Department of Energy;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for national security programs of the

Department of Defense and the Department of Energy; and

One Air Force nomination to the grade of lieutenant general.

AIRLINE ACQUISITIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings on S. 1277, to prohibit the acquisition of a controlling interest in an air carrier unless the Secretary of Transportation has made certain determinations concerning the effect of such acquisition on aviation safety, receiving testimony from Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Policy and International Affairs; Minnesota State Attorney General Hubert H. Humphrey, III, St. Paul, on behalf of the National Association of Attorneys General; Paul Scura and Russell J. Greenberg, both of the Prudential Bache Capital Funding, and Philip Baggaley, Standard and Poor's Corporation, all of New York, New York; and Capt. Henry Duffy, Air Line Pilots Association, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 710, S. 711, and S. 712, bills to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, after receiving testimony from Senator Simon; Timothy Glidden, Counsel to the Secretary of the Interior; Monserrate Flores, and Dennis Nieves, all of New York, New York, all on behalf of the National Association for Puerto Rican Absent Vote; and Luis Acle, Jr., U.S. English, and John H. Buchanan, Jr., People for the American Way Action Fund, both of Washington, DC.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in open and closed session in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from William Murphy and Wayne McDonald, both Special Agents (Miami, Florida), Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; H. Paul Rico, Miami, Florida; David Thomas, Fort Pierce, Florida; Donna Myrill Mendez, Kew Gardens, New York; Essie Thompson, Valrico, Florida; and Roger Shuy, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 17.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL ARGUMENTS

Special Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to further deliberate on pretrial issues in the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr. raised by the House Managers and Judge Nixon's Counsel.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, July 17.

Committee Meetings

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government continued markup of the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

Will continue July 17.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD Programs. Testimony was heard from the following former General Deputy Assistant Secretaries of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: Shirley Wiseman; and Janet Hale.

Hearings continue July 17.

Joint Meeting

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, July 18.

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Monday, July 17, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14780-14838

Measures Introduced: Ten bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1328-1337, and S. Res. 154.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 681, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint and issue coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the statehood of Idaho, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming.

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Foreign Relations Authorization Act, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1160, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Pressler Amendment No. 273, to provide that the Director of the U.S. Information Agency may enter into a contract for the construction of the Voice of America's Thailand radio facilities for periods not in excess of five years or delegate such authority to the Corps of Engineers of the U.S. Department of the Army, provided that there are sufficient funds to cover at least the Government's liability for payments for the fiscal year in which the contract is awarded plus the full amount of estimated cancellation costs.

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(2) Moynihan (for Fowler) Amendment No. 274, to prohibit the availability of funds for certain meetings unless representatives of the Helsinki Commission are included.

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 275, to require a report regarding a monitoring system for the INF Treaty.

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(4) Dole Amendment No. 276, to provide that the President shall submit a report to Congress on the feasibility of a NATO-Warsaw Pact military communications link.

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Pending:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 269, to prohibit negotiations with terrorists responsible for the murder, injury or kidnaping of an American citizen.

(2) Grassley Amendment No. 270 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature.

(3) Heinz Amendment No. 272, to provide international support for programs of sustainable development, environmental protection, and debt reduction.

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(4) Moynihan Amendment No. 268, to prohibit soliciting or diverting funds to carry out activities for which United States assistance is prohibited.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Tuesday, July 18.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

William Lacy Swing, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of South Africa.

Johnny Young, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone.

Thomas C. Dawson II, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund.

John W. Shannon, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Army.

Anne Newman Foreman, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force.

Gwendolyn S. King, of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner of Social Security.

Allen B. Clark, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Veterans Liaison and Program Coordination).

Linda J. Fisher, of Ohio, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Herbert D. Kleber, of Connecticut, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

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Measures Introduced:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:12 p.m., until Tuesday, July 18, 1989, at 10 a.m. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 14838.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Thomas D. Larson, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Specter and Representative Clinger, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee resumed evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Roger Shuy, Washington, DC; Jeffrey Miller, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; and Hemphill Pride, Columbia, South Carolina.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 2904-2915; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 366, H. Con. Res. 167-170, and H. Res. 202 and 203 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 875, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia, amended (H. Rept. 101-144);

H.R. 919, to increase the size of the Big Thicket National Preserve in the State of Texas by adding the Village Creek Corridor unit, the Big Sandy Corridor unit, and the Canyonlands unit (H. Rept. 101-145);

H.R. 952, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, amended (H. Rept. 101-146);

H.R. 2799, to amend the Agriculture Act of 1949 to allow the planting of alternate crops on permitted acreage for the 1990 crop year, amended (H. Rept. 101-147);

H.R. 876, to establish the American Heritage Trust, for purposes of enhancing the protection of the Nation's natural, historical, cultural, and outdoor recreational heritage, amended (H. Rept. 101-148);

H. Res. 202, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of

certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities (H. Rept. 101-149); and

H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-150).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Temporary Federal service: H.R. 1860, amended, to provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of the uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits;

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Postal Service amendments: H.R. 2802, to amend title 39, United States Code, and associated provisions of other laws, and to make technical and perfecting corrections;

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Carl O. Hyde Mail Facility: H.R. 2431, amended, to redesignate the Midland General Mail Facility in Midland, Texas, as the "Carl O. Hyde General Mail Facility";

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Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania battlefields: H.R. 875, amended, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia. Agreed to amend the title;

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Big Thicket National Preserve: H.R. 919, to increase the size of the Big Thicket National Preserve in the State of Texas by adding the Village Creek Corridor unit, the Big Sandy Corridor unit, and the Canyonlands unit; and

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Iowa trails interpretation center: H.R. 952, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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National Park System Review Board: House concluded all general debate and began reading for amendment on H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board; but came to no resolution thereon.

Pending when the Committee of the Whole rose was the Rhodes amendment in the nature of a substitute that strikes all provisions of the bill except for those that would require Senate confirmation of the National Park Service director and requires the

director to have experience in national and cultural resources and recreation management.

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Bureau of Land Management: House passed H.R. 828, to authorize appropriations for programs, functions, and activities of the Bureau of Land Management for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Hansen amendment that gives the National Guard greater flexibility in carrying out maneuvers and training on public lands;

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The DeFazio amendment that exempts electric cooperatives which are financed by the Rural Electrification Administration whose lines cross Forest Service lands from being responsible for up to \$1 million in damages without regard to negligence;

Page 14877

The Richardson amendment that removes a technical obstacle to the consideration of a transfer of 5 acres of Bureau of Land Management land to be used as public land and allows time for the Bureau and the Santa Cruz Irrigation District to resolve any right-of-way issues with regard to Santa Cruz lake; and

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The Darden amendment that prohibits subleasing of grazing permits and increases penalties for subleasing of grazing rights on public lands on National Forest lands.

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The Clerk was authorized to make necessary technical and conforming changes in the text of the bill.

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H. Res. 200, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Alternate Crop Acreage: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 2799, amended, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow the planting of alternate crops on permitted acreage for the 1990 crop year. Agreed to amend the title.

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POW/MIA Recognition Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 129, to provide for the designation of September 15, 1989, as "National POW/MIA Recognition Day".

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Raoul Wallenberg Recognition Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 110, designating October 5, 1989, as "Raoul Wallenberg Day".

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World War II Remembrance Day: House passed H.J. Res. 221, to designate the week beginning September 1, 1989, as "World War II Remembrance Week".

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Polish American Heritage Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 93, to designate October 1989 as "Polish American Heritage Month".

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National Park Systems Review Board: House passed H.R. 1484, to establish a National Park System Review Board.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Rejected the Rhodes amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to strike all provisions of the bill except for those that would require Senate confirmation of the National Park Service director and require the director to have experience with national and cultural resources and recreation management (rejected by a recorded vote of 148 ayes to 251 noes, Roll No. 140).

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H. Res. 199, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 14896. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs approved for full Committee of the Foreign Assistance appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government approved for full Committee action the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

OTA REPORT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Held a briefing on the following OTA report entitled: "Catching Our Breath-Next Steps For Reducing Urban Ozone". The Subcommittee was briefed by Robert M. Friedman, Project Manager, Assessment Study, OTA.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD Programs. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Carla Hills, U.S. Trade Representative and former Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and a public witness.

In failing to respond to Subcommittee questions, Hunter Cushing, former Deputy Assistant Secretary, Multi Family Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, invoked constitutional privileges.

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities. Testimony was heard from Representatives Thomas A. Luken, Eckart, Jones of North Carolina, Whittaker and Schaefer.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Chairman Aspin and Representatives Bennett, Lloyd, Hochbrueckner, Hutto, Stenholm, Ray, Lowey of New York, Dickinson, Weldon, McCrery, Smith of Nebraska, Dreier of California, Saxton and Saiki, but took no action on H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act of 1990/1991.

Will continue tomorrow.

U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE ANNIVERSARY; REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H.J. Res. 363, to designate 1989 as "United States Customs Service 200th Anniversary Year."

The Committee also continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Will continue tomorrow.

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Tuesday, July 18, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine Proceedings, pages 14994-15075

Measures Introduced: Twelve bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1338-1349, S.J. Res. 179-180, and S. Con. Res. 54.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 54, to amend the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 with respect to the waiver of rights under such Act without supervision, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-79)

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Measures Passed:

Centennial Commemorative Coin Act: Senate passed S. 681, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint and issue coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the statehood of Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming, after agreeing to Mitchell (for Baucus) Amendment No. 283, of a technical nature.

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Indefinitely Postponed: Senate indefinitely postponed the following measure:

Natural Gas Wellhead Decontrol Act: S. 783, to amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978, to eliminate wellhead price and nonprice controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act.

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Foreign Relations Authorization Act, F.Y. 1990: Senate continued consideration of S. 1160, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By 57 yeas to 42 nays (Vote No. 119), Moynihan Amendment No. 268, to prohibit soliciting or diverting funds to carry out activities for which United States assistance is prohibited.

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(2) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 120), Byrd-DeConcini Amendment No. 279, to provide relief for Turkish refugees fleeing Bulgaria.

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(3) Pressler Amendment No. 280, expressing the sense of the Congress on the Yugoslavian human rights situation.

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(4) Sarbanes Modified Amendment No. 281 (to Amendment No. 280), expressing the sense of the Congress regarding human rights in Yugoslavia.

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Rejected:

(1) By 20 yeas to 79 nays (Vote No. 122), Gore Amendment No. 277, to restrict political appointments to key State Department posts.

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(2) By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 121), Helms Modified Amendment No. 278 (to Amendment No. 277), to prevent contact with General Noriega or his representatives by American officials.

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Pending:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 269, to prohibit negotiations with terrorists responsible for the murder, injury or kidnaping of an American citizen.

(2) Grassley Amendment No. 270 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature.

(3) Heinz Amendment No. 272, to provide international support for programs of sustainable development, environmental protection, and debt reduction.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on tomorrow.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Howard K. Walker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Madagascar and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federal and Islamic Republic of the Comoros.

Lannon Walker, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Nigeria.

Glen A. Holden, of California, to be Ambassador to Jamaica.

John A. Betti, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—122)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 6:55 p.m., until Wednesday, July 19, 1989, at 9:15 a.m. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 15075.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Michael Philip Skarzynski, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Dixon, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Rockwell Anthony Schnabel, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Travel and Tourism, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Wilson, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Stephen A. Wakefield, of Texas, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy, J. Michael Davis, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy for Conservation and Renewable Energy, John J. Easton, Jr., of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy for International Affairs Energy Emergencies, and Jacqueline Knox Brown, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, and Harry M. Snyder, to be Director of the Office of

Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Wakefield was introduced by Senators Bentsen and Gramm, Mr. Davis was introduced by Senators Armstrong and Wirth, Mr. Easton was introduced by Senator Leahy, Ms. Brown was introduced by Senator Cochran, and Mr. Snyder was introduced by Senators Ford and McConnell.

DEGRADABLE PLASTICS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1237, to encourage the development and marketing of commodity-based degradable plastics through government procurement and usage, receiving testimony from Joan G. Harn, Analyst, Oceans and Environment Programs, Office of Technology Assessment; James L. DeProspero, Jr., Assistant Commissioner for Commodity Management, Federal Supply Service, General Services Administration; Bruce Weddle, Acting Director, Municipal Solid Waste Program, Environmental Protection Agency; Lyle H. Schwartz, Director, Institute for Materials Science and Engineering, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; L. Robert Lake, Director, Office of Compliance, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, Department of Health and Human Services; James Thomas, American Society for Testing and Materials, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Romani Narayan, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana; Jerry L. Petak, Archer Daniels Midland Company, Decatur, Illinois; and Jack H. Pincus, Michigan Biotechnology Institute, Lansing.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committees: Committees continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Dale Bird, Special Agent, Washington, DC; Wendy Loucks, Special Agent, Miami, Florida, and John Simmons, Special Agent, Atlanta, Georgia, all of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; and Hemphill Pride, Columbia, South Carolina.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 19.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG PRICES

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings on certain issues relating to prescription drug prices, receiving testimony from Louis B. Hays, Acting Administrator of the Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Dennis M. Styrsky, Chief, Pharmaceutical Products Division, Marketing Center (Hines, Illinois), Department of Veterans Affairs; Winston Barton, Kansas State Department of Social and Rehabilita-

tion Services, Topeka; William Mincy, The Lenco Group, Tallahassee, Florida; Gerald J. Mossinghoff, Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association, Washington, DC; Joseph Thomas III, Purdue University School of Pharmacy, West Lafayette, Indiana; J. Bruce Laughrey, Medi-Span, Inc., Indianapolis, Indiana; and George B. Rathmann, Amgen Inc., Thousand Oaks, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, 2917-2924; 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 367-368, and H. Res. 204-205 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1031, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts, amended (H. Rept. 101-151); and

H. Res. 205, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989 (H. Rept. 101-152).

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Space Science and Application of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Agriculture Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 394 yeas to 26 nays, Roll No. 141, the House passed H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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A point of order was sustained that strikes language making funds available to employ persons or organizations, on a temporary basis, by contract or otherwise.

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Brown of Colorado wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 204, electing Representative Grandy to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today appears on page 14966. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing on H.R. 2869, Commodity Futures Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Smith of Iowa; Wendy L. Gramm, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 20.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held a hearing on the following: Public Safety and Justice; Governmental Direction and Support; Economic Development and Regulations; Enterprise Funds; Public Works; and Language Changes. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Theresa Watson, Chairman, Retirement Board; Fred L. Greene, Director, Office of Planning; David S. Dennison, Director, Department of Housing and Community Development; Roland L. Turpin, Acting Director, Department of Public and Assisted Housing; Maj. Gen. Calvin G. Franklin, Commanding General National Guard; Wylie L. Williams, Deputy Mayor, Economic Development; Carolyn B. Lewis, Chairperson, Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board; John E. Touchstone, Director, Department of Public Works; and Wilhelmina Marshall, Director, Legislative Affairs, Office of Budget.

DOE REORGANIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel held a hearing on reorganization of the Department of Energy. Testimony was heard from Senator Wirth; Representatives Evans and Skaggs; John C. Tuck, Under Secretary of Energy; and public witnesses.

ADMINISTRATION FORECAST—MID-SESSION REVIEW OF THE BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on the Administration Forecast and the Mid-Session Review of the Budget. Testimony was heard from Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education and the Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities held a joint hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H. Res. 128, amended, expressing the sense of the House regarding the situation in Lebanon; H.J. Res. 292, to designate August 1, 1989, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day"; and H. Con. Res. 154, amended, condemning the brutal treatment of, and blatant discrimination against, the Turkish minority by the Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary met to consider pending business.

MANAGEMENT OF THE DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held an oversight hearing on Management of the Defense Industrial Base. Testimony was heard from Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Robert C. McCormack, Deputy Under Secretary, Industrial and International Programs, Department of Defense; James A. Richards, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Industrial Resource Administration, Department of Commerce; Joseph A. Moreland, Assistant Associate Director, Office of Mobilization Preparedness, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and public witnesses.

AMERICAN INDIAN RELIGIOUS FREEDOM ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 1546, American Indian Religious Freedom Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Dean E. Stepanek, Acting Deputy Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Jeff M. Sirmon, Deputy Chief, U.S. Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held an oversight hearing on implementation of the Compact of Free Association with the Marshall Islands and the Federated States of Micronesia. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Larry Morgan, Director, Legislative and Public Affairs; David Heggstad, Director, Budget and Technical Assistance; and Steven Sanders, Legislative Assistant, Office of Territorial and International Affairs; James D. Berg, Director, Office of Freely Associated State Affairs, Department of State; Dr. Peter A. Sybinsky, Deputy Director, Department of Health, State of Hawaii; the following officials of the Government of Guam: Lourdes Pangelinan, Executive Assistant to the Governor; and Peter Guerrero, Director, Bureau of Planning; and a public witness.

SURFACE MINING CONTROL AND RECLAMATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2719, to amend title I, II, IV, and V of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, and to add a new title X, to encourage the remining and reclamation of abandoned mined lands by active mining operations; and legislature to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to encourage the remining and reclamation of abandoned mined lands by active mining operations. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boucher and Clinger; Brent Wahlquist, Assistant Director, Program Policy, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior; Gary Merritt, Director, Office of Environmental Energy Management, Department of Environmental Resources, State of Pennsylvania; and a public witness.

WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS DESIGNATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1473, to designate certain lands in Los Padres National Forest as wilderness, to designate Sespe Creek and the Sisquoc River in the State of California as wild and scenic rivers. Testimony was heard from James Overbay, Deputy Chief, National Forest System, U.S. Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—OIL SPILL TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held an oversight hearing on oil spill technology. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Joel D.

Sipes, USCG, Chief, Office of Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Ed Cassidy, Deputy Director, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; Alfred W. Lindsey, Acting Director, Office of Environmental Engineering and Technology Demonstration, EPA; and public witnesses.

DESECRATION OF THE U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights continued hearings on Statutory and Constitutional responses to the Supreme Court decision in *Texas v. Johnson* (desecration of the flag of the United States). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PANAMA CANAL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal/Outer Continental Shelf held an oversight hearing on the Panama Canal Commission and on the following bills: H.R. 1347, Panama Canal Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 1348, to amend the Panama Canal Act of 1979 with respect to compensation for certain members of the Panama Canal Commission, to extend retirement eligibility. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Panama Canal Commission: Robert Page, Chairman, Board of Directors; and Michael Rhode, Secretary.

PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT AND RECOGNITION SYSTEMS REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Performance Management and Recognition Systems. Testimony was heard from Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; Bernard L. Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resources Management Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 598, amended, Aircraft Cabin Air Quality Protection Act of 1989; H.R. 1307, General Aviation Standards Act of 1989; and H.R. 2151, amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to establish a schedule for the installation in certain civil aircraft of the collision avoidance system known as TCAS-II.

VA-HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATION

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clause 2 of Rule XXI against specified provisions of H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and other offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule provides that where the rule waives points of order against only a portion of a paragraph, a point of order may be made only against that provision and not against the entire paragraph. The rule makes in order the amendments printed in the report accompanying this resolution, if offered by Representative Schumer, or his designee. The amendments may be offered en bloc and may amend portions of the bill not yet read for amendment. The amendments are not subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. The amendments are debatable for 1 hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. Testimony was heard from Representatives Traxler, Panetta, Schumer, Roe, McCurdy, Green, Frenzel, and Walker.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Skelton, Dellums, Fascell, Lehman of Florida, Murphy, Synar, Dorgan of North Dakota, Wyden, Bates, Berman, Richardson, Smith of Florida, Traficant, DeFazio, Skaggs, Kasich, Ireland, Rowland of Connecticut, Young of Florida, Dreier of California, Robert F. Smith, and Wolf, but took no action on H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorization Act of 1990/1991.

METAL CASTING COMPETITIVENESS RESEARCH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development and the Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a joint hearing on H.R. 1243, to require the Secretary of Energy to establish three Centers for Metal Casting Competitiveness Research. Testimony was heard from Representatives Erdreich and Harris; Alan J. Streb, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Conservation, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

NASA REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and develop-

ment, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup

Will continue tomorrow.

Joint Meeting

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, July 19, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Ten bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1350-1359, S.J. Res. 181, and S. Res. 155.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Received on Tuesday, July 18:

S. 1347, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and the Arms Export Control Act, and related statutory provisions, to authorize development and security assistance programs for fiscal year 1990, and for other purposes. (S. Rept. No. 101-80)

Received today:

S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, and for other purposes. (S. Rept. No. 101-81)

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Foreign Relations Authorization Act, F.Y. 1990: Senate continued consideration of S. 1160, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, taking

action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 284, to express the sense of the Congress regarding the future of Tibet.

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(2) Pell Amendment No. 285, to express the sense of the Congress regarding the future of Taiwan.

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(3) Murkowski Amendment No. 286, to express the sense of the Senate relating to the recently concluded agreement with the Government of Japan regarding driftnet fisheries in the North Pacific Ocean.

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(4) Murkowski Amendment No. 287, to increase the amount of rewards for combatting terrorism.

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(5) D'Amato Amendment No. 288, to repeal section 404 of Title IV, General Provisions, of the Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations and Transfers, Urgent Supplementals, and Correcting Enrollment Errors Act (P.L. 101-45).

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(6) Pell Amendment No. 291, to express the sense of the Congress concerning the aspirations of the people of Soviet Armenia for a peaceful and fair settlement to the dispute over Nagorno-Karabagh.

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(7) Pell (for Adams) Amendment No. 292, to provide for the safe and efficient evacuation of United States Government personnel, their dependents and private United States citizens when their lives are endangered by war, civil unrest, or natural disaster.

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(8) Pell (for Cranston) Amendment No. 293, to provide for the importation of certain defense articles from Poland and Hungary.

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(9) Pell (for Moynihan) Amendment No. 294, relating to Burmese refugees and conditions in Burma.

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(10) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 124), Mack Amendment No. 295, to express the sense of the Congress regarding policy toward Cuba.

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(11) McConnell Amendment No. 296, to provide a report to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations and the House Committee on Foreign Affairs within 90 days of enactment of this legislation which will identify, inventory and analyze clean coal tech-

nologies export programs within U.S. Government agencies.

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(12) Wallop Amendment No. 297, to honor the world's most recent heroes in the universal struggle for freedom and democracy, and to designate the park in the District of Columbia directly across from the Embassy of the People's Republic of China as "Tiananmen Square Park."

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(13) Pell Amendment No. 298 (to Amendment No. 297), to express the sense of the Congress regarding the placement of a statute memorializing the Chinese student "Democracy Movement."

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(14) Kennedy Amendment No. 301, to express the sense of the Senate regarding the proposal offered by Prime Minister Bhutto of Pakistan calling for the establishment of an Association of Democratic Nations.

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(15) Byrd Amendment No. 302, to assign commercial officers to the U.S. Mission to the European Community.

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(16) DeConcini Amendment No. 303, to express the sense of the Congress regarding efforts by Mexico to control illegal narcotics-related activities. (By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 125), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

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(17) Helms modified Amendment No. 304 (to Amendment No. 303), of a perfecting nature.

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(18) Heinz Amendment No. 305, to express the sense of the Senate on the agreement to be signed between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of Korea to co-produce the "Korean Fighter Program" (KFP).

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(19) Pell (for Bradley) Amendment No. 306, to require the Secretary of State to report to Congress, no later than January 1, 1990, concerning the implications of the June 3-4 crackdown by the Government of the People's Republic of China against pro-democracy demonstrators in Beijing for the reversion of Hong Kong to PRC sovereignty in 1997, and about the way in which the administration intends to work with the United Kingdom, Hong Kong and our friends and allies in the region to ensure the democratic rights of the people of Hong Kong, and the general political and economic stability of the territory after such reversion.

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(20) Helms (for Stevens) modified Amendment No. 307, calling upon the Secretary of State and the Foreign Minister of Canada to begin negotiations on a treaty dealing with the complex questions of recovery of damages, contingency plans, and coordinated actions in the event of an oil spill in the Arctic Ocean or a tanker accident during the shipment of oil by sea.

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(21) Pell (for Lautenberg) Amendment No. 308, to express the sense of the Congress that (1) the United States should prohibit the importation of Romanian meat, meat products, and wine until such time as the Romanian Government ceases to withhold food, particularly meat, from the Romanian people, and improves significantly its domestic human rights record; and (2) the United States should vigorously protest, at all international conferences and forums, Romania's human rights abuses and, particularly, its abuses of the ethnic Hungarian minority.

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(22) Helms-DeConcini Amendment No. 309, to express the sense of the Congress that the Government of the People's Republic of China should release all political prisoners, including Yang Wei.

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(23) Pell (for Biden) Amendment No. 310, of a technical and clarifying nature, relating to assistance for commercial debt exchanges, global environmental protection assistance.

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(24) Helms (for Mack) Amendment No. 311, to increase the authorization for Radio Marti by \$700,000, with a concurrent increase of \$700,000 in the overall authorization for the U.S. Information Agency.

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(25) Pell Amendment No. 312, to promote contact between the young peoples of the United States, the Soviet Union, and Eastern European countries.

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(26) Pell (for Wirth) Amendment No. 313, to require the Director of the USIA to report to Congress, describing all programming material acquired by the USIA in FY 1988 and 1989 from public television and radio entities, including a description of how such program material was utilized by the USIA, in whole or in part, in original or edited form.

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(27) Wilson Amendment No. 314, to support the constitutional rights of the President to conduct foreign policy.

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(28) Lott Amendment No. 315 (to Amendment No. 314), of a perfecting nature. (By 25 yeas to 71 nays (Vote No. 126), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

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(29) Gore Amendment No. 316, to require the Secretary of State to submit to the Congress a report of the political, economic, commercial, and security implications of assistance to foreign countries in the form of systematically organized and financed transfers of technology for the purpose of improving energy efficiency and reducing carbon emissions to the atmosphere.

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(30) Domenici Amendment No. 317 (to Amendment No. 316), to express the sense of the Senate that the United States should take the lead to convene an International Energy Conference to bring countries of the world together in order to develop clean energy technologies to meet future energy needs.

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(31) Exon Amendment No. 318, to provide that the U.S. Embassy in Japan shall not deny student visas to nationals of the Peoples Republic of China currently in Japan based solely on the recent political events in China, where the student can demonstrate an ability to meet all other requirements of a student visa and demonstrate that the student initiated an education plan prior to June 4, 1989, which included study in the United States.

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(32) Pell (for Wirth) Amendment No. 319, to establish a date for the submission of a coordinated national policy on global climate change.

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(33) Helms (for Kasten) Amendment No. 320, to require not less than 12 hours each day of Voice of America broadcasts into the People's Republic of China.

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(34) Pell (for Adams) Amendment No. 321, to enhance the capability of the Department of State to evacuate United States citizens when their lives are endangered by war, civil unrest, or natural disaster.

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(35) Helms (for Biden) Amendment No. 322, to modify language relating to international debt exchanges and the environment.

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(36) Coats Amendment No. 323, to insure that there is a democratically elected government in Panama before a new Administrator of the Panama Canal Commission may be appointed.

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(37) Byrd-Hatfield Amendment No. 326, to provide funding for continued support for the establishment of a Latin American and Caribbean Data Base, and to provide funding for Soviet and Eastern European research exchanges for professors and other professionals holding doctoral degrees or its equivalent.

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(38) By unanimous vote of 94 yeas (Vote No. 127), Dole Amendment No. 327, to express the sense of the Senate concerning the situation in Lebanon.

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Rejected:

(1) Gore Amendment No. 289, to limit political appointments to the position of U.S. Ambassador to 30 percent and to establish a bipartisan review board for the purpose of pre-screening all political nominees.

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(2) By 38 yeas to 61 nays (Vote No. 123), Gore Amendment No. 290 (to Amendment No. 289), of a perfecting nature.

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Withdrawn:

(1) Wirth Amendment No. 299, to require the United States Information Agency to report to Congress on the acquisition and use of public programming material.

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 300 (to Amendment No. 299), of a perfecting nature. (Amendment fell when Amendment No. 299 was withdrawn.)

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Pending:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 269, to prohibit negotiations with terrorists responsible for the murder, injury or kidnapping of an American citizen.

(2) Grassley Amendment No. 270 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature.

(3) Heinz Amendment No. 272, to provide international support for programs of sustainable development, environmental protection, and debt reduction.

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(4) Armstrong Amendment No. 324, relating to Chinese fleeing coercive population control policies.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and amendments to be proposed thereto.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a

vote on the cloture motion will occur on Friday, July 21.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on tomorrow.

Uranium Enrichment Program—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 83, to establish the amount of costs of the Department of Energy's uranium enrichment program that have not previously been recovered from enrichment customers in the charges of the Department of Energy, on Thursday, July 20.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Reporting on the national emergency with respect to Libya, which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-53)

(2) Transmitting the annual report on the operation of the Automotive Products Trade Act of 1965, which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-54)

(3) Transmitting the annual report on the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Act of 1978, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-55)

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—127)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 11:29 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Thursday, July 20, 1989. (For Senate program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 15316.)

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings on the im-

plementation of the Defense Production Act, focusing on the capability of American industry to meet future national defense requirements, receiving testimony from Norman R. Augustine, Martin Marietta Corporation, Bethesda, Maryland; Robert W. Galvin, Motorola, Inc., Schaumburg, Illinois; and Stanley C. Pace, General Dynamics Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on S. 999 and S. 1346, bills relating to the broadcasting of certain material regarding candidates for Federal elective office, receiving testimony from Senators Bryan, Graham, and McConnell; and Charles McC. Mathias, Jr., Jones, Day, Reavis and Pogue, Charles E. Guggenheim, Guggenheim Productions, Inc., Bob Squire, Eskew Communications, Curtis B. Gans, Committee for the Study of American Electorate, Barry Lynn, American Civil Liberties Union, and Fred Wertheimer, Common Cause, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 26.

AMERICA'S SPACE PROGRAM

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings to assess the comparative status of the nation's space program with other spacefaring nations, and how the space program influences certain educational programs, after receiving testimony from Kenneth S. Pedersen, Associate Administrator, Office of External Relations, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Michael Michaud, Director, Office of Advanced Technology, Department of State; Marcia Smith, Specialist in Aerospace Policy, Science Policy Research Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Aaron Beck, Spring Hill Elementary, McLean, Virginia; Ashley Duncan, Kino Learning Center, Tucson, Arizona; Damon Butler, Oxon Hill High School, Oxon Hill, Maryland; Josh Adams, Montgomery Blair High School, Silver Spring, Maryland; Jennifer Stolback, Watkins Mill High School, Gaithersburg, Maryland; Terrence Taylor, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island; and James Ruffin, University of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Lou Gallegos, of New Mexico, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Policy, Budget and Administration, Martin Lewis Allday, of Texas, to be Solicitor, Department of the

Interior, Stella Garcia Guerra, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Territorial and International Affairs, and Constance Bastine Harri-man, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife;

S. 488, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 560, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of certain historic military forts in the State of New Mexico, with amendments;

S. 818, to authorize a study on methods to pay tribute to the late Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico for his contributions to the establishment of a national wilderness system, with amendments;

S. 963, to authorize a study on methods to commemorate the nationally significant highway known as Route 66, with amendments; and

S. 550, to establish a national program to improve collaboration between the national laboratory system of the Department of Energy and the private sector so as to foster the development of technologies in areas of significant economic potential in order to enhance the Nation's economic competitiveness and strategic well-being, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York, after receiving testimony from Senator Moynihan; New York State Assemblyman William Hoyt, Buffalo; and Kevin J. Coyle, American Rivers, Inc., Washington, DC;

S. 866, to establish the Calumet Copper Country National Historical Park in the State of Michigan, after receiving testimony from Senator Levin; Representative Davis; Bruce Craig, National Parks and Conservation Association, Washington, DC; and Stanley J. Dyl II, Michigan Technological University, Patrick J. Coleman, U.P. Engineering and Architectural Associates, Inc., and Edward J. Koepel, The Ventures Group, Inc., all of Houghton, Michigan; and

H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri, and H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site in the State of Missouri, after receiving testimony from Senator Bond.

Testimony was also received on all the aforementioned bills from Jerry Patton, Associate Director

for Planning and Development, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

NRC REORGANIZATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Nuclear Regulation concluded hearings on S. 946, to reorganize the functions of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to promote more effective regulation of atomic energy for peaceful purposes, after receiving testimony from Kenneth M. Carr, Chairman, and Thomas M. Roberts, Kenneth C. Rogers, and James R. Curtiss, all Commissioners, all of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission; and Joseph M. Farley, The Southern Company, Birmingham, Alabama.

PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Taxation and Debt Management held hearings on H.J. Res. 280, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt, receiving testimony from Senator Heinz; and Robert R. Glauber, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Finance.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PLANS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Taxation and Debt Management and the Subcommittee on Private Retirement Plans and Oversight of the Internal Revenue Service held joint hearings on proposals to reform the Employee Stock Ownership Plans and retiree health benefits of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, including S. 1303, S. 1171, and S. 812, receiving testimony from Senators Metzenbaum and Dixon; Dana L. Trier, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Russell B. Long, former U.S. Senator, Long Law Firm, and Paul R. Huard, National Association of Manufacturers, both of Washington, DC; Steven R. Coch, Peoria Journal Star, Inc., Peoria, Illinois, on behalf of the Employee Stock Ownership Plans Association; Steven Schanes, American Association of Retired Persons, San Diego, California; and John E. Stair, Jr., DuPont Co., Wilmington, Delaware, on behalf of the Coalition for Retirement Income Security.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of William H. Taft IV, of Virginia, to be the United States Permanent Representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with the rank and status of Ambassador; Shirley Temple Black, of California, to be Ambassador to the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic; Keith Lapham Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark; Joseph Bernard Gildenhorn,

of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Switzerland; and Thomas Patrick Melady, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Holy See, after the nominees testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Mr. Brown was introduced by Senator Armstrong, and Mr. Gildenhorn was introduced by Senator Boschwitz.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee began hearings on the nomination of William Lucas, of Michigan, to be Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice, where the nominee, who was introduced by Representative Conyers, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Alabama State Representative Alvin Holmes, and Joe Reed, Alabama Democratic Conference, both of Montgomery; Victor J. Baum, former Wayne County Circuit Judge, and Arthur L. Johnson, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, both of Detroit, Michigan; Drew Days, Yale Law School, New Haven, Connecticut, former Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice; William L. Taylor, Citizens Commission on Civil Rights, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from John Simmons, Special Agent, Atlanta, Georgia, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Robert I. Richter, Associate Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia; Senora Avery, Fairfax, Virginia; and Albert Blocker and Cynthia Rogers, both of Washington, DC.

Also, received into evidence prior testimony of Madeline Petty, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 20.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 2925-2936 and 2939; 2 private bills, H.R. 2937 and 2938; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 369 and 370, H. Con. Res. 171, and H. Res. 206 and 207 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 315, to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasters afford reasonable opportunity for the discus-

sion of conflicting views on issues of public importance, amended (H. Rept. 101-153);

H.R. 426; H.R. 429; H.R. 568; H.R. 713; H.R. 715; H.R. 757; H.R. 1017; H.R. 1018; H.R. 1020; and H.R. 1021, all private bills (H. Repts. 101-154 through 101-163, respectively);

H.R. 2486, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans' readjustment appointments authorized by such title, amended (H. Rept. 101-164);

H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-165); and

H. Res. 207, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-166).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 282 yeas to 98 nays, Roll No. 142, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, July 18.

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Lunar Landing Anniversary: House agreed to H. Res. 197, to commemorate the twentieth anniversary of mankind's first lunar landing.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Federal Facilities Compliance Act: By a yea-and-nay vote of 380 yeas to 39 nays, Roll No. 145, the House passed H.R. 1056, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Bilirakis amendment that provides that all fines collected by States be used only for projects designed to improve or protect the environment or to defray the costs of environmental protection or enforcement; and

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The Jones of North Carolina amendment that exempts a Federal wastewater treatment works at Marine Air Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, North Carolina, from RCRA.

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Rejected the Ray amendment that sought to provide that the waiver of sovereign immunity does not apply to administrative or civil actions for violations arising out of a requirement for corrective action for past solid and hazardous waste disposal imposed by EPA or States (rejected by a recorded vote of 98 yeas to 322 noes, Roll No. 144).

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The Clerk was authorized to make technical and conforming amendments in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 202, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 412 yeas, Roll No. 143.

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Subcommittees To Sit: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law, Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights, Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees, and International Law, and Subcommittee on Crime of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule on Thursday, July 20.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Customs Service Anniversary Year: House passed H.J. Res. 363, to designate 1989 as "United States Customs Service 200th Anniversary Year."

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Historic Preservation Advisory Council: House cleared for the President H.R. 999, to reauthorize the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; by agreeing to the Senate amendments thereto.

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Nevada Federal Lands: House cleared for the President H.R. 1485, to direct sale of certain lands in Clark County, Nevada, to meet national defense and other needs; to authorize sale of certain other lands in Clark County, Nevada; and to further the ability of the United States to recover for damages to certain marine and other resources of the National Park System; by agreeing to the Senate amendments thereto.

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Park System Resources Management: House passed H.R. 2844, to improve the ability of the Secretary of the Interior to properly manage certain resources of the National Park System.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Libyan emergency: Message wherein he reports on developments since former President Reagan's last report concerning the national emergency with respect to Libya—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-85);

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Nuclear proliferation: Message wherein he transmits his annual report on the activities of the United States Government departments and agencies during the calendar year 1988 related to preventing nuclear proliferation—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs; and

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Automotive products trade: Message wherein he transmits the twentieth annual report relating to developments during 1985 pursuant to the Automotive Products Trade Act of 1965—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 15097, 15105, 15143, 15146. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings to review issues relating to the formulation of the 1990 Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from Clayton Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture.

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURAL CONCEPTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research, and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing to review sustainable agricultural concepts. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FRESH LIME RESEARCH, PROMOTION, AND CONSUMER INFORMATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations, and Nutrition held a hearing on H.R. 1776, Fresh Lime Research, Promotion, and Consumer Information Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Fascell; Kenneth Clayton, Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported legislation making appropriations for Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to begin markup of the Defense appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

Will continue tomorrow.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia concluded appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATIONAL CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION ACT AMENDMENT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Government Operations and Metropolitan Affairs approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1463, to amend the National Capital Transportation Act of 1969 relating to the Washington Metro-rail System.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearings to review extent to which exposure to fumes from diesel engines in closed work places are affecting the health and safety of workers. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 26.

AIDS PREVENTION: NEEDLE EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on AIDS Prevention: Needle Exchange Programs. Testimony was heard from Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; the following officials of the City of New York: Joseph Lisa, Councilman, Chairman, Health Committee; and Dr. Stephen Joseph, Commissioner, Department of Health; and public witnesses.

FDA'S PROGRAM TO INSPECT FOOD IMPORTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the adequacy and effectiveness of the FDA's program to inspect food imports. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FDA, Department of Health and Human Services: Ronald M. Johnson, District Director, San Francisco, California; and Gerald E. Vince, District Director, Dallas, Texas; the following officials of the U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury: Jay Brandt, Chief Inspector, Blaine, State of Washington; and Lance Dennis, Inspector, Los Angeles, State of California; and staff members.

**SECURITIES LAW ENFORCEMENT
REMEDIES ACT**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 975, Securities Law Enforcement Remedies Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from David S. Ruder, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

**FEDERAL FACILITIES RADIOACTIVE
WASTE CONTROL ACT**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 2708, Federal Facilities Radioactive Waste Control Act. Testimony was heard from Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and the following officials of the Department of Energy: John C. Layton, Inspector General; and Leo P. Duffy, Special Assistant to the Secretary for Waste Management.

COPING WITH AIDS IN AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa concluded hearings on Coping with AIDS in Africa: Three Years into the W.H.O. Global Program on AIDS (Part II). Testimony was heard from Bradshaw Langmaid, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Science and Technology, AID; Dr. Thomas Quinn, Senior Investigator, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; and a public witness.

U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organization concluded joint hearings on U.S.-China Relations: Private Sector Views. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RECYCLING PAPER

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing held a hearing on issues involved in implementing H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives. Testimony was heard from Representative Green; George White, Architect of the Capitol; Judy Kowalski, Oceans and Environment Program, OTA; and Nadine Winter, Councilwoman, Ward 6, District of Columbia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held an oversight hearing on Legal Services Corporation reauthorization. Testimony was heard from Representative Byron; Michael Wallace, Chairman, Legal Services Corporation; and public witnesses.

DESECRATION OF THE U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights continued hearings on Statutory and Constitutional responses to the Supreme Court decision in *Texas v. Johnson* (desecration of the flag of the United States). Testimony was heard from William Barr, Assistant Legal Counsel, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes and the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment met in joint session and approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1063, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to add Tampa Bay, FL, to the national estuary program; and H.R. 980, Global Environment Research and Policy Act of 1989.

OCEAN RESEARCH VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 897, authorizing the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to modernize and expand its fleet of ocean research vessels.

**COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ACT
REAUTHORIZATION**

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on Coastal Zone Management Act reauthorization. Testimony was heard from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator, Water, EPA; John J. Carey, Deputy Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN OPERATIONS APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing 2 hours of debate and waiving clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI and clause 7 of Rule XXI. The rule also waives clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI against the bill, making appropriations for Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with specified exceptions. The rule

provides that when points of order are waived against only a portion of a paragraph, a point of order against any other provision of such paragraph may be made only against such provision and not against the entire paragraph. The rule makes in order an amendment, if offered by Representative Obey of Wisconsin, or his designee, which shall be debatable for one hour and shall not be subject to amendment. Clause 7 of Rule XVI and clause 2 of Rule XXI are waived against the amendment. Testimony was heard from Representatives Obey, Fassel, Oaker, Leland, Berman and Nielson of Utah.

INTERNATIONAL TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on International Technology Transfer. Testimony was heard from Thomas Murrin, Deputy Secretary of Commerce; Ambassador Peter Jon de Vos, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Science and Technology Affairs, Department of State; Richard Williamson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Affairs, Department of Energy; Kenneth S. Pedersen, Associate Administrator, Office of External Relations, NASA; and George P. Millburn, Deputy Director, Research and Engineering, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense.

SBA'S FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the impact of budget problems on SBA's financial assistance programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SBA: Edwin T. Holloway, Associate Administrator, Finance and Investment; Charles Hertzberg, Deputy Associate Administrator, Financial Assistance; and Lawrence R. Rosenbaum, Comptroller.

DVA INSURANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance held a hearing on DVA insurance programs. Testimony was heard from R.J. Vogel, Chief Benefits Director, Department of Veterans Affairs; and representatives of veterans organizations.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Will continue tomorrow.

Joint Meetings

PARIS ECONOMIC SUMMIT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to review the results of the Paris Economic

Summit, after receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

PUBLIC INVESTMENT IN INFRASTRUCTURE

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the need for increased public investment in infrastructure, after receiving testimony from James Tobin, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut; Alan Blinder, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey; and Jack Meyer, New Directions for Policy, Washington, DC, representing the Ford Foundation; and Donald H. Straszheim, Merrill Lynch, New York, New York.

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Joint Hearings: Senate Committee on Appropriations' Subcommittee on the District of Columbia and the House Committee on Appropriations' Subcommittee on the District of Columbia concluded joint hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Representatives Parris and Larkin Smith; and numerous public witnesses.

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Thursday, July 20, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nineteen bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1360-1378, S. Con. Res. 55, and S. Res. 156.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1366, to authorize funds for the reserve components of the Armed Forces for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

S. 1367, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for procurement of missiles for the Armed Forces.

S. 1368, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Army and Marine Corps for research, development, test, and evaluation to develop improved weapons and equipment for small infantry units.

S. 1369, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for fiscal year 1990 for environmental restoration and the management of defense waste and transportation, to establish and carry out a defense waste cleanup technology program, to pro-

vide for the establishment of a blue ribbon task group on environmental restoration and defense waste management, to modify the Department of Energy nuclear defense mission.

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Measures Passed:

Uranium Enrichment Act of 1989: By 73 yeas to 26 nays (Vote No. 128), Senate passed S. 83, to establish the United States Enrichment Corporation to operate the Federal uranium enrichment program on a profitable and efficient basis in order to maximize the long-term economic value to the United States, to provide assistance to the domestic uranium industry and to provide a Federal contribution for the reclamation of mill tailings generated pursuant to Federal defense contracts at active uranium and thorium processing sites, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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20th Anniversary of Apollo 11 Lunar Mission: By unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 137), Senate agreed to S. Res. 156, to express the sense of the Senate with respect to the Apollo 11 lunar mission, the International Space Station Freedom program, and the "Mission to Planet Earth."

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Foreign Relations Authorizations Act, 1990: The Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from the further consideration of H.R. 1487, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and the Board for International Broadcasting, and the bill was passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1160, Senate companion measure, after taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Helms Amendment No. 269, to prohibit negotiations with terrorists responsible for the murder, injury or kidnapping of an American citizen.

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(2) Heinz modified Amendment No. 272, to provide international support for programs of sustainable development, environmental protection, and debt reduction.

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(3) By unanimous vote of 95 yeas (Vote No. 130), Armstrong modified Amendment No. 324, relating to Chinese fleeing coercive population control policies.

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(4) Kasten Amendment No. 329 (to Amendment No. 272), of a perfecting nature, to require an as-

essment and report by the Secretary regarding debt-for-nature exchanges.

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(5) Mack Amendment, No. 333, to prohibit certain transactions between United States owned or controlled firms and Cuba. (By 13 yeas to 82 nays (Vote No. 129), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

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(6) Rockefeller Amendment No. 335, to express the sense of the Senate that the Office of the United States Trade Representative shall have a representative in the American Embassy in Tokyo.

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(7) By 97 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 132), Mitchell Amendment No. 364 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature, to prohibit negotiations with certain Palestine Liberation Organization representatives.

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(8) Breaux Amendment No. 365, to facilitate the international conservation of sea turtles.

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(9) By unanimous vote of 98 yeas (Vote No. 133), Graham Amendment No. 366, calling upon the Soviet Union and its allies to withhold further military assistance to the Republic of Nicaragua and the FMLN, and to withdraw their military and security advisors and support personnel, and calling on the Republic of Nicaragua to work toward a stabilization of the regional military balance, and to begin a diminution of the size of its military forces, as envisioned in the Esquipulas II Accords.

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(10) By unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 134), Lautenberg Amendment No. 367 to establish certain categories of Soviet and Vietnamese nationals for which evidence needed to prove refugee status is lessened, and to provide for adjustment to permanent resident status of certain Soviet and Vietnamese parolees.

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(11) Helms-Bradley Amendment No. 368, to authorize funds for the Commission on the Ukraine Famine.

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(12) Helms Amendment No. 369, to express the sense of the Senate that the Senate supports the aspirations of the Georgian nation for freedom and for justice; supports the aspirations of the Georgian nation for democracy in compliance with the provisions of the Final Act of the Helsinki Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, to which the Soviet Union is a party; and supports the aspirations

of the Georgian nation for cultural and human rights, as embodied in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which the Soviet Union supported.

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(13) Murkowski Amendment No. 370, to express the sense of the Senate that (1) the President should seek to negotiate an international protocol requiring all nations that produce, or enter into the production of, plastic explosives to implant taggants in those explosives designed to facilitate their detection for anti-terrorist purposes; and (2) the President should seek to reach a final agreement on an international protocol at the earliest possible date.

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(14) Graham Amendment No. 371, to require the Attorney General to investigate allegations of an alien smuggling ring operated by the Government of Cuba, by which Cuban Nationals are smuggled into the United States via Panama and Mexico.

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(15) Graham Amendment No. 372, to require the Director of National Drug Abuse Policy to report to Congress past involvement by the Government of Cuba in narcotics trafficking.

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(16) Graham Amendment No. 373, calling on the Secretary General of the United Nations to act upon the resolution approved by the Commission on Human Rights, March 9, 1989, to specifically urge the Government of Cuba to release the 22 persons still being held in detention because of their human rights activities.

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(17) Danforth-Boren Amendment No. 374, to provide that the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, upon consultation with the Secretary of State, shall issue a report to the Senate by December 31, 1989, on the appropriate relationship between the Legislative and the Executive Branches with respect to the formulation of U.S. foreign policy.

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(18) Chafee Amendment No. 361, to express the sense of the Senate that Israel's announced intention to reopen schools in the West Bank is to be commended.

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(19) Specter-Kerry modified Amendment No. 337, to express the sense of the Congress that the President and the Secretary of State should call for international negotiations for the purpose of agreeing on the establishment of an international strike force to pursue and apprehend major international drug traffickers and terrorists.

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(20) Specter Amendment No. 339, to authorize and request the President to issue a proclamation designating December 21, 1989, as "Terrorist Victims Commemoration Day," and to urge the Governors of the several States, the chief officials of local governments, and the people of the United States to mark this day with appropriately solemn ceremonies and activities.

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(21) Kassebaum Amendment No. 379 (to Amendment No. 361), of a perfecting nature.

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(22) Murkowski Amendment No. 380, to establish policy concerning the provision of assistance to a free and independent Cambodia.

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(23) By 97 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 135), Pell Amendment No. 381 (to Amendment No. 380), of a perfecting nature.

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(24) By 59 yeas to 39 nays (Vote No. 136), Robb Amendment No. 382 (to Amendment No. 380), of a perfecting nature.

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(25) Symms modified Amendment No. 362, to treat Hong Kong as a separate foreign state for purposes of applying the numerical limitations on immigration.

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(26) Simon Amendment No. 383, to express the sense of the Congress on multilateral sanctions against South Africa.

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(27) Helms Amendment No. 384, to express the sense of the Senate regarding the situation in the Republic of South Africa.

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(28) Helms Amendment No. 385, relating to contributions for peacekeeping activities in Southern Africa.

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(29) D'Amato Amendment No. 386, to express the sense of the Senate that the United States Government should recognize Guillermo Endara as the legitimately-elected President of the Republic of Panama.

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(30) Helms Amendment No. 387, to express the sense of the Senate that the Department of State shall submit to the Senate in treaty form for advice and consent all agreements with the Soviet Union which relate to boundaries of the United States.

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(31) By 56 yeas to 42 nays (Vote No. 138), Helms Amendment No. 355, to strike the provision of the bill concerning the Moscow Embassy, thereby maintaining current law.

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(32) By 90 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 139), Wilson Amendment No. 388, to declare that United Nations General Assembly Resolution No. 3379 of November 10, 1975, makes the United Nations or any of its constituent bodies an inappropriate forum for the sponsorship of any international conference on the Arab-Israeli conflict.

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(33) Pell (for Byrd) Amendment No. 389 (to Amendment No. 326), of a technical and clarifying manner.

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(34) Helms Amendment No. 348, to provide additional funding for the U.S. Information Agency for radio construction.

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(35) Helms (for Heinz) Amendment No. 390, to express the finding of the Congress with respect to ownership of certain professional staff positions in the United Nations secretariat.

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Rejected:

(1) Grassley Amendment No. 270 (to Amendment No. 269), of a perfecting nature. (By 75 yeas to 23 nays (Vote No. 131), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) McClure Amendment No. 330, to enforce the Helsinki Final Act. (Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

Heinz Amendment No. 328, to set forth principles for United States nationals involved in industrial cooperation projects in the Soviet Union and the Baltic States.

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S. 1160, companion measure, was indefinitely postponed.

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Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Pell, Biden, Sarbanes, Cranston (except for the consideration of section 111), and Moynihan (for the consideration of section 111), Helms, Lugar, and Kassebaum.

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Unanimous-Consent Agreements:

Death Penalty Legislation: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for Senate consid-

eration of S. 32 and amendments thereto relating to the death penalty and procedures for implementation of the death penalty.

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Consideration of Appropriations Bills: By unanimous consent, the majority leader, after consultation with the minority leader, may proceed to the consideration of H.R. 2788, Interior Appropriations; H.R. 2696, Energy and Water Appropriations; H.R. 2883, Agricultural Appropriations; and H.R. ———, Treasury-Postal Service Appropriations.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Sheldon J. Kryz, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Diplomatic Security.

Sally J. Novetzke, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta.

Loret Miller Ruppe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway.

Nicolas Miklos Salgo, of Florida, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as the Special Negotiator for Property Issues.

John A. Knauss, of Rhode Island, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Richard Schmalensee, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Clifford R. Oviatt, Jr., of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the remainder of the term expiring August 27, 1993.

Donald F. Rodgers, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 16, 1992.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Foreign Service, and Navy.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations, which were received by the Senate on January 3, 1989:

John E. Higgins, Jr., of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

Wilford W. Johansen, of California, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations.

Martin L. Allday, of Texas, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior.

Stella G. Guerra, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Michael P. Skarzynski, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

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Record Votes: Twelve record votes were taken today. (Total—139)	
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Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and recessed on Friday, July 21, at 1:15 a.m., until Monday, July 24, 1989, at 12:30 p.m. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 15689.)

Committee Meetings

DISASTER RELIEF ASSISTANCE

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee continued in evening session to consider proposed legislation to provide for disaster relief assistance for crop losses due to adverse weather conditions of 1988 or 1989.

FOOD INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings to review the scientific base for food inspection, receiving testimony from John Bailer, Science Adviser, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Department of Health and Human Services; Jo Ann Smith, Assistant Secretary of Marketing and Inspection Services, and Lester M. Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Services, both of the Department of Agriculture; Thomas Grumbly, Clean Sites, Inc., Alexandria, Virginia; Michael Pullen, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis; David Carney, American Federation of Governmental Employees, AFL-CIO, Salem, Ohio; and James Marsden, American Meat Institute, Washington, DC.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, July 27.

APPROPRIATIONS-AGRICULTURE/RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture and Related Agencies approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, H.R. 2883, appropriating funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, rural development, and related agencies programs.

APPROPRIATIONS-ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, H.R. 2696, appropriating funds for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to discuss issues relating to S. 1352, Department of Defense Authorization for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (pending on Senate calendar).

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of John D. Macomber, of New York, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and Michael Philip Skarzynski, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Mr. Macomber, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator D'Amato, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NATIONAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING ACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs resumed hearings on S. 566, to provide for a revitalized national housing policy, focusing on the drug situation in federally assisted housing projects, receiving testimony from Mayor James P. Moran, Jr., Alexandria, Virginia; Mayor Richard M. Daley, Chicago, Illinois; Robert L. Armstrong, Omaha Public Housing Authority, Omaha, Nebraska; Richard Baron, McCormack, Baron and Associates, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri; Richard Bowers, City of Jacksonville Department of Housing and Urban Development, Jacksonville, Florida; Andres Garcia, City of Buffalo Division of Substance Abuse Services, Buffalo, New York; Maxeen Green, National Tenants Organization, Fort Pierce, Florida; Wade J. Henderson, American Civil Liberties Union, Washington, DC; Vince Lane, Chicago Public Housing Authority, Chicago, Illinois; Edward J. McLaughlin, South Police Division, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Bruce

Rozet, Associated Financial Corporation, Santa Monica, California; and Jay Rose, Greater Boston Legal Services, Eric Straughter, Straughter Associates, and Eleanor G. White, Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency, all of Boston.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee began consideration of recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget with respect to spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on the status of the Exxon Valdez oil spill cleanup, receiving testimony from Adm. Paul A. Yost, Jr., Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Dennis Kelso, Alaska State Department of Environmental Conservation, Juneau; and William D. Stevens, Exxon Co., U.S.A., Houston, Texas.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TUNA MANAGEMENT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on tuna management activities, receiving testimony from Representative Faleomavaega; Edward E. Wolfe, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and Fisheries Affairs; Carmen Blondin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Interests, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; American Samoa Governor Peter Tali Coleman, Pago Pago; Adm. Ronald J. Hays, USN (Ret.), Pacific International Center for High Technology Research, Richard Shomura, University of Hawaii, William Paty, Western Pacific Fishery Management Council, Peter S. Fithian, Hawaiian International Billfish Association, Inc., and Fritz Amtsberg, all of Honolulu, Hawaii; James Joseph, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, La Jolla, California; Bud Walsh, United States Tuna Foundation, Washington, DC; August Felando, American Tunaboat Association, San Diego, California; Michael Franks, Coastal Seafood Processors, Kenner, Louisiana; and Gertrude I. Nishihara, Hawaii Fishing Coalition, Pearl City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IDAHO FOREST LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on S. 371, to designate certain National Forest System lands in the State of Idaho for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation System, to prescribe certain management formulae for certain National Forest System lands, and to release other forest lands for multiple-use management, after receiving testimony from F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, John Mumma, Regional Forester, Northern Region, Missoula, Montana, and Thomas Roederer, Deputy Regional Forester, Intermountain Region, Ogden, Vermont, all of the Department of Agriculture; Idaho Governor Cecil Andrus, Boise; Douglas Scott, Sierra Club, San Francisco, California; Karin Sheldon, The Wilderness Society, Washington, D.C.; Michael Medberry, Idaho Conservation League, Ketchum; Tim Meuller, Edwards Forest Industries, Inc., St. Maries, Idaho; Karl William Mote, Northwest Mining Association, Spokane, Washington; and Virgil Cromer, Lewiston, Idaho.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend on such habitat, with amendments; and

The nomination of Thomas D. Larson, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation.

Also, committee began consideration of recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget with respect to spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

U.S.-JAPAN STRUCTURAL IMPEDIMENTS INITIATIVE

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings on the status of the U.S.-Japan Structural Impediments Initiative (SII), designed to eliminate structural barriers to expanding U.S. exports to Japan, receiving testimony from S. Linn Williams, Deputy United States Trade Representative; David C. Mulford, Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs; and Richard T. McCormack, Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PARIS ECONOMIC SUMMIT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Trade, Oceans and Environment held hearings to review the outcome of the economic summit in Paris, receiving testimony from Richard T. McCormack, Under Secretary of State for Economic and Agricultural Affairs; and David C. Mulford, Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ASSAULT WEAPONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 747, to protect the rights of legal owners while attacking the problems associated with the illegal use of assault weapons, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William Lucas, of Michigan, to be Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice, after the nominee testified and answered further questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received from Johnnie Landon, National Bar Association, Ralph Neas, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, Judith Lichtman, Women's Legal Defense Fund, John H. Buchanan Jr., People for the American Way, Elsie Scott, National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives, Arnoldo Torres, League of United Latin American Citizens, and William Lucy, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO, and Elaine Jones, NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc., all of Washington, DC; William Cunningham and Eleanor Jositis, both of Focus Hope, Detroit, Michigan; Charles Reynolds, Dover, New Hampshire, on behalf of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, Charles B. Meeks, National Sheriff's Association, Alexandria, Virginia; and Henry Sanders, Alabama New South Coalition, Selma.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 695, to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1291, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for programs of the Library Services and Construction Act, with amendments; and

The nominations of Roy M. Goodman, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts, and Edward C. Stringer, of Minnesota, to

be General Counsel of the Department of Education.

Also, the committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from David Attenburger, Supervisory Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Antonio Cantu, U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury; Robert I. Richter, Associate Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia; and Roberto Martinez, Coral Gables, Florida.

Also, received into evidence prior testimony of Carolyn McIver, Andrew Chisholm, and Eleanor Golar-Williams, all of Columbia, South Carolina.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 2940-2960; 3 private bills, H.R. 2961-2963; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 371, H. Con. Res. 172-173, and H. Res. 208-210 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 2904, to authorize construction and equipment of a fireproof building for the House Publications Facility, amended (H. Rept. 101-167).

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VA-HUD Appropriations: House passed H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed To:

The Traxler amendment that increases VA construction and major projects appropriations by \$2.7 million;

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The Bartlett amendment that reduces by \$17.5 million appropriations for development of public

housing; increases by \$2.5 million appropriations for the resident management corporation technical assistance, and provides \$15 million for grants under the Public Housing Drug Elimination Act of 1988; **Page 15396**

The Roe amendment that earmarks \$98 million for the National Aerospace Plane; **Page 15401**

The Roe amendment that strikes language providing for a contract agreement between NASA and the California Institute of Technology to build an observational instruments laboratory; **Page 15402**

The Roe amendment that strikes language prohibiting the use of appropriated funds for a new academic research facilities program; **Page 15402**

The Coughlin amendment that inserts new language pertaining to personnel compensation and benefits payments for deputy assistant secretary, deputy assistant administrator, deputy assistant director and deputy general counsel; and **Page 15406**

The Walker amendment that eliminates any Community Development Block Grant funding to any city in which any municipal employees are convicted of using unnecessary force against non-violent civil rights demonstrators three or more times. **Page 15407**

Rejected:

The Schumer amendment that sought to transfer \$714 million from the space station to other programs, including: Veterans' Medical Services, EPA Pollution Control and Research, Low-Income Rental Housing Certificates and Elderly and Handicapped Housing (rejected by a recorded vote of 125 ayes to 291 noes, Roll No. 146); and **Page 15374**

The Bartlett amendment that sought to transfer \$176 million from public housing development funding; provide \$2.5 million for modernization of existing public housing projects; and provide \$15 million for the public housing drug elimination pilot program with residual amounts to be preserved. Rejected by a recorded vote of 152 ayes to 268 noes, Roll No. 147. **Page 15390**

The following points of order were sustained against provisions of the bill:

Language relating to the provision that delays the availability of funds for the equipment and lands and structures object classifications; **Page 15373**

Language that sought to require the salary payments for the last pay period in fiscal year 1989 for

VA, EPA, and NASA be paid by no later than September 29, 1989; and **Page 15389**

Language that sought to require the Selective Service System to revise the basis for the classification of a person as a conscientious objector. **Page 15405**

H. Res. 205, the rule which waived certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote. **Page 15346**

Foreign Operations Appropriations: House concluded all general debate on H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments begins on Friday, July 21. **Page 15409**

H. Res. 207, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 417 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 148. **Page 15408**

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 15387, 15396, 15409. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development concluded hearings on H.R. 2869, Commodity Futures Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session and approved for full Committee action the Defense appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia approved for full Committee action the District of Columbia appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the following bills: H.R.

2361, to amend title 10, United States Code, to establish additional requirements for, and to grant additional authority to, the Inspector General of the Department of Defense; and H.R. 2362, Department of Defense Audit Improvement Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lancaster, Kasich, Ray and Boxer; the following officials of the Department of Defense: June Gibbs Brown, Inspector General; Sean O'Keefe, Comptroller; David O. Cooke, Director, Administration and Management; John Boddie, Auditor General, Department of the Air Force; RAdm. Ming Chang, USN, Inspector General, Department of the Navy; Harold Stugart, Auditor General, Department of the Army; and Ernest Fitzgerald, Office of the Comptroller, Department of the Air Force; Brian Crowley, Acting Comptroller General, GAO; and Sherman Funk, Vice Chairman, President's Council on Integrity and Efficiency and Inspector General, Department of State.

FEDERAL RESERVE MONETARY REPORT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on the Federal Reserve Monetary Report to Congress. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

ECONOMIC AND BUDGET OUTLOOK

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on Economic and Budget Outlook. Testimony was heard from Robert Reischauer, Director, CBO.

PARALLEL TRACK PROPOSAL FOR CLINICAL DRUG DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the Parallel Track Proposal for Clinical Drug Development. Testimony was heard from Dr. James O. Mason, Assistant Secretary, Health, Department of Health and Human Services.

TELEPHONE ADVERTISING REGULATION ACT; COMPUTER VIRUSES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action H.R. 2921, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit certain practices involving the use of telephone equipment for advertising and solicitation purposes.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the vulnerability of national telecommunications networks to computer viruses. Testimony was heard from Jack L. Brock, Jr., Information, Management, and Technology Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

NAMIBIAN INDEPENDENCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on Namibian Independence: Process

and Progress. Testimony was heard from Herman J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Africa Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

U.S. HUMAN RIGHTS POLICY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations concluded hearings on U.S. Human Rights Policy (Part II). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RIO GRANDE AMERICAN CANAL EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on H.R. 512, Rio Grande American Canal Extension Act of 1988. Testimony was heard from Representative Coleman of Texas; Jack St. John, Director, Office of Mexican Affairs, Department of State; Narendra Gunaji, Commissioner, International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico; and a public witness.

RECYCLING PAPER

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing concluded hearings on issues involved in implementing H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives. Testimony was heard from Representative Gilman; Byron Strain, Chief, Personal Property Services Branch, GSA; and public witnesses.

AMERICAN INDIAN NATIONAL MUSEUM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Libraries and Memorials of the Committee on House Administration and the Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation held a joint hearing on H.R. 2668, to authorize the establishment with Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, to establish a memorial to the American Indian. Testimony was heard from Senator Inouye; Representatives Rangel, Weiss and Dorgan of North Dakota; Robert McCormick Adams, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; Pamela Mann, Director, Office of Charities, Office of the Attorney General, State of New York; Diane Coffey, Chief of Staff, Office of the Mayor, City of New York; and public witnesses.

RESTORATION OF THE GRAY WOLF TO YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2786, to provide for a timely analysis of all factors relating to the restoration of the gray wolves to Yellowstone National Park and surround-

ing public lands. Testimony was heard from Senators Simpson and Burns; James Ridenour, Director, National Parks Service, Department of the Interior; Jess Sirmon, Deputy Chief, Programs and Legislation, U.S. Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DESECRATION OF THE U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights continued hearings on Statutory and Constitutional responses to the Supreme Court decision in *Texas v. Johnson* (desecration of the flag of the United States). Testimony was heard from Representatives Hughes, Bevill, Douglas, Jacobs, Ackerman, Schuette and Weiss; and public witnesses.

RICO REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime continued hearings on H.R. 1046, RICO Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Daniel Goelzer, General Counsel, SEC; John Douglas, General Counsel, FDIC; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held an oversight hearing on the operations of the Newspaper Preservation Act exemption from the antitrust laws. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 2138, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the application of employer sanctions to longshore work; H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants and by treating nonimmigrants, whose departure has been deferred by the Attorney General, as remaining in legal nonimmigrant status for purposes of adjustment or change of status; and H.R. 2929, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for temporary protected status for Chinese nationals and for nationals of other foreign states which are designated by the Attorney General.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on extended voluntary departure for nationals of the People's Republic of China, including the following bills: H.R. 2712; H.R. 2929; H.R. 2722, Chinese Foreign Student and Exchange Visitor Relief Act; and H.R. 2726, to treat Hong Kong as a separate foreign state for purposes of applying the numerical limitations on immigration. Testimony

was heard from Representatives Barton of Texas, Levine of California, Pelosi, Boxer, Porter, Gundersen and Mineta; Paul Virtue, Acting General Counsel, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Ambassador Richard L. Williams, Director, Office of Chinese and Mongolian Affairs, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; Michael Pistor, Counselor, USIA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2061, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act through fiscal year 1992; H.R. 2841, to authorize the Fishermen's Protective Act of 1967 for fiscal year 1990; and H.R. 2842, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of 1975 through fiscal year 1992. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Edward Wolfe, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Ocean and Fisheries Affairs, Department of State; Carmen J. Blondin, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Affairs, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; PROSPECTUS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2904, amended, to authorize construction and equipment of a fireproof building for the House Publications Facility; H.R. 2151, amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to establish a schedule for the installation in certain civil aircraft of the collision avoidance system known as TCAS-II; and H.R. 1307, General Aviation Standards Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved a pending prospectus.

INDOOR AIR QUALITY ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 1530, Indoor Air Quality Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Kennedy; Bobbie Lively-Diebold, EPA; Dr. Thomas Burke, Deputy Commissioner of Health, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Committee recessed subject to call.

AUTOMATION OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Hunger: Domestic Task Force held a hearing on Automation of Public Assistance Programs: Increasing Access, Efficiency and Utilization through Automation. Testimony was heard from Scott Dunn, acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, USDA; Naomi B. Marr, Associate Administrator, Office of Management and Information System, Family Support Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Patricia O'Neil, Director, Department of Policy, Department of Public Welfare, State of Pennsylvania; Oscar Best, Deputy Commissioner, Division of Income Maintenance, Department of Social Services, State of New York; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

MIDYEAR ECONOMIC REVIEW

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the economic outlook at midyear, after receiving testimony from Michael J. Boskin, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

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Friday, July 21, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, July 24, at 12:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

B-2 BOMBER

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the operational requirements for the B-2 bomber and a report on the initial B-2 flight and the subsequent testing program, after receiving testimony from Jack Welch, Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition; Gen. Larry D. Welch, USAF, Chief of Air Force Staff; Gen. John T. Chain, Jr., USAF, Commander in Chief, Strategic Air Command; Col. Rick Couch, USAF, B-2 Test Pilot; and Bruce Hinds, Northrop Corporation, Arlington, Virginia.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of D. Allan Bromley, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy,

after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Lieberman, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND OIL SPILL

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the proposed Prince William Sound Oil Spill Emergency Response Act of 1989 (Committee Amendment No. 100), after receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., Vice Commandant, and Rear Adm. Joel D. Sipes, Chief of Marine Safety, Security and Environmental Protection, both of the U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Hans Crump-Wiesner, Deputy Director, Emergency Response Division, Environmental Protection Agency; Dennis D. Kelso, Alaska State Department of Environmental Conservation, Anchorage; Joe T. McMillan, Exxon Company, USA, Houston, Texas; Fred G. Garibaldi, BP America, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio, and William F. O'Keefe, Washington, DC, both on behalf of the American Petroleum Institute; and Pamela A. Miller, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, DC.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

OIL SPILL COMPENSATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on S. 686, S. 687, S. 1066 and S. 1223, bills to protect the environment from oil spill damage and to provide compensation for clean up costs, receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Maine Attorney General James E. Tierney, Augusta; Washington Attorney General Kenneth O. Eikenberry, Olympia; Alaska Attorney General Douglas B. Baily, and Dennis Kelso, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, both of Juneau; Thomas C. Jorling, New York Department of Environmental Conservation, Albany; Kenneth R. Dickerson, Atlantic Richfield Company, Los Angeles, California; Thomas James, Louisiana Offshore Oil Port, Gulf of Mexico; Joseph A. Farrell III, American Waterways Operators, Arlington, Virginia; and Charles J. DiBona, American Petroleum Institute, Karin Sheldon, The Wilderness Society, and

John G. Catena, Oceanic Society, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHILD CUSTODY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on General Services, Federalism, and the District of Columbia concluded hearings on S. 1163, to limit to one year the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for contempt of court in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Senator Hatch; Peter J. Messitte, Associate Judge for the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Maryland; and Doug Rendleman, Washington and Lee Law School, Lexington, Virginia.

AUTHORIZATION—VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities resumed hearings on S. 1109, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs of the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act, receiving testimony from Senator Lautenberg; Paul Cole, New York State AFL-CIO, Albany, on behalf of the American Federation of Teachers; William H. Adams, Salem County Vocational-Technical School, Woodstown, New Jersey, on behalf of the American Association of School Administrators; James R. Oglesby, Columbia Public School Board, Columbia, Missouri, on behalf of the National School Boards Association; Deborah Arrindell, Wider Opportunities for Women, Washington, DC; Caroline DeRita, Wakefield, Rhode Island, on behalf of the Council for Exceptional Children; Thomas E. Bass, Jr., Virginia State Department of Rehabilitative Services, Richmond; Glen Donaldson, Illinois State Department of Correction, Vandalia, on behalf of the Correctional Education Association; Mildred Nichols, Rhode Island State Occupational Information Coordinating Committee, Providence; Stafford Nagatani, Hawaii State Department of Education, Honolulu; and Pat Shwallie-Giddis, Florida State Bureau for a Career Development, Tallahassee, on behalf of the American Association for Counseling and Development.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 27.

LAW ENFORCEMENT ON INDIAN LANDS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held hearings on H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in

Indian country, receiving testimony from R. Bruce Haley, U.S. Deputy Special Officer, Bellingham, Washington, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Walter R. Mills, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs (Operations), both of the Department of the Interior; Stephen M. McNamee, U.S. Attorney for the District of Arizona, Philip N. Hogen, U.S. Attorney for the District of South Dakota, both of the Department of Justice; Hilda Manuel, Tohono O'odham Judiciary, Sells, Arizona; George John and Herb Yazzie, both on behalf of the Navajo Nation, Window Rock, Arizona; Ed Reina, Salt River Indian Community, Phoenix, Arizona; Gene Joseph and Don Bleakney, both of the Colville Confederated Tribes, Nespelem, Washington; Alvino Lucero and Juan Abeita, both of the Isleta Pueblo Tribal Council, Isleta Pueblo, New Mexico; Harold Salway, Oglala Sioux Tribe, Pine Ridge, South Dakota; and Toney Zecca, Miccosukee Tribe, Miami, Florida.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Geoffrey Santini, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Roberto Martinez, Coral Gables, Florida; and Mayor Steven Clark, Dade County, Florida.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 24.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 2964-2977 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 211, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (H. Rept. 101-168).

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 291 yeas to 98 nays, Roll No. 149, the House approved the Journal of July 20.

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Foreign Operations Appropriations: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 329 yeas to 69 nays, Roll No. 150, the House passed H.R. 2939, making appropriations

for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed To:

The Nielson of Utah amendment that states that Congress praises the decision of Israel to open schools on the West Bank, and hopes that the schools will open at an early date, will remain open, and will not be used for political purposes; and

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The Traficant amendment, as amended by the Obey amendment, that cuts by one percent each amount of new budget authority provided for in the bill, except for amounts appropriated for Sub-Saharan Africa, development assistance, Southern Africa, development assistance, the Peace Corps, international narcotics control, antiterrorism assistance, migration and refugee assistance, and emergency refugee and migration assistance.

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The following points of order were sustained against provisions of the bill:

Language that changes existing law by authorizing the extension of existing foreign aid beyond certain sunset dates; and

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Language that excepts from provisions of existing law, funding for the procurement of weapons or ammunition for narcotics enforcement paramilitary units in Bolivia, Ecuador, Colombia, and Peru.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Korean War Recognition Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 85, to designate the week of July 24 to July 30, 1989, as the "National Week of Recognition and Remembrance for Those Who Served in the Korean War".

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Lyme Disease Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 142, designating the week beginning July 23, 1989, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 15725, 15754. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative approved for full Committee action the Legislative appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

SOVIET VIEW ON NATIONAL SECURITY ISSUES IN THE 1990'S

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on Soviet views on national security issues in the 1990's. Testimony was heard from Marshal Sergey F. Akhromeyev, Advisor to Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.

EPA'S SUPPRESSION OF REPORT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing to investigate the EPA's suppression of a report on environmental damage by the oil industry in Alaska and to investigate EPA's reversal of a staff finding that oil drilling waste is hazardous. Testimony was heard from Sylvia Lowrance, Director, Office of Solid Waste, EPA; and a public witness.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Approved budget reconciliation recommendations.

NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1990. The rule makes in order the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Armed Services as original text for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. The rule waives section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act, clause 7 of Rule XVI, and clause 5(a) of Rule XXI against consideration of the amendment in the nature of a substitute. No amendments to the substitute are to be in order except for amendments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules on the resolution. The amendments are to be considered only in the order and in the manner specified in the report and are to be considered as read when offered.

The rule further provides that with the exception of the amendments printed in part two of the report, designated amendments may be offered only by the designated member or his designee. Limits on time for debate for each amendment are speci-

fied in the report. The rule waives all points of order against amendments printed in the report and provides that none of the amendments are subject to amendment except as otherwise specified. The amendments are not to be subject to a demand for a division of the question.

Section 2 of the rule sets forth the order and manner for consideration of amendments printed in the report.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Will continue July 25.

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Monday, July 24, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15855-15958

Measures Introduced: Fourteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1379-1392, and S.J. Res. 182.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1153, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of presumptions of service-connection between certain diseases experienced by veterans who served in Vietnam era and exposure to certain toxic herbicide agents used in Vietnam; to provide for interim benefits for veterans of such service who have certain diseases; to improve the reporting requirements relating to the "Ranch Hand Study"; with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-82)

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Measures Passed:

Noise Reduction Reimbursement Act: Senate passed H.R. 968, to provide for the Federal reimbursement of local noise abatement funds.

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Cordell Bank National Sanctuary: Senate passed H.J. Res. 281, to approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or development or production of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that sanctuary, after agreeing to the following amendment:

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Graham (for Hollings) Amendment No. 398, to strike section 3 of the resolution.

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Commemorating Anniversary of Little League Baseball: Senate passed S.J. Res. 182, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Little League Baseball.

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National Defense Authorization Act: Senate began consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By a unanimous vote of 91 yeas (Vote No. 140), Nunn Amendment No. 392, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for procurement of missiles for the Armed Forces.

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Pending:

(1) Warner/Nunn Amendment No. 396, relating to the B-2 Bomber program requirements and limitations.

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(2) Nunn/Warner Amendment No. 397 (to Amendment No. 396), in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Tuesday, July 25, 1989.

Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting proposed legislation entitled the "Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989". (PM-56)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

John D. Macomber, of New York, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Thomas D. Larson, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration.

Edward C. Stringer, of Minnesota, to be General Counsel, Department of Education.

Roy M. Goodman, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Mark Gregory Hambley, of Idaho, a Foreign Service Officer of Class One, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar.

Charles Warren Hostler, of California, to be Ambassador to the State of Bahrain.

Gordon K. Durnil, of Indiana, to be a Commissioner on the part of the United States on the Inter-

national Joint Commission, United States and Canada.

Wayne A. Budd, of Massachusetts, to be United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts.

Victor Stello, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Defense Programs).

J. Clarence Davies, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

David C. Williams, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

6 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Committee Reporting Deadline Extension: By unanimous consent, authorizing committees were authorized until 5 p.m., on Thursday, July 27, 1989, to submit their reconciliation recommendations to the Committee on the Budget pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, with respect to fiscal year 1990.

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Appointments:

National Commission on Migrant Education: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-297, appointed the following individuals of the National Commission on Migrant Education: Senator Cochran and Carolyn Patsenieux, of Wyoming.

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Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation Board of Trustees: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 93-642, appointed Senator Shelby to be a member of the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation Board of Trustees.

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Additional Statements:

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Nominations Confirmed:

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Nominations Received:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—140)

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Recess: Senate convened at 12:30 p.m., and recessed at 7:06 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, July 25, 1989.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance programs, receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Interior approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, H.R. 2788, appropriating funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

NORTH KOREA

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on the current situation in North Korea from Henry Rowan, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; and Carl Ford, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for East Asia and Pacific Affairs.

OIL SPILL PREVENTION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the environmental impact of oil spills in the Gulf of Mexico after receiving testimony from Vice Adm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Robert W. Page, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works); S. Scott Sewell, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior; Raymond W. Stephens, Jr., Louisiana State Department of Natural Resources, and David Soileau, Office of the Governor of Louisiana, both of Baton Rouge; James P. Leape, Conservation Foundation, and Brooks B. Yeager, Audubon Society, both of Washington, DC; Thomas Wyman, Chevron Shipping Company, San Francisco, California, and John McMahon, Shell Oil Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, both on behalf of the American Petroleum Institute.

NEVADA WILDERNESS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, after receiving testimony from Senators Reid and Bryan; Representatives Bilbray and Vucanovich; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Peter Morros, Nevada State Department of Water Resources, Carson City; Roger Scholl, Sierra Club, Reno, Nevada; Barbara Agonia, Friends of Nevada Wilderness, Max Christiansen, Nevada Sportsmen and Outdoorsmen Association, and Mark Trinko, Nevada Off-Highway

Users Council and the Blue Ribbon Coalition, all of Las Vegas, Nevada; Dave Alberswerth, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, DC; Don Earnest, Nevada Mining Association, Beatty; and Von Sorensen, Nevada Farm Bureau and Wilderness Impact Research Foundation, Via Wells.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of John F. Turner, of Wyoming, to be Director of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, and Constance B. Harriman, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Turner was introduced by Senators Simpson and Wallop.

BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation to provide for biomedical research of the National Institutes of Health, after receiving testimony from James B. Wyngaarden, Director, National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services; Thomas S. McFee, Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Personnel; Michael Millman, Division of Health Sciences Policy, Institute of Medicine; Dennis Barnes, University of Virginia, Charlottesville; David Challoner, University of Florida, Gainesville; Glenn A. Langer, University of California, Los Angeles; Linda Wilson, Radcliffe College, Cambridge; and David Satcher, Meharry College of Medicine, Nashville, Tennessee, on behalf of the Association for Minority Health Professions' Schools.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Christopher Mazzella, Supervisory Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; James Lawrence King, Chief Judge for the Southern District of Florida.

Also, present but not testifying was William A. Borders, Jr., Washington, DC, who was accompanied by counsel; and committee received into evidence prior testimony of Monsignor Bryan O. Walsh, Miami Shores, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 2978-2987; 1 private bill, H.R. 2988; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 372-373; and H. Con. Res. 174 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1661, to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to clarify the applicability of rules relating to fiduciary duties in relation to plan assets of terminated pension plans and to provide for an explicit exception to such rules for employer reversions meeting certain requirements, amended (H. Rept. 101-169).

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Presidential Message—Clean Air: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits proposed legislation entitled the "Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989"—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-87).

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Defense Authorization: House concluded all general debate on H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but come to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments begins on Tuesday, July 25.

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H. Res. 211, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

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Agreed to the Bonior amendment to the rule that makes in order amendments relating to the F-14 aircraft and the V-22 aircraft, both to be offered by Representative Dickinson.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on the Administration's proposal to amend the Clean Air

Act. Testimony was heard from William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Mismanagement and Abuse of HUD housing programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 28.

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Tuesday, July 25, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15984-16073

Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1393-1405, S. Res. 157, and S. Con. Res. 56.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-83)

H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-84)

H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-85)

S. 1243, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-86)

H.J. Res. 280, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Measures Passed:

Crash of United Flight 232: Senate agreed to S. Res. 157, commending the citizens of Sioux City and Woodbury County, Iowa for their assistance and extraordinary response to the crash of United flight 232 on July 19, 1989.

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National Defense Authorization Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military

functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 15996, 16004

Adopted:

(1) Kennedy Amendment No. 399, to provide for a study of alternative B-2 aircraft force structures.

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(2) By 98 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 141), Nunn/Warner Modified Amendment No. 397 (to Amendment No. 396), in the nature of a substitute.

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(3) Warner/Nunn Amendment No. 396, relating to the B-2 Bomber program requirements and limitations.

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(4) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 142), Nunn/Warner Amendment No. 400, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for components of the National Guard.

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(5) By 98 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 143), Nunn/Wilson Amendment No. 401, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Army and Marine Corps for research, development, test, and evaluation to develop improved weapons and equipment for small infantry units.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, July 26, 1989.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Lou Gallegos, of New Mexico, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Raymond G.H. Seitz, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Michael P.W. Stone, of California, to be Secretary of the Army.

John T. Martino, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

John M. Sayre, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Stanley E. Morris, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director for Supply Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

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Nominations Received:	Page 16073
Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—143)	

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:39 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, July 26, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 16072.)

Committee Meetings

DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill to provide for disaster relief assistance for crop losses due to adverse weather conditions.

Also, committee approved the following watershed projects:

A Soil Conservation Plan for the Upper Locust Creek Watershed in Missouri and Iowa; and

A Soil Conservation Plan for the Howard Creek Watershed in West Virginia.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

H.R. 2696, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs, with amendments;

H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for rural development, agriculture, and related agencies, with amendments; and

H.R. 2788, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, with amendments.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE TECHNOLOGY ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on S. 1191, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992 for the Department of Commerce's technology administration program to speed the application of economically strategic technologies, after receiving testimony from Thomas J. Murrin, Deputy Secretary of Commerce; John P. McTague, Ford Motor Company,

Dearborn, Michigan; Tom Long, Tektronix, Inc., Beaverton, Oregon, representing the Council on Superconductivity for American Competitiveness; Griffith Resor, MRS Technology, Chelmsford, Massachusetts, representing the American Electronics Association; and Morton Bahr, Communications Workers of America, Washington, DC, representing the Committee to Preserve American Color Television (COMPACT).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Gilbert E. Carmichael, of Mississippi, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Cochran and Lott, and Representative Montgomery, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Michael R. Deland, of Massachusetts, to be Chairman of the Council on Environmental Quality, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Kerry, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

MARINE PROTECTION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection and the Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded joint hearings on S. 587, S. 588, S. 1178, and S. 1179, bills to improve and expand programs for the protection of marine and coastal waters, after receiving testimony from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Water, Environmental Protection Agency; Robert Engler, Research Scientist, Waterways Experiment Station, Army Corps of Engineers; Mayor John Bullard, New Bedford, Massachusetts, representing the National League of Cities; John J. Terpstra, Port of Tacoma, Washington, representing the American Association of Port Authorities; John Lampe, Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle, Washington, representing the Association of Metropolitan Sewerage Agencies; Donald Boesch, Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium, Chauvin; Margaret A. Davidson, South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium, Charleston, representing the Sea Grant Association; and John DeGrove, Florida Atlantic University/Florida International University, Boca Raton.

DEBT LIMIT/NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

H.J. Res. 280, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Linda M. Combs, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Management, Thomas J. Duesterberg, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for International Economic Policy, Wade F. Horn, of Maryland, to be Chief of the Children's Bureau, and Commissioner of the Administration of Children, Youth and Families, Office of Human Development Services, Department of Health and Human Services, and Gwendolyn S. King, of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner of Social Security, Department of Health and Human Services.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the aforementioned nominations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Combs was introduced by Senators Helms and Sanford, Mr. Duesterberg was introduced by Senator Coats, and Ms. King was introduced by Senator Heinz. Testimony was also received on the nomination of Ms. King from John N. Sturdivant, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL-CIO, Washington, DC.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The Mutual Legal Assistance Cooperation Treaty with Mexico (Treaty Doc. 100-13);

Treaty with the United Kingdom Concerning the Caymen Islands Relating to Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. 100-8);

Treaty with Canada on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. 100-14);

Treaty with Belgium on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. 100-16);

Treaty with The Bahamas on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. 100-17);

Treaty with Thailand on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Treaty Doc. 100-18); and

The nominations of Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain, Melvin F. Sembler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Australia and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Nauru, Della M. Newman, of Washington, to be Ambassador to New Zealand and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Western Samoa, William H. Taft IV, of Virginia, to be the U.S. Permanent Representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with the rank of Ambassador, Shirley Temple Black, of California, to be Ambassador to the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic, Keith Lapham Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark, Joseph Bernard Gildenhorn, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Switzerland,

and Thomas Patrick Melady, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Holy See.

HATCH ACT REFORM AMENDMENTS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 135, to restore to Federal civilian employees their right to participate voluntarily, as private citizens, in the political processes of the Nation, to protect such employees from improper political solicitations, after receiving testimony from Senator McConnell; Constance Berry Newman, Director, Office of Personnel Management; Edward G. Dennis, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; Mary F. Wieseman, Special Counsel, Office of Special Counsel; Vincent Sombrotto, Fund for Assuring an Independent Retirement, representing the National Association of Letter Carriers, (AFL-CIO), and Moe Biller, American Postal Workers Union, both of Washington, DC.

ANTITRUST REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 994 and S. 995, bills to reform and modernize certain procedural aspects of antitrust laws, and S. 996, to provide for treble damages for the United States for violations of antitrust laws, after receiving testimony from James F. Rill, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; Terry Calvani, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission; and Malcolm Pfunder, American Bar Association, and William Dempsey, American Railroad Association, both of Washington, D.C.

INCARCERATION OF DRUG OFFENDERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings to examine incarceration and alternative sanctions for drug offenders, after receiving testimony from Delaware Governor Michael N. Castle, Dover, on behalf of the National Governors' Association Committee on Justice and Public Safety; Alan James, Fortune Society, New York, New York; Bruce Wald, Gander Hill Prison, Wilmington, Delaware; Thomas Coughlin, New York State Department of Corrections, Albany; John Buchanan, Phoenix Police Department, Phoenix, Arizona; and Addis Dolente, Hillsborough County, Florida.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND TRAUMA CARE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 15, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990-1992 for the development, implementation, and monitoring of emergency medical services and trauma care programs in the United States, after receiving testimony from Senators Cranston and Gore; Steven Kyler, Adamstown, Mary-

land; Charles C. Wolferth, Presbyterian Medical Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma; Jacek B. Franaszek, American College of Emergency Physicians, and Howard R. Champion, American Trauma Society, both of Washington, D.C.; Ralph W. Muller, University of Chicago Hospitals, Chicago, Illinois, on behalf of the American Hospital Association; and N. Mark Richards, Pennsylvania State Department of Health, Harrisburg, on behalf of the Association of State and Territorial Health Officers.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Alcee L. Hastings, Judge of the Southern District of Florida; Tom Dowd, Special Agent, North Miami Beach, Florida, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Patricia Thomas, Lauren Joyette Vickers, H. Paul Rico, and Glenn Whittle, all of Miami, Florida; Lanny Sumpster, Tampa, Florida; and Robert Ruiz, Hialeah, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 2989-3011; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 374-375, and H. Res. 212 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-170);

H.R. 1755, to transfer administration of bridges and causeways over navigable waters from the Secretary of Transportation to the Secretary of the Army, amended (H. Rept. 101-171);

H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-172); and

H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-173).

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Late Reports: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file reports on the following bills: H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and relating agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Administration of Justice of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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United Nations Effectiveness: The Minority Leader appointed the following individuals as members of the United States Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations on the part of the House: Representative Leach of Iowa; and Edwin J. Fuelner, Jr., of Alexandria, Virginia, and Charles M. Lichenstein of Washington, D.C., from private life.

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Subsequently, the Speaker appointed the following individuals as members of the Commission on the part of the House: Representative Feighan; and Walter Hoffman of College Park, Maryland and Jerome J. Shestack of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania from private life.

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Defense Authorization: House began consideration of amendments on H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but came to no resolution thereon. Further consideration of amendments will continue on Wednesday, July 26.

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Agreed to:

The Bennett amendment that reduces spending in the bill for the Strategic Defense Initiative (SDI) by \$700 million; and cuts \$694 million from Defense Department funding and \$6 million from the Energy

Department for funding of SDI (agreed to by a recorded vote of 248 ayes to 175 noes, Roll No. 153);

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The Bennett amendment that authorizes \$47 million to repair Army helicopters in Texas damaged by tornadoes; increases the authorization for MLRS artillery rockets from \$336 million (24,000 rockets) to \$377 million (36,000) rockets; increases the authorization in the bill for Army ammunition by \$30 billion; and increases the authorization for the Balanced Technology Initiative from \$206 million to \$238 million (agreed to by a recorded vote of 375 ayes to 43 noes, Roll No. 154);

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The Spratt amendment that increases by \$300 million the bill's fiscal year 1990 authorization for environmental restoration operations at the Energy Department's defense nuclear facilities, bringing the bill's total authorization for defense waste and environmental restoration to \$1.6 billion (agreed to by a recorded vote of 400 ayes to 22 noes, Roll No. 155);

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The Mavroules amendment that authorizes \$450 million in fiscal year 1990 and \$600 million in fiscal year 1991 for drug interdiction and law enforcement activities; authorizes \$70 million to expand National Guard drug interdiction activities; authorizes \$125 million to purchase five aerostats, radars, sites, and deployments; authorizes \$50 million for communications equipment for loan to law enforcement agencies; and changes current law so that law enforcement agencies are not required to reimburse the Defense Department for drug law enforcement support (agreed to by a recorded vote of 410 ayes to 10 noes, Roll No. 156);

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The Schroeder amendment, as modified, that prohibits funding for the operation, maintenance, or construction of any military base in any foreign country which is a member nation of NATO, unless the Defense Department determines that the base rights agreement in such country is not conditional on the promise of foreign aid or efforts to obtain foreign aid for that country;

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The Ireland amendment that reduces the number of Defense Department civilian employees in Europe by 1,017 by October 1, 1991 (the number of civilian employees assigned to intermediate-range nuclear forces in Europe on December 8, 1987, the date of the signing of the INF Treaty between the United States and the Soviet Union);

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The Traficant amendment, as modified, that provides that a domestic firm with a higher bid may be awarded a defense contract over a foreign firm if it

is in the public interest to do so and if the final product is completely assembled in the United States, at least 50 percent of the final product of the firm is domestically produced;

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The Broomfield amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that President Bush should be commended for his arms control initiatives, that Congress fully supports the President's efforts, and encourages the Soviet Union to respond favorably to United States arms control proposals, while stating that Congress should refrain from unilaterally restricting United States development or production of weapons systems;

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The Owens of Utah amendment that requires the Defense Department to publish yearly in the *Federal Register* a list detailing the location, nature, and safety level of each biological agent used in the Biological Defense Research Program, except for classified information which, while not published, would be the subject of a report to Congress (agreed to by a recorded vote of 274 ayes to 151 noes, Roll No. 161); and

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The Berman amendment, as modified, that requires the President, subject to the safeguards of certain rights of unilateral actions, to impose sanctions against companies, either United States or foreign, that export Missile Control Technology Regime items in violation of United States missile technology laws, including sanctions denying United States Government contracts and export licenses for high technology (agreed to by a recorded vote of 417 ayes to 9 noes, Roll No. 163);

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Rejected:

The Kyl amendment that sought to increase SDI funding in the bill by \$298 million, increase research and development funding by defense agencies by \$251.5 million; and decrease research and development funds for the Army, Navy and Air Force by \$253 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 117 ayes to 299 noes, Roll No. 151);

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The Dellums amendment that sought to limit funding for SDI activities to \$1.3 billion which may only be used for basic research programs; terminate the Strategic Defense Initiative Organization (SDIO) with the Department of Defense; and reassigns its functions to the military departments and defense agencies (rejected by a recorded vote of 137 ayes to 286 noes, Roll No. 152);

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The Weiss amendment that sought to eliminate the bill's \$6.8 million authorization to refit eight existing Trident II submarines with D-5 missiles, while not eliminating the entire D-5 program except the portion refitting old Trident II submarines (rejected by a recorded vote of 83 ayes to 341 noes, Roll No. 157);

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The Dellums amendment that sought to prohibit the use of funds in fiscal year 1990 for the full-scale development of the successor to the Lance missile; cut \$16.8 million from the bill's authorization for the program; and provide that the remaining \$16 million for the program could only be used for research studies (rejected by a recorded vote of 96 ayes to 329 noes, Roll No. 158);

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The Dellums amendment that sought to eliminate the bill's authorization of the \$55 million in fiscal year 1990 for research and development of the SRAM-T missile (rejected by a recorded vote of 73 ayes to 350 noes, Roll No. 159);

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The Hopkins amendment that sought to shift \$240.7 million in authorization for the Army's Light Armed Scout Helicopter (LHX) program to the Army Helicopter Improvement Program, effectively terminating the LHX program, except for work on engines which are applicable to other aircraft (rejected by a recorded vote of 148 ayes to 275 noes, Roll No. 160);

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The Evans amendment that sought to provide that civilian employees of the National Guard may not be required to wear military uniforms while performing civilian service (rejected by a recorded vote of 156 ayes to 269 noes, Roll No. 162);

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The Ravenel amendment that sought to require the Defense Department to submit a report to Congress outlining plans to use the Armed Forces to stop aerial and maritime transit of illegal drugs into the United States, which report would include detailed flight and navigational plans for all civilian aircraft and vessels that will travel in drug interdiction areas (rejected by a division vote of 1 aye to 2 noes); and

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The Dickinson amendment that sought to redistribute a total of \$1.6 billion of the bill's procurement authorizations by cutting \$1.2 billion from the bill's authorization for procurement of equipment for the National Guard and Reserves; reducing by \$157 million for procurement of the V-22 Osprey; cutting the bill's overall procurement of F-14 fighter planes by \$230 million (to \$441 million), with the re-

maining funds to be used only for procurement of remanufactured F-14's; redistributing procurement funds for B-2 Stealth procurement, Air Force aircraft spares and repair parts, Army Host Nation Support, the CH-53E helicopter, multi-year procurement of the E-2C and F/A-18 aircraft, and the Apache helicopter (rejected by a recorded vote of 143 ayes to 278 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 164).

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The Evans amendment was offered, but subsequently withdrawn, that sought to give Defense Department employees and their union representatives the right to protest the contracting out of a function previously performed by Defense Department employees through the GAO procurement process and to seek judicial review if they believe that the contract was unfairly awarded.

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Cordell Bank Marine Sanctuary: House cleared for the President H.J. Res. 281, to approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, to prohibit the exploration for, or the development or production of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of the sanctuary; by agreeing to the Senate amendment thereto.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Slaughter wherein she resigns as a member of the Committees on Government Operations and Public Works and Transportation.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Fourteen recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 16136, 16139, 16142, 16144, 16148, 16154, 16180, 16181, 16182, 16183, 16184, 16193. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2257, Potato Research and Promotion Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2187, Fresh Mushroom Promotion, Research, and Consumer Information Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stallings and Schulze; and Kenneth Clayton, Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

APPROPRIATION BILLS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the following appropriation bills for fiscal year 1990: Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government; Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education; and the Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education held an oversight hearing focusing on the Board of Professional Teaching Standards and their proposals for federal assistance in researching and developing new assessment mechanisms for teacher certification. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; and public witnesses.

PROTECT OUR CHILDREN FROM CIGARETTES ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 1250, Protect Our Children from Cigarettes Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Tallon; Dr. Ronald Davis, Director, Office on Smoking and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

SITUATION IN LEBANON

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on the Situation in Lebanon. Testimony was heard from John Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

U.S. POLICY TOWARD PANAMA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on United States Policy Toward Panama in the Aftermath of the May 1989 Elections. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 27.

CUBAN INVOLVEMENT IN INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Cuban Involvement in International Narcotics Trafficking (Part 1). Testimony was heard from Mel Levitsky, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; David A. Westrate, Deputy Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; William von Raab, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; RAdm. Walter T. Leland, Chief, Office of Law Enforcement

and Defense Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 27.

IRS SENIOR EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on IRS Senior Employee Misconduct Problems. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Paperwork Reduction Act and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at the Office of OMB. Testimony was heard from Senator Sarbanes; Representatives Waxman, Weiss, Wise, Sisisky, and Delay; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 27.

COMMITTEE FUNDING

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts approved for full Committee action following resolutions: H. Res. 208, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress; and H. Res. 201 providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on the Judiciary in the 1st session of the 101st Congress.

The Subcommittee also considered other pending business.

RECYCLING PAPER

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing approved for full Committee action: H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing on America's Islands: Open Space at Risk? Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Jim Coleman, Regional Director, Mid-Atlantic Regional Office, National Park Service; and Ralph Morgenweck, Assistant Director, Fish and Wildlife Enhancement, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2835, to provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Representative Pallone; Gerald Patten, Regional Director, North Atlantic Region, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Capt. James M. Sherman, USCG, Chief, Shore Maintenance and Logistics Command Atlantic, Department of Transportation; Richard Gardner, Chief, Facilities and Logistics Division, Office of Administration, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and George Grant, Executive Director, Fisheries Development Commission, State of New Jersey.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 644, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the East Fork of the Jemez and Pecos Rivers in New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Testimony was heard from Jeff Sirmon, Deputy Chief, Programs and Legislation, U.S. Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice approved the full Committee action the following bills: the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 1131, Copyright Remedy Clarification Act; the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 1621, Copyright Royalty Tribunal Reform Act of 1989; and H.R. 1622, Copyright Fees and Technical Amendments Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on Intellectual Property, Domestic Productivity, and Trade. Testimony was heard from Carla Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; and Wendell Wilkie II, General Counsel, Department of Commerce.

NORTH AMERICAN WETLANDS CONSERVATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 2322 and H.R. 2587, North American Wetlands Conservation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Conte and Dingell; Maryanne Bach, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits held an oversight hearing on the operation of the Federal

Retirement Thrift Investment Board; and on H.R. 2514, amending subchapter III of chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code. Testimony was heard from Francis X. Cavanaugh, Executive Director, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board; Ian Dingwall, Chief Accountant, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Department of Labor; Bernard L. Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resource Management Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on International Standards. Testimony was heard from Representative Dymally; Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

SMALL BUSINESS AND HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Impact of Deregulation and Privatization held a hearing on Small Business and Health Insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INFECTIOUS WASTE

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on Infectious Waste. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GAO: Peter Guerrero, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division; and Pasquale Esposito, Staff Investigator; Adm. William A. Buckendorf, USN, Deputy Commander, Fleet Readiness and Support, Department of the Navy; Brig. Gen. Michael J. Torma, M.D., USAF, Director, Professional Affairs and Quality Assurance, Office of the Surgeon General, Department of the Air Force; Brig. Gen. Michael J. Seah, USA, Director, Professional Services, Department of the Army; and public witnesses.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued revenue reconciliation markup.

Will continue tomorrow.

BARRIERS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR AMERICA'S YOUNG BLACK MEN

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Barriers and Opportunities for America's Young Black Men." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENERGY AND DEVELOPMENT: CHOICES FOR THE FOOD SECTOR

Select Committee on Hunger: Held a hearing on "Energy and Development: Choices for the Food Sector." Testimony was heard from Nyle C. Brady, Senior Assistant Administrator, Science and Technology, AID, United States International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL CRISIS IN DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on National Crisis in Drug Abuse Treatment, Part 1. Testimony was heard from Thomas Coughlin, Commissioner, Department of Corrections, State of New York; Richard Kohler, Commissioner, Department of Corrections, New York City; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue August 2. 16427

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1406-1413, and S. Res. 158.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1276, relating to the method by which Government contributions to the Federal employees health benefits program shall be computed for contract year 1990 or 1991, if no Government-wide indemnity benefit plan participates in that year, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Measures Passed:

Commending Rock Climbers: Senate agreed to S. Res. 158, commending rock climbers Mark Wellman and Mike Corbett for their extraordinary feat of bravery and stoutheartedness, and saluting them for their triumphant rendezvous with the El Capitan Summit.

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Department of the Interior—Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments (with an exception), and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Simon Amendment No. 409, to establish recommendations on finding an inexpensive means of converting salt water to fresh water.

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(2) McClure (for Nickles) Amendment No. 410, to transfer excess funds from Indian Health Service for construction of the Sallisaw outpatient clinic to the Bureau of Indian Affairs for real estate services relating to the completion of cadastral surveys related to the Arkansas Riverbed Authority.

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(3) Pryor Amendment No. 411, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of the Interior.

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(4) Byrd Amendment No. 412, to make technical corrections.

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(5) McClure (for Heinz) Amendment No. 414, to provide support the Greater Monongahela Valley Steel Industry Task Force.

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(6) Wallop Amendment No. 415, to provide not less than up to one half of the amounts for mineral revenue compliance shall be used to compensate States and Indian Tribes for audit activities under sections 202 and 205 of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982.

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(7) Hatfield/Adams Amendment No. 416, of a technical nature.

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(8) Hatfield/Adams Amendment No. 417, to provide for an advisory report on criteria necessary to maintain the viability of the northern spotted owl.

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(9) Helms Amendment No. 419, to provide additional funds for construction and acquisition of facilities relating to sport fishery and wildlife resources.

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(10) Helms Amendment No. 420, to prohibit the use of appropriated funds for the dissemination, promotion or production of obscene or indecent materials or materials denigrating a particular religion.

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(11) Helms Amendment No. 421, to prohibit the use of funds contained in the Act for the purpose of directing or encouraging the organization or implementation of campaigns to protest social conditions, or any form of civil disobedience.

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(12) Conrad Amendment No. 422, to make available funds for the Refugee Revenue Sharing Act.

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(13) By 55 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 146), Fowler Amendment No. 423, to increase funding for re-

source management and land acquisition programs of the Fish and Wildlife Service, for operation of the National Park Service, for national recreation and preservation programs, for the Historic Preservation Fund, for State and private forestry programs, and for general expenses of the Forest Service, and to decrease appropriations for construction programs of the Forest Service. (By 47 yeas to 52 nays (Vote No. 145), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment).

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(14) Baucus Amendment No. 424, to provide funding to compensate victims of forest fires.

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Rejected:

(1) Committee amendment adding section 119, to provide that after October 1, 1991, no vessel transporting petroleum may enter any territorial waters of the United States for which there is a prohibition on Outer Continental Shelf pre-leasing studies, leasing, exploration, or development. (By 72 yeas to 27 nays (Vote No. 144), Senate tabled the amendment.

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Withdrawn:

(1) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 413, to provide funds for land acquisition at the Wayne National Forest, Ohio.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd, Johnston, Hollings, Leahy, DeConcini, Burdick, Bumpers, Reid, McClure, Stevens, Garn, Rudman, Cochran, Nickles, and Domenici.

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National Defense Authorization Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Reid Amendment No. 402, to authorize construction of a consolidated medical facility at Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada.

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(2) Dixon (for Inouye) Amendment No. 403, to authorize the retention of Army, Naval, and Air Force Reserve psychologists in an active status after attainment of an age that would otherwise require separation.

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(3) Dixon (for Inouye) Amendment No. 404, to authorize special pay for certain officers of the Armed Services who obtain certain professional board certifications as psychologists.

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(4) Exon Amendment No. 405, expressing the sense of the Senate with regard to soil and water contamination near Mead, Nebraska.

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(5) Heinz Amendment No. 406, to provide certain requirements relating to environmental restoration activities and environmental contamination at Department of Defense facilities.

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(6) Warner (for Bond) Amendment No. 407, to require a study on export financing defense articles and services.

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(7) Nickles/Boren Amendment No. 408, authorizing additional funds for Air Force construction and land acquisition at Tinker Air Force Base, Oklahoma.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Thursday, July 27.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Thomas J. Duesterberg, of Indiana, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Wade F. Horn, of Maryland, to be Chief of the Children's Bureau, Department of Health and Human Services.

Gwendolyn S. King, of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner of Social Security.

Linda M. Combs, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Barbara E. McTurk, of Colorado, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Denver.

JoAnn Krukar Webb, of Virginia, to be Director of the National Cemetery System, Department of Veterans Affairs.

Robert R. Randlett, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

6 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

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Agriculture Appropriations, 1990—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of H.R. 2883, Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies Appropriations, 1990, on Thursday, July 27, 1990.

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Energy and Water Appropriations, 1990—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of H.R. 2696,

Energy and Water Appropriations, 1990, on Thursday, July 27, 1990.

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Measure Indefinitely Postponed:

Military Forces in Alaska: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 858, to repeal a provision of the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 1989, prohibiting the use of funds for the alteration of the command structure for military forces in Alaska.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—146)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:11 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, July 27, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 16343.)

Committee Meetings

HIGH-PERFORMANCE COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings on S. 1067, to provide for a coordinated Federal research program to ensure continued United States leadership in high-performance computing, after receiving testimony from Jacob T. Schwartz, Director, Information Science and Technology Office, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; William A. Wulf, Assistant Director for Computer and Information Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation; James H. Clark, Silicon Graphics, Mountain View, California; David Nagel, Apple Computer, Inc., Cupertino, California; J. William Poduska, Sr., Stellar Computer, Inc., Newton, Massachusetts; Raj Reddy, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and Karl-Heinz A. Winkler, University of Illinois, Champaign.

NOMINATIONS/PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Stephen A. Wakefield, of Texas, to be General Counsel, J. Michael Davis, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary for Conservation and Renewable Energy,

John J. Easton, Jr., of Vermont, to be Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and Energy Emergencies, and Jacqueline Knox Brown, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, all of the Department of Energy, and Harry M. Snyder, of Kentucky, to be Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings to examine the formulation of a national energy plan and related policies which affect global climate change, receiving testimony from James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; and Gregg Marland, Staff Scientist, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Department of Energy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs held hearings on U.S. policy toward Eastern Europe, receiving testimony from William H. Luers, New York, New York, former U.S. Ambassador to Czechoslovakia; Charles Gati, Union College, Schenectady, New York; Karen Dawisha, University of Maryland, College Park; and Angela Stent, Georgetown University, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.-CUBA DRUG POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations held hearings to examine U.S.-Cuba drug enforcement issues and policy, receiving testimony in open session from Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary for International Narcotics Matters, Michael Kozak, Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, both of the Department of State; David Westrate, Assistant Administrator for Operations, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice; William von Raab, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and Rear Adm. Walter T. Leland, Chief, Office of Law Enforcement and Defense Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and in closed session from officials of the intelligence community.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 135, to restore to Federal civilian employees their right to participate voluntarily, as private citizens, in the political processes of the Nation, to protect such employees from improper political solicitations;

S. 1276, to create a temporary 2-year proxy premium for the Federal Employee Health Benefits Program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 926, to improve the efficiency with which Federal funds are transferred to States to enable them to carry out Federal programs; and

S. 1163, to limit to one year the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for contempt of court in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, with amendments.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Richard B. Stewart, of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Attorney General for the Lands and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, after the nominee who was introduced by Senator Kennedy testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 993, to prohibit the development and production of biological weapons, after receiving testimony from Representatives Kastenmeier and Morrison; H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Ron Noble, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Thomas Graham, Jr., General Counsel, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; James F. Leonard, Head of Delegation, Biological Weapons Convention Negotiations; Richard D. Godown, Industrial Biotechnology Association, Washington, DC; and Barbara Hatch Rosenberg, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research, New York, New York.

ELECTRIC UTILITY BANKRUPTCY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice concluded hearings on S. 46, to prevent electric utilities from using the reorganization provisions of the bankruptcy code to circumvent State laws governing rates and other matters, after receiving testimony from Senators Humphrey and Rudman; New Hampshire Attorney General John P. Arnold and Assistant Attorney General Larry Smuckler, both of Concord; Norman Stahl, Devine, Millimet, Stahl, and Branch, Manchester, New Hampshire; Richard Levin, Stutman, Treister and Glatt, Los Angeles, California; James Monk, Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, Indi-

anapolis; Dan Borson, Public Citizen, and Roger Whelan, American Bankruptcy Institute, both of Washington, DC; and Leonard M. Rosen, National Bankruptcy Conference, New York, New York.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 198, to protect certain computer programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 459, to provide for the use of inventions in outer space, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 497, to provide that any State or State instrumentality is liable for infringement of copyright and infringement of exclusive rights in mask works to the same extent as any non-governmental entity, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1271, to change the fee schedule of the Copyright Office and make certain technical amendments; and

S. 1272, to reduce the number of commissioners on the Copyright Royalty Tribunal, to provide for lapsed terms of such commissioners.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of William C. Brooks, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor;

S. 543, to strengthen the program of employment and training assistance under the Job Training Partnership Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1390, to authorize funds for the construction of a facility to develop, produce, and distribute inbred and mutant mice used in biomedical research, with an amendment.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, August 2.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Anthony A. Amoroso, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, former Supervisory Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Roy Phillips, James Gunn, and Jesse J. McCrary, Jr., all of Miami, Florida; and Eleanor Golar-Williams, Columbia, South Carolina.

Also, committee received into evidence the prior examination of Margaret Dabreau Owens, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3012-3021; 2 private bills, H.R. 3022-3023; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 376, and H. Con. Res. 175 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2151, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to establish a schedule for the installation in certain civil aircraft of the collision avoidance system known as TCAS-II, amended (H. Rept. 101-174);

H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the Act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, amended (H. Rept. 101-175);

H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-176);

H.R. 982, to amend title 39, United States Code, with respect to the budgetary treatment of the Postal Service Fund (H. Rept. 101-177);

H.R. 2331, to amend title 39, United States Code, to designate as nonmailable matter solicitations of donations which could reasonably be misconstrued as a bill, invoice, or statement or account due, solicitations for the purchase of products or services which are provided either free of charge or at a lower price by the Federal Government, and solicitations which are offered in terms implying any Federal Government connection or endorsement, unless such matter contains an appropriate conspicuous disclaimer, amended (H. Rept. 101-178);

H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-179);

H.R. 2847, to extend by 1 year a program under which the Government is allowed to accept the voluntary services of private-sector executives (H. Rept. 101-180);

H.R. 2783, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota, amended (H. Rept. 101-181);

H.R. 1727, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural resources within the park, amended (H. Rept. 101-182); and

H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies for

the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-183).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representatives Gephardt to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 284 yeas to 98 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 165, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, July 25.

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Late Reports: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight to file reports on the following bills: H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Defense Authorization: House continued consideration of H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; but came to no resolution thereon. Further consideration of amendments will continue on Thursday, July 27.

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The following amendments were considered, and recorded votes ordered on the amendments were postponed until Thursday, July 27:

The Richardson amendment that prohibits the Los Alamos Laboratory from incinerating radioactive wastes until New Mexico adopts regulations governing such incineration; and

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The Bustamante amendment that eliminates \$47 million for procurement of 155-millimeter binary chemical munitions and increases funds for the Army National Guard by \$24 million, in order to purchase 6 C-26 aircraft.

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Agreed to:

The Synar amendment that reduces by \$470 million the bill's authorization for the Stealth—\$240 million in advance procurement for three future Stealths and \$230 million for initial spare parts (agreed to by a recorded vote of 257 yeas to 160 nays, Roll No. 168);

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The Spratt amendment that reduces or transfers \$502 million from the MX rail-garrison program—\$174 million in research and development, \$164 million in advance procurement for rail-garrison com-

ponents, \$59 million in procurement for MX initial spares and \$105 million in military construction (agreed to by a recorded vote of 224 ayes to 197 noes, Roll No. 171);

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The Mavroules amendment that places a cap on the number of MX missiles that may be deployed at 50 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 259 ayes to 160 noes, Roll No. 172); and

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The Leath amendment, as modified, that earmarks \$276.4 million of Army aircraft procurement funds for the AHIP, increasing the overall Army aircraft procurement authorization by \$226.4 million and offsets this increase by cutting the authorizations for Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles by \$61.5 million, and by cutting funds for other Army procurement by \$164.8 million.

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Rejected:

The Skelton amendment, as modified, to the Synar amendment, that sought to authorize \$3.9 billion for Stealth production as long as the Defense Department certifies that the Stealth has met its original performance objectives and that cost reduction initiatives have been established (rejected by a recorded vote of 176 ayes to 244 noes, Roll No. 166);

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The Kasich substitute amendment to the Synar amendment, that sought to terminate production of the Stealth bomber, but would permit completion of the current development program and production of 13 aircraft which have already been funded (rejected by a recorded vote of 144 ayes to 279 noes, Roll No. 167);

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The Dellums amendment that sought to terminate the MX rail-garrison program and the Midgetman missile program by eliminating all funding except for contract termination costs;

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The Hertel amendment that sought to prohibit the use of Air Force research and development funds for the MX rail-garrison program (rejected by a recorded vote of 168 ayes to 253 noes, Roll No. 169);

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The Frank amendment that sought to eliminate funding from the Midgetman missile program and prohibit the use of funds for the program except for contract termination costs (rejected by a recorded vote of 168 ayes to 254 noes, Roll No. 170); and

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The Byron amendment that sought to provide \$268 million for Navy procurement of 18 EA-6B electronic warfare planes that do not include current generation electronic components.

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The following amendments were offered, but subsequently withdrawn:

The Richardson amendment that sought to require the Energy Department to prohibit the contractor operating the Los Alamos National Laboratory from entering into a multi-year security service contract;

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The Machtley amendment that sought to earmark \$7.5 million for procurement of one large tugboat for inland and coastal waterways; and

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The McCrery amendment that sought to authorize \$4.8 million for procurement of an Airborne Command and Control Console and modification of aircraft to receive the console, and to delete \$4.8 million from funds for the Navy procurement of V-22 Osprey aircraft to offset the new authorization.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Call—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and seven recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on pages 16346, 16381, 16385, 16389, 16399, 16405, 16410, 16415. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES IMPROVEMENT ACT; WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2869, Commodity Futures Improvement Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also approved the White Creek, Mississippi Watershed Project.

APPROPRIATION BILLS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the following appropriation bills for fiscal year 1990: Transportation; Military Construction; and Legislative.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2666, to establish a Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Fund; and H.R. 2742, amended, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act.

The Committee also approved a motion to add committee-reported text of H.R. 3 (Early Childhood

Education and Development Act) to budget reconciliation recommendations.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing concerning the European Community's proposed Directive on Television Broadcasting. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Julius Katz, Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; J. Michael Farren, Under Secretary, International Trade, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENTS IN U.S.-KOREA RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Developments in U.S.-Korea Relations. Testimony was heard from Peter Allgeier, Assistant Trade Representative, Asian and Pacific Affairs; Bill Clark, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; and Carl Ford, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Security Affairs, East Asia and Pacific, Department of Defense.

DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Developments In Europe, including the President's Recent Trip to Eastern and Western Europe. Testimony was heard from the following Deputy Assistant Secretaries, European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State: Ralph Johnson; and Avis Bohlen.

U.S. POLICY TOWARD PANAMA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a joint hearing on U.S. Policy Toward Panama in the Aftermath of the May 1989 Elections: The Role of Economic Sanctions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dyson and Crane; Frank C. Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IRS SENIOR EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs continued hearings on IRS Senior Employee Misconduct Problems. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported the following measures: H. Res. 208, providing

amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress; H. Res. 201 providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on the Judiciary in the 1st session of the 101st Congress; H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives; and H. Res. 212, providing for upgrading of one position and establishment of six additional positions on the Capitol Police for duty with respect to the House of Representatives.

The Committee also considered other pending business.

MINNESOTA PUBLIC LANDS IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2783, Minnesota Public Lands Improvement Act of 1989.

EMERGENCY CHINESE ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS FACILITATION ACT; FLAG PROTECTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2712, Emergency Chinese Adjustment of Status Facilitation Act of 1989.

The Committee also began markup of H.R. 2978, Flag Protection Act of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

PRODUCTION JOINT VENTURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law continued hearings on anti-trust legislation on production joint ventures (H.R. 423, Joint Manufacturing Opportunities Act of 1989; H.R. 1024, National Cooperative Innovation and Commercialization Act of 1989; H.R. 1025, National Cooperative Research and Production Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2264, Cooperative Productivity and Competitiveness Act of 1989). Testimony was heard from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; and public witnesses.

OIL SPILL RESPONSE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on Oil Spill Response. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lagomarsino, Saxton and Schneider; VAdm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., USCG, Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; James L. Makris, Chairman, National Response Team, EPA; Dennis Kelso, Director, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

POCKET VETO LEGISLATION

Committee on Rules: Subcommittee on Legislative Process held a hearing on H.R. 849, to amend title I of the United States Code to define the type of adjournment that prevents the return of a bill by the President, and to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to require the Clerk to make certain notifications to the Speaker. Testimony was heard from William Barr, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; Louis Fisher, Senior Specialist, Government Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Steve Ross, General Counsel to the Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3000, The Fastener Quality Act; H.R. 2427, amended, to authorize appropriations for certain atmospheric and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; and H.R. 2465, amended, Airport Security Technology and Research Act of 1989.

URANIUM ENRICHMENT REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on H.R. 2480, Uranium Enrichment Reorganization Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Ford; Representatives McEwen and Hubbard; W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy; Keith O. Fultz, Director, Energy Issues, GAO; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY CONSERVATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH ACT; FOOD AND POPULATION REPORT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1268, National Biological Diversity Conservation and Environmental Research Act.

The Subcommittee also approved for full Committee action a Food and Population Report.

65 MPH SPEED LIMIT—RESEARCH RESULTS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on the 65 MPH Speed Limit-Research Results. Testimony was heard from Representative Pallone; Jeffrey Miller, Acting Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administra-

tion, Department of Transportation; Norman Schneider, Executive Deputy Commissioner, Department of Motor Vehicles, State of New York; and public witnesses.

SBA'S FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Small Business: Concluded hearings on the impact of budget problems on SBA's financial assistance programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HOUSING FOR THE FRAIL ELDERLY

Select Committee on Aging: Concluded hearings on "Housing for the Frail Elderly" (Part II). Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and a public witness.

EDUCATING AMERICA'S YOUTH AGAINST DRUGS

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on "Educating America's Youth Against Drugs: Federal Drug Abuse Education Strategy". Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting**FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT**

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Thursday, July 27, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine Proceedings, pages 16626-16751

Measures Introduced: Seventeen bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1414-1430, S.J. Res. 183, and S. Con. Res. 57 and 58.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 560, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of certain historic military forts in

the State of New Mexico, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-87)

S. 818, to authorize a study on methods to pay tribute to the late Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico for his significant contribution to the establishment of a national wilderness system, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-88)

S. 963, to authorize a study on methods to commemorate the nationally significant highway known as Route 66, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-89)

S. 975, to amend the Job Training Partnership Act to encourage a broader range of training and job placement for women, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-90)

S. 819, to strengthen the enforcement of motor carrier safety laws, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-91)

S. 1152, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel American Empire, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-92)

S. 1429, to provide disaster assistance to producers who suffered certain losses in the quantity of the 1989 crop of a commodity harvested as the result of excess moisture, freeze, storm, or related condition occurring in 1989 or drought or related condition occurring in 1988 or 1989. (S. Rept. No. 101-93)

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Measures Passed:

U.S. Customs Service 200th Anniversary Year: Senate passed H.J. Res. 363, to designate 1989 as "United States Customs Service 200th Anniversary Year".

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Department of Agriculture-Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Pryor Amendment No. 427, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of Agriculture.

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(2) Burdick (for Leahy/Harkin) Amendment No. 429, to provide additional funds for child nutrition programs.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Burdick, Bumpers, Harkin,

Adams, Fowler, Kerrey, Byrd, Cochran, McClure, Kasten, Specter, Grassley, and Hatfield.

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Energy and Water Development Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 16593, 16626

Adopted:

(1) Johnston Amendment No. 430, to authorize additional funds for general science and research activities of the Department of Energy.

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(2) Johnston Amendment No. 431, to make technical corrections.

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(3) Johnston (for Adams) Amendment No. 432, relating to the transfer of operation and maintenance of the Wynooche Lake Project to Aberdeen, Washington.

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(4) Johnston (for Moynihan) Amendment No. 433, to require a study regarding the water quality and environmental enhancement of Onondaga Lake, New York.

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(5) Johnston (for Sanford) Amendment No. 434, to provide funds to complete a reassessment of the Manteo (Shallowbag) Bay, North Carolina project.

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(6) Johnston (for Exon) Amendment No. 435, to designate part of the Papillion Creek Basin Project in Nebraska as the "Ed Zorinsky Recreation Area".

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(7) Johnston (for DeConcini) Amendment No. 436, to provide for flood damage prevention along the Rillito River, Pima County, Arizona.

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(8) Domenici Amendment No. 439, to revise and clarify language relating to minority participation in the Superconducting Super Collider.

Pages 16610, 16640

(9) Pryor Amendment No. 440, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of Energy.

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(10) Bumpers Modified Amendment No. 445, to obligate funds for the Reduced Enrichment in Research and Test Reactors program.

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Withdrawn:

Metzenbaum Amendment No. 441, to provide funds to dredge the Ashtabula River, Ohio.

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 40 yeas to 58 nays (Vote No. 147), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected a motion to waive section 311(a) of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to the consideration of McCain Amendment No. 444, to delay for 1 year the provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988. Subsequently, a point of order that the amendment was in violation of the Congressional Budget Act was sustained, and the amendment thus fell.

Pages 16615, 16626

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Johnston, Byrd, Hollings, Burdick, Sasser, DeConcini, Reid, Hatfield, McClure, Garn, Cochran, Domenici, and Specter.

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National Defense Authorizations Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Rejected:

By 50 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 148), Senate tabled Division I of Johnston Amendment No. 500, to limit appropriations for the Strategic Defense Initiative (SDI) program.

Pages 16643, 16646

Withdrawn:

Division II of Johnston Amendment No. 500, to increase authorizations for certain other programs.

Pages 16647, 16663

Senate will resume consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Monday, July 31, 1989.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Harry M. Snyder, of Kentucky, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior.

William C. Brooks, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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Department of the Interior Appropriations—Additional Conferee: Senator Hatfield and Inouye were added as a conferee to H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 16626, 16642

Agent Orange Benefits—Agreement: A unanimous-consent time limitation agreement was reached providing that the Majority Leader, after consultation with the Minority Leader, may proceed to the

consideration of S. 1153, the Agent Orange benefits bill.

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Appointments:

Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 99-83, appointed Rabbi Chaskel Besser and Levi Goldberger to the Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad.

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Federal Council on the Aging: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 93-29, as amended by Public Law 98-459, appointed E. Don Yoak, of West Virginia, to the Federal Council on the Aging.

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Committee Reporting Deadline Extension: By unanimous consent, authorizing committees were authorized until 5 p.m., on Thursday, August 3, 1989, to submit their reconciliation recommendations to the Committee on the Budget pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, with respect to fiscal year 1990.

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Nominations Confirmed:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—148)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 10:04 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., Monday, July 31. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 16626.)

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation concluded hearings to examine agricultural product research and development activities and funding procedures for these programs of the Department of Agriculture, after receiving testimony from J. Patrick Jordan, Administrator, Coopera-

tive State Research Service, Paul O'Connell, Deputy Administrator, Special Programs, and William Talent, Assistant Administrator, Cooperative Interactions, Agricultural Research Service, all of the Department of Agriculture; Keith Huston, North Central State Agricultural Experiment Station Directors, Wooster, Ohio; Norman Scott, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York; Gary Jolliff, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon; and Todd Sneller, Nebraska Gasohol Committee, Lincoln.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported 8,756 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee continued consideration of S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, August 1.

NATIONAL MONUMENT/ ARCHAEOLOGICAL PROTECTION SITE

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 286, to establish the Petroglyph National Monument in the State of New Mexico, after receiving testimony from Representatives Richardson and Schiff; Brien Culhane, The Wilderness Society, J. Jackson Walter, National Trust for Historic Preservation, and Bruce Craig, National Parks and Conservation Association, all of Washington, DC; and Harvard Ayers, Sierra Club, Boone, North Carolina; and

S. 798, to add specified Navajo archaeological protection sites to the Chaco Culture National Historic Park in New Mexico, after receiving testimony from Representative Richardson; Mark Leone, Society for American Archaeology, and Anna Sofaer, Solstice Project, both of Washington, DC; and Alan Downer, Navajo National Historic Preservation Officer, Window Rock, Arizona.

Testimony was also received on S. 286 and S. 798 (listed above), from Jerry L. Rogers, Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 686, to consolidate and improve laws providing compensation and establishing liability for oil spills, with amendments;

S. 1016, to change the name of "Marion Lake", located Northwest of Marion, Kansas, to "Marion Reservoir" with an amendment; and

The nominations of Constance B. Harriman, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, and John F. Turner, of Wyoming, to be Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, both of the Department of the Interior, Michael R. Deland, of Massachusetts, to be Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality, and Linda J. Fisher, of Ohio, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances, Timothy B. Atkeson, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Administrator for International Affairs, and J. Clarence Davies, of Maryland, to be Assistant Administrator for Policy, Planning and Evaluation, all of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Ms. Fisher and Messrs. Atkeson and Davies, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations concluded hearings to review the Department of State Inspector General's report on international narcotics control programs in Peru and Bolivia, after receiving testimony from Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary for International Narcotics Matters, and Sherman M. Funk, Inspector General, both of the Department of State; and David Westrate, Assistant Administrator for Operations, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of William Braniff, of California, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of California;

S. 604, to increase settlement authority and expanded coverage relating to claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities, with an amendment; and

H.R. 972, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

FEDERAL BALANCED BUDGET

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution approved for full committee consideration S.J. Res. 183, proposing an amendment to the U.S. Constitution relating to a Federal balanced budget. (As approved by the committee, the bill includes provisions of related measures S.J. Res. 2, S.J. Res. 9, and S.J. Res. 12.)

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 2, S.J. Res. 9, S.J. Res. 12, and S.J. Res. 183, measures proposing amendments to the U.S. Constitution relating to a Federal balanced budget, after receiving testimony from Senator Thurmond; Representative Craig; Lewis K. Uhler, National Tax Limitation Committee, Falls Church, Virginia; and James Davidson, National Taxpayers Union, Jerome Ellig, Citizens for a Sound Economy, Richard Rahn, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, William Lucy, American Federal of State, County, and Municipal Employees, and Kenneth F. Melley, National Education Association of the United States, all of Washington, DC.

AUTHORIZATIONS—VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts and Humanities concluded hearings on S. 1109, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs of the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act, after receiving testimony from Rhode Island State Representative Paul V. Sherlock, Providence, on behalf of the National Conference of State Legislatures; Terry Craney, North East Wisconsin Technical College, Green Bay, on behalf of the National Education Association; Kenneth Watson, Seattle Public Schools, Seattle, Washington, on behalf of the Council of the Great City Schools; Jane Amero, Maine Department of Education and Cultural Services, Augusta; Bruce Grey, Frances Tuttle Vocational-Technical Center, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Larry Rosenstock, Center for Law and Education, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Jewell Deene Ellis, Office of Vocational Education, Frankfort, Kentucky, on behalf of the Vocational Home Economics Education Coalition; Charles Benson, University of California-Berkeley; Dale Parnell, American Association of Community and Junior Colleges, and Jane Adair, Association of Independent Colleges and Schools, both of Washington, DC; George Harris, Greater New Haven State Technical College, Bloomfield, Connecticut; John Rowlett, Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, on behalf of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities; and Rene Champagne, ITT Educational Institutes, Indianapolis, Indiana, on behalf of the National Association of Trade and Technical Schools.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 13, to revise Federal veterans' benefits relating to benefits for veterans with service-connected disabilities, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill incorporates provisions of S. 192, S. 405, S. 846, S. 86, S. 748, S. 574, S. 1004, S. 1306, S. 947, S. 899, S. 1211, S. 109, S. 1279, S. 1003, S. 1092, S. 1158, S. 898, S. 1141, S. 1147, S. 1315, S. 564, S. 1145, S. 1146, S. 1188.); and

An original bill to provide for income verification under VA needs-based benefits. (As approved by the committee, the bill incorporates provisions of S. 1188).

INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 143, to establish the Indian Development Finance Corporation to provide development capital for Indian businesses, and S. 1203, to encourage Indian economic development, and oversight hearings on the implementation of the Indian Financing Act Amendments of 1988, receiving testimony from Eddie F. Brown, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs; Leonard Haskie and Bruce Kaiser, both of the Navajo Tribal Council, Window Rock, Arizona; Steve Stallings, National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development, El Monte, California; David C. Harrison, Council on Energy Resource Tribes, and David Brunt, U.S. West Communications, both of Denver, Colorado; Raymond Goetting, Laguna Industries, Inc., Laguna, New Mexico; Daniel Press, Native American Industrial Trade Association, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Matthew J. Perry, Judge for the U.S. District Court for the District of South Carolina; Henry Latimer, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; Edward Rogers, West Palm Beach, Florida; Pearl Dabreau Mapp, Washington, DC; Betty Williams, Miramar, Florida; Marilyn Carter, Miami, Florida; Shirley Pride, Columbia, South Carolina.

Also, present but not testifying was William A. Borders, Jr., Washington, DC, who was accompanied by counsel.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 31.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 3024-3042; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 377-379, H. Con Res. 176 and 177, and H. Res. 213-216 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 201, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on the Judiciary in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress (H. Rept. 101-184);

H. Res. 208, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress (H. Rept. 101-185);

H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-186);

H.R. 1630, to amend title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for administrative naturalization, amended (H. Rept. 101-187);

H.R. 3024, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt (H. Rept. 101-188);

H.R. 2727, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals, amended (H. Rept. 101-189);

H.R. 3, to authorize appropriations to expand Head Start programs and programs carried out under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to include child care services, amended (H. Rept. 101-190);

H. Res. 214, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-191); and

H. Res. 215, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-192).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 275 yeas to 107 nays, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 173, the House approved the Journal of July 26.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 3026, making appropriations

for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Committee Chairman: House agreed to H. Res. 213, providing that Representative Beilenson may continue to serve as Chairman of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for the remainder of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Resources of the Committee on the Interior received permission to sit on Friday, July 28, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit on Friday, July 28, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Defense Authorization: By a recorded vote of 261 ayes to 162 noes, Roll No. 185, the House passed H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 and military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal year 1990 and 1991.

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Agreed to the Dickinson motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to report the bill back forthwith containing language that reduces funds in section 201 for the Air Force by \$100 million; and that none of that amount provided for the Air Force be available for the Small ICBM Program (agreed to by a division vote of 176 ayes to 90 noes). Subsequently, the bill was reported back to the House, and the amendment was agreed to.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Wyden amendment that urges the President to enter into negotiations with the Soviet Union for a verifiable ban on the production of plutonium and enriched uranium; and expresses the sense of Congress that the United States and the Soviet Union should establish verification arrangements that include on-site inspection of all production facilities (agreed to by a recorded vote of 284 ayes to 138 noes, Roll No. 174);

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The Richardson amendment that prohibits the Los Alamos Laboratory from incinerating radioactive

wastes until New Mexico adopts regulations governing such incineration; this amendment was debated on July 27 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 245 ayes to 177 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 175);

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The Brown of California amendment, as modified, that expresses the sense of Congress that the President should press for the dismantling of the Soviet Union's ground-based anti-satellite (ASAT) weapons, and seek a treaty with the Soviet Union to place the strictest possible limits on ASAT weapons, consistent with the security interests of the United States and its allies; specifies that any agreement should include on-site inspections by both countries; and calls on the President to report by May 1990 on United States ASAT weapons activities and the survivability of United States satellites against Soviet ASAT weapons;

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The Owens of Utah amendment that prohibits fiscal year 1990 funds for Army production of 155-millimeter binary chemical munition projectiles; and reduces Army funds by \$47 million, the amount provided for such weapons in the bill (agreed to by a recorded vote of 240 ayes to 179 noes, Roll No. 178);

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The Porter amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that the President should intensify ongoing efforts to reach agreement with the Soviet Union and other nations on a mutual and verifiable agreement to stop the production, proliferation, and stockpiling of lethal chemical weapons (agreed to by a recorded vote of 414 ayes to 4 noes, Roll No. 179);

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The Mavroules amendment that extends through fiscal year 1993 the goal of having 5 percent of Defense Department contract awards go to small and disadvantaged businesses (agreed to by a recorded vote of 324 ayes to 100 noes, Roll No. 180);

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The Stenholm amendment, as amended by the Murphy substitute (agreed to by a recorded vote of 223 ayes to 201 noes, Roll No. 181), that increases the threshold for the application of Davis-Bacon provisions from its present level of \$2,000 to \$50,000 for all Federally funded or assisted construction, alteration and repair projects; permits the expanded use of helpers; requires employers to provide payroll reports on a quarterly, instead of a weekly, basis; codifies Labor Department requirements including wage rate determinations for rural as distinct from urban area; prohibits artificial splitting of contracts for the purpose of avoiding Davis-Bacon application; and creates a separate, new threshold of \$15,000 for all Federally funded or assisted repair, alteration, renovation, rehabilitation, or reconstruction projects (agreed to by a recorded vote of 224 ayes to 196 noes, Roll No. 182);

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The Aspin amendment, as amended, that provides for outlay limitation for fiscal year 1990; and prohibits authorizing the advance payment of pay and allowances relating to the pay period ending September 30, 1989 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 326 ayes to 97 noes, Roll No. 183); and

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The Aspin en bloc amendment that requires a Presidential report to Congress on implications of significant equal reductions of conventional forces by NATO and Warsaw pact countries; requires a Presidential report by April 30, 1990, on the potential for interference with gamma-ray astronomy missions that could be caused by the placement in earth orbit of space nuclear reactors presently under development by the United States; expresses the sense of Congress that the President should encourage Japan to begin to bear all costs by 1990 of stationing American troops in Japan; prohibits the Army from purchasing C-26 Sherpa aircraft through contract with a certain contractor in Northern Ireland, unless that contractor meets fair employment requirements; gives Presidential authority to assign members of the U.S. armed forces to duty at foreign airports to protect United States citizens and air carriers from terrorism, increases amounts available for military functions of the Army, Navy, and Air Force; makes permanent current technical requirements for multi-year procurement contracts; repeals a section of the 1889 Military Construction Authorization Act authorizing transfer of 32 acres of land from the San Diego Unified Port District to the Navy in exchange for an equivalent, if unspecified, parcel of land; specifies that defense components must be shipped on United States flag transport; requires the Defense Department to submit a report to Congress in the next three fiscal years describing radar surveillance system and interceptor aircraft assigned to the northern border of the United States; requires that military training requirements for promotion and retention of civilian technicians employed by the Army National Guard not exceed those for non-civilian technicians and prohibits requiring civilian technicians to participate in the National Guard Battle Skills Course unless such technicians are employed in a combat-related specialty; expresses the sense of Congress that the Defense Department dedicate a Pentagon corridor to the service of members of the Armed Forces who have served in space-related activities; expresses the sense of Congress that the Defense Department should begin an immediate review of military installations which could be closed or realigned to help meet Grace Commission recommendations; requires that the environ-

mental budget report required by the bill include estimated costs of waste disposal, including disposal of effluent contaminants, ethanol and other alternative fuels; provides funding to establish a center for collaborative research and training for military personnel in shock/trauma medical care; earmarks fiscal year 1990 funds for operation and maintenance of school districts attended by children of military personnel or Defense Department civilian employees residing on Federal property; suspends the shifting of commercial activities performed by government personnel at Niagara Falls Air Force Reserve Base to private contractors; requires the Energy Department to prepare an assessment of the effectiveness of existing programs of technology transfer developed at Energy Department nuclear laboratories; gives the Defense Department discretion to defer discharge of Reserve and National Guard health-related officers; cuts the authorization for Army and Air Force procurement in order to bring provisions in the bill into conformance with the intelligence authorization for fiscal year 1990; earmarks a portion of Army research and development funds for the Transverse Mounted Engine Propulsion System (TMEPS); authorizes the employment of civilian professors, instructors, and lecturers at professional military colleges; requires that production lines for the Sparrow and Sidewinder missiles be maintained until the Advanced Medium Range Anti-Aircraft Missile (AMRAAM) receives certification required in the bill; requires the Energy Department to submit a classified report assessing the possible effects on the abilities of the United States to verify compliance with a nuclear test limitation agreement with the Soviet Union; requires the Defense Department to report on the extent to which terrorist attacks against military personnel of the United States or its allies may be financed by loans to Warsaw Pact countries from financial institutions in the United States, Japan, and NATO countries, or by multilateral or international banks; expresses the sense of Congress that the Soviet Union is in violation of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty because of the Krasnoyarsk radar site; expresses the sense of Congress that the Defense Department in disposing of excess real property resulting from the closing or realignment of bases, give the highest priority to that property's use by Federal, state, or local governments as correctional or drug abuse facilities; and requires the Defense Department to continue issuing annual reports detailing the budget and priorities of the SDI program.

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Rejected:

The Bustamante amendment that sought to eliminate \$47 million for procurement of 155-millimeter binary chemical munitions and increases funds for the Army National Guard by \$24 million, in order

to purchase 6 C-26 aircraft; this amendment was debated on July 27 (rejected by a recorded vote of 160 ayes to 260 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 176);

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The Markey amendment that sought to require the Energy Department to issue a report by July 1, 1990, on a plan for implementing the purposes of the Nuclear Test Ban Readiness program by the end of fiscal year 1994 (rejected by a recorded vote of 207 ayes to 211 noes, Roll No. 177); and

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The Derrick amendment, as modified, that sought to exempt the effluents from the K-Reactor at the Savannah River site in South Carolina from the thermal requirements of the Clean Water Act; and authorize \$40 million in fiscal year 1990 for environmental projects at the Savannah River site (rejected by a recorded vote of 70 ayes to 348 noes, Roll No. 184).

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Agreed to amend the title.

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The Clerk was authorized to make such clerical and technical correction, including table of contents, title, section numbers and cross references.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay and twelve recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 16456, 16472, 16474, 16475, 16485, 16491, 16494, 16504, 16510, 16519, 16525, 16546, 16551. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCRAPIE ERADICATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy and Poultry held a hearing on H.R. 799, Scrapie Eradication Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Leach of Iowa; and James W. Glosser, Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the District of Columbia appropriation bill for fiscal year 1990.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearings to review extent to which exposure to fumes from diesel engines in closed work places are affecting the health and safety of workers. Testimony was

heard from T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue August 2.

STOCK MARKET REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1609, Stock Market Reform Act of 1989, and related issues. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WASTE EXPORT CONTROL ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 2525, Waste Export Control Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Synar, Porter and Wolpe; Scott A. Hajost, Acting Associate Administrator, International Activities, EPA; William A. Nitze, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Oceans and International, Environmental, and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Developments in the South Pacific. Testimony was heard from Tom Reese, Deputy Assistant Administrator, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; Richard Williams, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; and Carl Ford, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense.

U.S. POLICY TOWARD PANAMA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade concluded joint hearings on U.S. Policy Toward Panama in the Aftermath of the May 1989 Elections: The Role Of Economic Sanctions. Testimony was heard from Bernard W. Aronson, Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; Richard Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of Defense; and Richard Newcomb, Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury.

CUBAN INVOLVEMENT IN INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control concluded hearings on Cuban Involvement in International Narcotics Trafficking (Part II). Testimony was heard from Representative Rangel; and a public witness.

IRS SENIOR EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT PROBLEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs continued hearings on IRS Senior Employee Misconduct Problems. Testimony was heard from Jennie Stathis, Director, Tax Policy and Administrative Issues, General Government Division, GAO; the following officials of the IRS, Department of the Treasury: Fred Goldberg, Commissioner; and Michael Murphy, Senior Deputy Commissioner; and public witnesses.

REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on the reauthorization of the Paperwork Reduction Act and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at the Office of OMB. Testimony was heard from Representatives Glickman and Williams; the following officials of the OSHA, Department of Labor: John Martonik, Deputy Director, Health Standards Program; Dr. Peter Infante, Director, Office of Standards Review; and Jennifer Silk, Health Scientist; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue August 1.

ORGANIC ACT OF GUAM AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 2024, to amend the Organic Act of Guam. Testimony was heard from Delegate Blaz; Larry Morgan, Director, Legislative and Public Affairs, Office of Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior; the following officials of the Guam War Reparations Commission: Joseph F. Ada, Governor; Pedro G. Cruz; and Beatrice P. Emsley, both members; and Joe T. San Agustin, Speaker, Legislature of Guam.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 737, to amend the Stock Raising Homestead Act to resolve certain problems regarding subsurface estates; and H.R. 2095, Abandoned Mine Reclamation Act of 1989.

CALIFORNIA DESERT PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 780, California Desert Protection Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress; Delos Cy Jamison, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Robert A.

Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

FLAG PROTECTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2978, Flag Protection Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on overcrowding in the Federal Prison System. Testimony was heard from J. Michael Quinlan, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice.

DRUG AND ALCOHOL DEPENDENT OFFENDERS TREATMENT ACT; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime approved for full Committee action H.R. 3007, Drug and Alcohol Dependent Offenders Treatment Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on Federal Drug Aftercare and Drug Testing Programs. Testimony was heard from Edward R. Becker, Chairman, Committee on Criminal Law and Probation Administration, Judiciary Conference of the United States; Vincent L. Broderick, U.S. District Judge, Southern District of New York; Lawrence R. Leavitt, U.S. Magistrate, District of Nevada; and Thomas Primosch, Chief Pretrial Services Officer, Middle District of Florida.

INSURANCE COMPETITIVENESS PRICING ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R. 1663, Insurance Competitive Pricing Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 44, Merchant Mariners Fairness and Memorial Act of 1989; and H.R. 668, Merchant Mariner Memorial Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Bruce J. Carlton, Director, Office of Maritime Labor and Training, Maritime Administration; and Capt. Frederic J. Grady, USCG, Chief, Merchant Vessel Personnel Division, Office, Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard; Grady W. Horton, Deputy Chief Benefits Director, Program Management, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

PUBLIC SERVICE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE ACT

Committee on Post Office of Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on H.R. 2544, Public Service Education Assistance Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; L. Bruce Laingen, Executive Director, National Commission on the Public Service; and a public witness.

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act against consideration of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule waives clauses 2 and 5(b) of Rule XXI against specified provisions of the bill. The rule provides that when points of order are waived against only a portion of a paragraph, a point of order against any other provision of such paragraph may be made only against that provision and not against the entire paragraph. Testimony was heard from Representatives Roybal, Coleman of Texas, Traficant, Conte and Skeen.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clause 2 of Rule XXI against specified provisions of H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule provides that when points of order are waived against only a portion of a paragraph, a point of order against any other provision of such paragraph may be made only against that provision and not against the entire paragraph. The rule makes in order the amendment printed in the report accompanying this resolution by Representative Boxer, or her designee, to be debatable for one hour, equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendment is not subject to amendment. Clause 2 of Rule XXI is waived against the amendment. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hefner, Schroeder, Campbell of Colorado, Sarpalius, Bruce, Pelosi, Boxer, Lowery of California, Kolbe, Dickinson, Martin of New York, Army, Porter, Lewis of California and Saxton.

CONGRESSIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SCIENCE, MATHEMATICS, AND ENGINEERING ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended H.R. 996, Congressional Scholarships for Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Act.

GLOBAL CHANGE RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment and the Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a joint hearing on H.R. 2984, Global Change Research Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Robert Watson, Chief, Upper Atmospheric/Research Tropospheric Chemistry Branch, NASA; Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary, Oceans, International Environment and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management.

DVA PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY ACTIVITIES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on DVA procurement and supply activities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: H. Robert Saldivar, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Acquisition and Materiel Management; Scott F. Denniston, Director, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization; and Ronald P. Morani, Acting Inspector General; a representative of a veterans' organization; and public witnesses.

DEBT LIMIT INCREASE; REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H.R. 3024, to increase temporarily the statutory limit on the public debt.

The Committee also continued revenue reconciliation markup.

The Committee recessed subject to call.

HUMANITARIAN NEEDS IN AFGHANISTAN

Select Committee on Hunger: Held a hearing on "Humanitarian Needs in Afghanistan". Testimony was heard from Ambassador Peter Tomsen, Special Envoy to the Afghan Resistance, Department of State; Larry Crandall, Mission Director, Afghanistan Operations, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

MIDYEAR ECONOMIC REVIEW

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed hearings to examine prospects for the economy at mid-year, receiving testimony from Robert Barbera, Shearson Lehman Hutton, New York, New York; Roger Brinner, Data Resources, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts; and Rudy Penner, The Urban Institute, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, August 1.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY, AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Friday, July 28, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Monday, July 31, 1989, at 10:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

TAX TREATMENT OF FARM INDEBTEDNESS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Energy and Agricultural Taxation concluded hearings on S. 1041, to provide tax relief for certain farmers who realize gain on the transfer of farm property in satisfaction of farm indebtedness, after receiving testimony from Senator Kassebaum; Judy Kennedy McLearn, Skiatook, Oklahoma; Sarah Vogel, North Dakota Commissioner of Agriculture, Bismarck;

Neil E. Harl, Iowa State University, Ames; and Sharon K. Watkins, Watkins Tax Accounting, Lexington, Indiana, on behalf of the National Family Farm Coalition.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3043-3052; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 178, and H. Res. 217-219 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report from the Committee on Government Operations entitled "A Citizens Guide On Using the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act of 1974 to Request Government Records" (H. Rept. 101-193);

H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such Acts through the fiscal year 1995, amended (H. Rept. 101-194);

H.R. 1177, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 101-195);

H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants and by treating nonimmigrants, whose departure has been deferred by the Attorney General as remaining in legal nonimmigrant status for purposes of adjustment or change of status, amended (H. Rept. 101-196);

H. Res. 217, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3024, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt (H. Rept. 101-197); and

H.R. 1208, to amend the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 to provide for drug and alcohol testing for railroad employees, amended (H. Rept. 101-198).

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Treasury, Postal Service Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 376 ayes to 26 noes, Roll No. 188, the House passed H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Rejected:

The Traficant amendment that sought to eliminate 100 positions from the authorized Internal Revenue Service investigation, collection, and taxpayer service (rejected by a recorded vote of 12 ayes to 398 noes, Roll No. 186);

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The Walker amendment that sought to eliminate the bill's appropriations of \$16.2 million for the following five projects: Rochester Institute of Technology for a strategic materials research center; Michigan Technological University for construction of a center for applied metallurgical, minerals, and materials research; University of Maryland for a center for strategic man-made materials; University of Hawaii for a strategic materials research facility; and for University of Texas, El Paso, to study and facilitate the development, transfer, and installation of strategic materials technologies among American industries (rejected by a recorded vote of 114 ayes to 293 noes, Roll No. 187); and

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The Jacobs amendment that sought to reduce the amount appropriated for allowances and office staff for former Presidents by \$1.4 million.

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The following points of order were sustained against provisions of the bill:

Language that sought to prohibit the procurement of hand tools not produced in the United States or its possessions;

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Language that sought to prohibit the procurement of stainless steel flatware except under certain conditions; and

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Language that sought to prohibit the use of funds to purchase certain types of distinctive paper.

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H. Res. 214, the rule waiving certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H4485, H4491, H4500. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9:00 a.m. and adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Human Resources held an oversight hearing on the establishment of a National Policy on Children and Youth. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DECEPTIVE FUNDRAISING BY CHARITIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on Deceptive Fundraising by Charities. Testimony was heard from K.M. Hearst, Assistant Chief Inspector, Criminal Investigations, U.S. Postal Service; William C. MacLeod, Director, Bureau of Com-

petition, FTC; Clarine Nardi Riddle, Acting Attorney General, State of Connecticut; William Webster, Attorney General, State of Missouri; and public witnesses.

CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS SANCTIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: On July 27, the Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved for full Committee action H.R. 3033, Chemical and Biological Warfare Elimination Act.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Mismanagement and Abuse of HUD housing programs. Testimony was heard from Joseph Monticciolo, former Director, New York Regional Office, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue July 31.

TREATMENT AND CARE FOR PERSONS WITH HIV INFECTION AND AIDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on the Treatment and Care for Persons with HIV Infection and AIDS. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue August 1.

OVERSIGHT—STATUS OF EXXON ALASKA OIL SPILL CLEANUP

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held an oversight hearing on the status of Exxon Oil Spill Cleanup. Testimony was heard from VAdm. Clyde T. Lusk, Jr., Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Dennis D. Kelso, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation, State of Alaska; and William D. Stevens, President, Exxon Company.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 2138, to amend the Immigration and Naturalization Act with respect to the application of employer sanctions to longshore work; H.R. 45, Central American Studies and Temporary Relief Act of 1989; and H.R. 2929, Chinese Temporary Protection Status Act of 1989.

The Committee also considered private immigration bills.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 598,

amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit smoking on domestic commercial aircraft flights; and H.R. 3025, to authorize transfers of instrument landing systems to the Federal Aviation Administration.

DEBT LIMIT INCREASE

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for consideration in the House of H.R. 3024, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt. The rule provides 1 hour of debate and waives all points of order against the bill and against its consideration. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rostenkowski and Representative Archer.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3042, to authorize appropriations to the Secretary of Commerce for the programs of the National Institute of Standards and Technology for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

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Monday, July 31, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nineteen bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1431-1449, S. Res. 159 and 160, and S.J. Res. 184 and 185.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Reported on Friday, July 28, during the recess:

S. 686, to consolidate and improve laws providing compensation and establishing liability for oil spills, with amendments. (S. Rept. 101-94)

Reported today:

S. 110, to revise and extend the programs of assistance under title X of the Public Health Service Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-95)

S. 303, to establish a framework for the conduct of negotiated rulemaking by Federal agencies, with amendments.

S. 1437, relating to defense burdensharing by the NATO allies of the United States.

S. 1438, relating to Japan's contributions to security.

S. 1439, relating to the security relationship between the United States and the Republic of Korea.

S. 1440, relating to the reduction of costs associated with overseas dependents of members of the Armed Forces and overseas dependents of civilian employees of the Department of Defense.

S. 1445, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, and for other purposes.

S. 1446, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, and for other purposes.

S. 1447, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for national security programs for fiscal year 1990.

S. 1448, to authorize the end strengths for the Armed Forces for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, to provide for certain matters relating to personnel management, to make certain changes in the pay and allowances and other benefits of members of the uniformed services.

S. 1449, to authorize certain construction at military installations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

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Measures Passed:

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 160, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as amicus curiae in the name of the Senate in *United States ex rel. Taxpayers Against Fraud and James Carton v. Litton Systems, Inc.*, and *United States ex rel. Kreindler v. United Technologies Corporation*.

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Government Health Benefits: Senate passed H.R. 2705, relating to the method by which Government contributions to the Federal employees health benefits program shall be computed for 1990 and 1991 if no Government-wide indemnity benefit plan participates in that year, after striking all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1276, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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S. 1276 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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National Policy on Permanent Papers: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 57, to establish a national policy on permanent papers, and the resolution was then passed.

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Congressional Adjournments: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 179, resolving that the House of Representatives and the Senate shall not adjourn for a period in excess of three days, or adjourn sine die,

until both Houses of Congress have adopted a concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment (in excess of three days) to a day certain or for adjournment sine die.

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National Defense Authorization Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Boschwitz Amendment No. 514, to provide that the Secretary of the Army release to the State of Minnesota the reversionary interest of the United States over certain land, conveyed from the United States to the State of Minnesota in the quitclaim deed dated August 17, 1971, and shall also release the State of Minnesota from all covenants and agreements contained in the said quitclaim deed.

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(2) Dixon (for DeConcini) Amendment No. 448, to provide \$500,000 for the Army National Guard for the construction of an Organizational Maintenance Sub-Shop for the 1404 Transportation Company in Show Low, Arizona.

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(3) Dixon (for Nickles) Amendment No. 515, to authorize the Secretary of the Air Force to acquire a depot operations logistics facility at Tinker Air Force Base, Oklahoma.

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(4) McClure Amendment No. 455, to delete silver from the materials that may be disposed of out of the National Defense Stockpile.

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(5) Dixon (for Domenici) Amendment No. 478, to require a report by the Secretary of Defense on the number of dependents of members of the Armed Forces eligible to receive SSI benefits.

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(6) Simon Amendment No. 451, to require the Secretary of Defense to notify local educational agencies of the schedule for base closures and realignments resulting in substantial increases or decreases in the number of students enrolled in the schools of such agencies.

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(7) Roth Amendment No. 516, to amend section 2344 of title 10, United States Code in order to facilitate acquisition and cross/serving agreements with NATO allies and other countries.

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(8) Murkowski Amendment No. 497, to require certificates of independent price determination in connection with the award of certain Department of Defense contracts for work to be performed by foreign suppliers outside the United States, its possessions, and Puerto Rico.

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(9) Dixon Amendment No. 517, to provide for a service contract to train undergraduate Naval flight officers.

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(10) Bumpers Modified Amendment No. 519, calling on the President to submit a report on or before April 1, 1990 on the Trident program and START.

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(11) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 149), Mitchell/Dole Amendment No. 524, expressing the sense of the Senate's outrage by the kidnapping and reports of execution of Lt. Col. William R. Higgins, and condemns such actions.

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(12) By 94 yeas to 5 nays (Vote No. 151), Kennedy Amendment No. 518, to provide military families with child care services.

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(13) Glenn Amendment No. 525, to require reports on the Missile Technology Control Regime and on controlling the transfer of certain weapons.

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(14) Bingaman Amendment No. 526, to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 to create a new mission for the Department of Energy's Defense programs complex.

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(15) Heflin Amendment No. 465, to express the sense of Congress with respect to accidental launch of a strategic ballistic missile against the United States.

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(16) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 530, to provide for the employment of additional auditors at the Defense Contract Audit Agency.

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(17) Biden Amendment No. 509, calling for a report regarding the feasibility of conveying to the State of Delaware a parcel of property known as Fort Meade Recreation Area.

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(18) Domenici Amendment No. 531, to require that research on laser weapon verification be carried out by laboratories that meet certain criteria.

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(19) Dixon Amendment No. 532, to specify procedures for Department of Defense acquisitions of products offered by Federal Prison Industries.

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(20) Levin Amendment No. 534, to ensure substantially stronger contractor guarantees for B-2 aircraft for fiscal year 1989, and thereafter.

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Rejected:

(1) Kennedy Amendment No. 471, to prohibit the use of funds for preparation of the construction site of the Special Isotope Separation Plant, Idaho Fall, Idaho. (By 50 yeas to 49 nays (Vote No. 150), Senate tabled the amendment.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Wednesday, August 2.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, August 1.

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Veto Message on the FSX Resolution—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the President's veto message on S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles, and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Constance Bastine Harriman, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior.

Timothy B. Atkeson, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

William Braniff, of California, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of California.

John F. Turner, of Wyoming, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Michael R. Deland, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council on Environmental Quality.

J. Clarence Davies, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

3 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

11 Army nominations in the rank of general.

4 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

3 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Pamela Talkin, of California, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

Stephen J. Markman, of Michigan, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Captain.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Navy.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Veto Message on S.J. Res. 113, FSX Codevelopment Project, which was held at the desk. (PM-57)

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Executive Reports of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty Concerning the Cayman Islands. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-8)

Mutual Legal Assistance Cooperation Treaty with Mexico. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-9)

Treaty with Canada on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters (Ex. Rept. No. 101-10)

Treaty with Belgium on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-11)

Treaty with The Bahamas on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-12)

Treaty with Thailand on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters. (Ex. Rept. No. 101-13)

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Appointment:

National Summit Conference on Education: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 98-524, announced the appointment of Dr. Howard Swearer, of Rhode Island, to the Executive Committee of the National Summit Conference on Education.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Executive Reports of Committees:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—151)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 9:02 p.m., until 8:45 a.m., on Tuesday, August 1, 1989.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Michael P.W. Stone, of California, to be Secretary of the Army, and John W. Shannon, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Army, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Stone was introduced by Senator Wilson, and Mr. Shannon was introduced by Representative Bentley.

COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs concluded oversight hearings on the enforcement of the Community Reinvestment Act, after receiving testimony from Griffith L. Garwood, Director of Consumer and Community Affairs, Federal Reserve Board; Jerauld C. Kluckman, Director of Compliance Programs, Policy Division of the Office of Regulatory Affairs, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; John H. McDowell, Director of Consumer Activities, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and Janice M. Smith, Director of Office of Consumer Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Janet D. Steiger, of the District of Columbia, and Deborah Kaye Owen, of Maryland, each to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, John A. Knauss, of Rhode Island, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere, and Alfred C. Sikes, of Missouri, Sherrie P. Marshall, of North Carolina, and Andrew C. Barrett, of Illinois, each to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission. Ms. Steiger was introduced by Senators Kasten and Kohl, Ms. Owen was introduced by Senator Thurmond, Mr. Knauss was introduced by Senators Pell and Chafee, Mr. Sikes was introduced by Senators Bond and Danforth, Ms. Marshall was introduced by Senators Helms and Sanford, and Mr. Barrett was introduced by Senator Simon. Testimony was also received on the nominations of Messrs. Sikes and Barrett and Ms. Marshall from E. Ray Moore, Jr., Palmetto Family Caucus, Columbia, South Carolina; Peggy Coleman, American Family

Association, Tupelo, Mississippi; and E.E. McAteer, Religious Roundtable, Memphis, Tennessee.

OIL SHALE MINING CLAIMS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Mineral Resources Development and Production concluded hearings on S. 30 and H.R. 2392, bills to prohibit the issuance of certain oil shale mining claim patents, and to require the remaining claim holders to elect to convert the claim to a lease under modified provisions of the Mineral Leasing Act or to maintain the claim pursuant to certain requirements, after receiving testimony from Senator Armstrong; James M. Hughes, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Land and Minerals Management; Ronald W. Cattany, Colorado Department of Natural Resources, Denver; David Alberswerth and Kathleen C. Zimmerman, both of the National Wildlife Federation, John A. Davis, Jr., Marathon Oil Company, and John S. White, Patton, Boggs and Blow, all of Washington, D.C.; and Marshall T. Savage, Rifle, Colorado.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Richard A. Clarke, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs, Edward J. Perkins, of Oregon, to be Director General of the Foreign Service, Department of State, Eugene P. Kopp, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Information Agency, Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director of the U.S. Information Agency, and Sheldon J. Kryz, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Diplomatic Security, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

FEDERAL DRUG POLICY FOR WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings on federal drug policy, focusing on drug prevention, intervention and treatment services for women, infants and children, receiving testimony from Mary Sheila Gall, Assistant Secretary for Human Development Services, and Elaine M. Johnson, Director, Office for Substance Abuse Prevention, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; G. Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, Department of Agriculture; C. Peter Brock, Director, Alcoholism and Mental Health Programs, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs; James N. Forsberg, Director of the Small Cities Division, Office of Block Grant Assistance in Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development;

District of Columbia Commissioner of Public Health Reed V. Tuckson, Washington, D.C.; Gregory L. Coler, Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, Tallahassee, on behalf of the American Public Welfare Association; Howard Fuller, Milwaukee County Department of Health and Human Services, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Elaina M. Wilcox and Teresa Hagan, both on behalf of the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Sherry Agnos, Phoenix Project, San Francisco, California; Minnie Thomas and Dawn Horrell, both on behalf of the Mandella House, Oakland, California; and Ira J. Chasnoff, Northwestern University Medical School, Evanston, Illinois, on behalf of the National Association for Perinatal Addiction Research and Education.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Herbert D. Kleber, of Connecticut, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Lieberman, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee resumed evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony, in closed session, from Kendall Schull, Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Jimmy Harmon, Walterboro, South Carolina, former Special Agent, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury; and in open session, from Charles T. Duncan, Washington, D.C.; Simon Stephen Selig III, Atlanta, Georgia; Kenneth Michael Robinson, Ft. Washington, Maryland; Andrew Chisolm, Columbia, South Carolina; and Martin R. Raskin, Miami, Florida.

Also, committee received into evidence prior testimony of numerous public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 3053-3060; 3 private bills, H.R. 3061-3063; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 380 and 381, H. Con. Res. 179 and 180, and H. Res. 220 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3025, to authorize transfers of instrument landing systems to the Federal Aviation Administration (H. Rept. 101-199); and

H.R. 2158, to provide better maritime safety for Prince William Sound, Alaska, amended (H. Rept. 101-200).

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Omnibus Drug Initiative: House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1426, to amend the Public Health Service Act to make technical corrections relating to subtitles A and G of title II of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988—clearing the measure for the President.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Veterans appeals judges: H.R. 2727, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals;

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Veterans recruitment: H.R. 2486, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans' readjustment appointments authorized by such title;

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Helsinki human rights: S.J. Res. 150, to designate August 1, 1989, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day"—clearing the measure for the President;

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Treatment of Turkish minority: H. Con. Res. 154, amended, condemning the brutal treatment of, and blatant discrimination against, the Turkish minority by the Government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria;

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Minnesota public lands: H.R. 2783, amended, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota;

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Grand Island recreation area: H.R. 1472, amended, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in the State of Michigan;

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Civil aircraft collision avoidance: H.R. 2151, amended, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to establish a schedule for the installation on certain civil aircraft of the collision avoidance system known as TCAS-II;

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Instrument landing systems transfers: H.R. 3025, amended, to authorize transfers of instrument landing systems to the Federal Aviation Administration;

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Administrative naturalization: H.R. 1630, amended, to amend title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for administrative naturalization;

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Chinese immigrant status: H.R. 2712, amended, the Emergency Chinese Adjustment of Status Facilitation Act of 1989. Agreed to amend the title;

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Executive exchange program: H.R. 2847, to extend by 1 year a program under which the Government is allowed to accept the voluntary services of private-sector executives;

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Deceptive mailings prevention: H.R. 2331, amended, the Deceptive Mailings Prevention Act of 1989. Agreed to amend the title;

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Child nutrition: H.R. 24, amended, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such Acts through the fiscal year 1995; and

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Railroad employee drug abuse prevention: H.R. 1208, amended, to amend the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 to provide for drug and alcohol testing for railroad employees. The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, cross references, and to make other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary in the engrossment of the bill.

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Television Violence: House completed all debate on a motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1391, amended, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain activities relating to alleviating the negative impact of violence in telecast material, on which a vote was postponed until Tuesday, August 1.

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Military Construction Appropriations: By a yeas and nays vote of 382 yeas to 29 nays, Roll No. 189, the House passed H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed to the Whitten amendment that strikes language prohibiting the Army National Guard from transferring any land outside the State of Mississippi in exchange for any land within the State of Mississippi.

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A point of order was sustained against language in the bill that prohibits funds to be obligated or expended to close or realign military installations currently under study by the General Accounting Office unless the GAO determines in that study that the potential cost savings of that realignment or closure over a six year period beginning with the date of closure or realignment completion, exceeds the total estimated cost of the closure or realignment procedure itself.

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H. Res. 215, the rule which waived certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Congressional Adjournment: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 179, waiving the requirement of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1970 for the "August recess" by rollcall by July 31.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 291 ayes to 123 noes, Roll No. 193, the House passed H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed to:

The Lewis of California amendment, as amended by the Fazio amendment, that reduces from 6 to 4 the number of postal patron mailings which a Member may send out per year, while excluding from those mailings notices of appearance and scheduled itineraries (agreed to by a recorded vote of 392 ayes to 10 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 190);

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The Thomas of California amendment that prohibits the use of funds made available for mass mailings in an election year if certain time limits provided for in current law are not adhered to, by using postmarks as a point of reference;

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The Obey amendment that prohibits funds in the bill to be used to establish or maintain an office in the United States Capitol as a personal office of a United States Senator, a member of the House of Representatives, a delegate to the House of Representatives, and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico;

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The Walker amendment that prohibits any department, agency, or instrumentality of the United States that receives funds from this or any other appropriations bill to spend such funds if it does not have a written policy regarding a drug-free workplace; and

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The Penny amendment that reduces the bill's appropriation for official mail from \$134.7 million to \$122.7 million (agreed to by a recorded vote of 405 ayes to 8 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 192).

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Rejected:

The Frenzel amendment that sought to provide for an across-the-board reduction of 6.25 percent of each amount made available in the bill, with exception of the provisions appropriating funds for widows and heirs of deceased Members of Congress, the office of the Chaplain, the office of the Attending Physician, and salaries and expenses relating to books for the blind and physically handicapped (rejected by a recorded vote of 167 ayes to 246 noes, Roll No. 191); and

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The Ray amendment that sought to delete from the bill \$700,000 in funds earmarked for the bulk purchase of one million United States Capitol Historical Society calendars for mass mailing to congressional districts, while retaining an allotment of \$2,000 per Member for purchase of such calendars.

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Subcommittees to Sit: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law; Subcommittee on Crime; Subcommittee on Criminal Justice; and Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit this week during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Committee Resignations: Read a letter from Representative Hoyer wherein he informs the Speaker that he has received a letter from Representative Robinson wherein he resigned from the House Democratic Caucus effective immediately by virtue of a change in his party affiliation, thereby also vacating his committee posts.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 17054, 17077, 17082, 17085, 17086. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 10:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EXPORT ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review the status of the Export Enhancement Program. Testimony was heard from Richard Crowder, Under Secretary, International Affairs and Commodity Pro-

grams, USDA; and Allan Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance, GAO.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD Programs. Testimony was heard from Maurice Barksdale, former Assistant Secretary, Housing; John Knapp, former General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and former Senator William Proxmire of Wisconsin.

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Tuesday, August 1, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17399-17573

Measures Introduced: Sixteen bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1450-1465, and S. Res. 161 and 162.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act (Rept. No. 101-96).

Report to accompany S. 303, to establish a framework for the conduct of negotiated rulemaking by Federal agencies (Rept. No. 101-97).

S. Res. 162, directing the Senate Legal Counsel to bring a Civil Action to enforce subpoena of the Impeachment Trial Committee on the Articles Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings. (S. Rept. No. 101-98)

S. 1461, to enhance the navigation safety of oil tankers. (S. Rept. No. 101-99)

Special Report entitled "Report of the Committee on Rules and Administration Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974" (Rept. No. 101-100).

S. 1390, to authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-101)

S. 1016, to change the name of "Marion Lake", located northwest of Marion, Kansas, to "Marion Reservoir", with an amendment.

S. 1463, to provide for certain Department of Defense personnel management initiatives.

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National Defense Authorizations Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military

functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Dole Amendment No. 543, to reaffirm that service in the National Guard and Reserve is in the highest traditions of military service.

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(2) Dole Amendment No. 544, calling for a Presidential report describing all studies that have been performed by agencies of the United States Government with regard to U.S. capability to monitor and verify a START Treaty which allows mobile ICBMs.

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(3) Dole Amendment No. 545, expressing the sense of the Senate with respect to START talks.

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(4) Nunn Amendment No. 536, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for environmental restoration and the management of defense waste and transportation, to establish and carry out a defense waste cleanup technology program, to provide for the establishment of a blue ribbon task group on environmental restoration and defense waste management, and to modify the Department of Energy nuclear defense mission.

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(5) By 93 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 153), Cohen Modified Amendment No. 472, expressing the sense of the Senate on the procurement of the B-2 aircraft.

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(6) Reid Amendment No. 613 (to Nunn Amendment No. 536), to modify provisions relating to reports on the Department of Energy's national security programs, its five-year budget, and the Blue Ribbon Task Group on environmental restoration and defense waste management.

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(7) McConnell Amendment No. 614, to authorize Federal law enforcement agencies to use appropriate force to compel airborne drug traffickers to comply with instructions to land their aircraft. (By 45 yeas to 55 nays (Vote No. 155), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(8) Glenn Amendment No. 602, to establish alternative personnel management demonstration programs within the Department of Defense.

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(9) Bingaman Amendment No. 615, to modify post-government service employment restrictions.

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(10) By 90 yeas to 9 nays (Vote No. 157), Nunn Amendment No. 621 (to Amendment No. 619), to

provide funding for the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 with unobligated fiscal year 1989 funds.

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(11) Harkin Amendment No. 619, to authorize the transfer of \$450,000,000 of the funds appropriated for the strategic Defense Initiative to carry out the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

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(12) Mitchell Amendment No. 624 (to Amendment No. 574), of a perfecting nature.

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(13) Symms Amendment No. 574, providing that Lt. Col. Oliver L. North be entitled to all military pay, as well as all other rights, privileges, and other benefits to which he would be otherwise entitled but for his conviction under 18 U.S.C.

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(14) Domenici Amendment No. 616, to establish a national program to improve U.S. competitiveness by facilitating cooperative arrangements between the U.S. private sector and the contractor-managers of certain DOE facilities engaged in atomic energy defense activities so as to foster the application of new technologies.

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(15) Harkin Modified Amendment No. 626, to require the Secretaries of the military departments to sell U.S. domestic meat and meat food products in commissary stores in member countries of the EC and to service U.S. domestic meat and meat products in dining facilities of that department in such countries.

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(16) Warner Amendment No. 628, to provide for a feasibility study of land transfer for use as a correctional facility.

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(17) Graham Amendment No. 552, to require a report on the International Military Education and Training Program.

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(18) Graham Amendment No. 579, relating to Federal cooperation with State and local law enforcement efforts to interdict illegal narcotics.

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(19) Warner Amendment No. 629, to require a report on second source for carbonizable rayon yarn for use on reentry vehicles heat shields and rocket nozzles.

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(20) Warner Amendment No. 630, to provide for an environmental impact study of the Shennandoah River.

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(21) Warner Amendment No. 631, to establish a data base for onsite inspection.

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(22) Nunn (for Conrad) Amendment No. 632, to assist defense contractors in meeting minority sub-contracting goals.

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(23) Warner (for Wallop) Amendment No. 633, to require the Secretary of Defense to review and report on the report of the Secretary of Commerce regarding the decontrol of certain computers.

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(24) Nunn (for Pryor/Stevens) Amendment No. 634, to require certain notifications in the case of persons to whom certain conflicts-of-interest laws are inapplicable.

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(25) Nunn (for Bumpers) Amendment No. 635, to request the President to urge the Soviet Union to cease deployment of nuclear reactors in space.

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(26) Nunn (for Bumpers) Amendment No. 636, to require the President to report to Congress on current administrative procedures to ensure that relevant agencies of the Government are informed when a Government contractor is being investigated or has been convicted of fraud.

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(27) Warner (for Symms) Amendment No. 637, to provide a report to identify individuals participating in radiation risk activities not covered by the Atomic Veterans Act (P.L. 100-321).

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(28) Nunn (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 638, to provide for a report on verification procedures for the dismantlement of nuclear warheads and missile material monitoring.

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(29) Wilson Amendment No. 639, to further cooperative efforts in the war against illegal drugs.

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(30) Ford Amendment No. 640, expressing the sense of the Congress that any combat unit of battalion or squadron size is stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky shall not be permanently reassigned to Fort Irwin, California.

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(31) Warner (for Helms) Amendment No. 641, expressing the sense of the Senate that the President should seek a START treaty that would not limit the United States to levels of intercontinental strategic forces inferior to the limits provided for the Soviet Union.

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(32) Nunn (for Gore) Amendment No. 642, to increase authorizations for the Arnold Engineering Development Center.

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(33) Nunn (for Glenn) Amendment No. 643, to require certain reports in connecting with closures of Department of Energy defense nuclear facilities.

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(34) Warner (for Cohen/Levin) Amendment No. 644, to limit the test program for use of simplified procedures in the competitive award of certain contracts established by section 824 of this bill.

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(35) Nunn Amendment No. 527, relating to defense burden-sharing by NATO allies of the United States.

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(36) Nunn Amendment No. 528, relating to Japan's contributions to security.

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(37) Nunn Amendment No. 529, relating to the reduction of costs associated with overseas dependents of members of the Armed Forces and overseas dependents of civilian employees of the Department of Defense.

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(38) Nunn Amendment No. 533, relating to the security relationship between the United States and the Republic of Korea.

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(39) Nunn Amendment No. 645, to require the Department of Defense to utilize certain Small Business Act authority to assist the development of participants in the Minority Small Business and Capital Ownership Development Program.

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Rejected:

(1) Levin Modified Amendment No. 535, to reduce research and development authorizations for the MX rail garrison program and to increase authorizations for certain other programs. (By 62 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 152), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Armstrong Amendment No. 486, to prohibit membership or observer status in, or financing from, certain organizations or the extension of other benefits to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics unless the Government of Cuba ceases to be involved in any way in illegal drug trafficking. (By 73 yeas to 27 nays (Vote No. 154), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Glenn Amendment No. 458, to eliminate the authority of the Secretary of Defense to prescribe rates of pay for certain employment positions. (By 69 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 156), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

(1) Glenn Amendment No. 459, to modify post-government service employment restrictions.

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(2) McCain Amendment No. 627 (to Amendment No. 626), to provide that the provisions of proposed Amendment No. 626 shall be effective during fiscal years in which funds have been appropriated specifically

for the purposes described in the subsection and such appropriations are from those available to agencies or departments other than the Department of Defense.

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Pending:

Bond Amendment No. 646, to provide funds for a limited deployment of an accidental launch protection system, with a vote to occur in relation to the amendment at 10:35 a.m. on Wednesday, August 2.

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A second motion was entered to close further debate on the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Thursday, August 3.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Wednesday, August 2, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the bill to occur at 11:15 a.m., following the establishment of a live quorum.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Paul Matthews Cleveland, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia.

J. Daniel Howard, of Tennessee, to be Under Secretary of the Navy.

Terrence O'Donnell, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense.

Jonathan Moore, of Massachusetts, to be the Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nation, with the rank of Ambassador.

William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989:

William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

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Executive Report of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany the nomination of Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain, (Ex. Rept. No. 101-14).

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Appointment:

Central American Negotiations Observer Group:

The Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to S. Res. 106 (101st Congress), Section 2(a)(2)(b), announced the appointment of the following Senators to the Central American Negotiations Observer Group: Senators McCain, Co-Chairman, Symms, and Mack.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—157).

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Recess: Senate convened at 8:45 a.m., and recessed on Wednesday August 2, at 2:50 a.m., until 10:15 a.m. the same day.

*Committee Meetings***AGRICULTURAL CREDIT ACT**

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit resumed oversight hearings on the Farmers Home Administration implementation of the Agricultural Credit Act (P.L. 100-233), receiving testimony from Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administrator, Mark Boster, Assistant Administrator, Automated Information Services, Jack Hertzler, Assistant Administrator, Farmer Programs, and Pamela M. Dillion, Director, National Appeals Staff, all of the Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS-TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE/EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, General Government approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Dennis Edward Kloske, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration, and C. Austin Fitts, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf, Mr. Fitts was introduced by Senator D'Amato.

MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to review the second report of the Federal Reserve Board on monetary policy, after receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

FHA AND GINNIE MAE AUDITS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings to assess General Accounting Office audits of the Federal Housing Administration and the Government National Mortgage Association of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, Brian Crowley, Acting Assistant Comptroller of the General Accounting and Financial Management Division, and John Ols, Jr., Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, all of the General Accounting Office; and Tom Craren, Price Waterhouse, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Thursday, August 3.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 561, to require mandatory random drug and alcohol testing for transportation employees, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1191, authorizing funds for the Department of Commerce's technology administration program to speed the application of economically strategic technologies, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$305,035,000 for fiscal year 1990);

S. 1249, authorizing funds for the Federal Trade Commission. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$69,580,000 for fiscal year 1990, \$72,780,000 for fiscal year 1991, and \$76,128,000 for fiscal year 1992);

S. 1062, authorizing funds for programs of the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by

the committee, the bill authorizes \$65,100,000 for fiscal year 1990);

H.R. 838, to repeal certain property conveyance restrictions placed upon property transferred to the Peninsula Airport Commission, Newport News, Virginia, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of D. Allan Bromley, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Gilbert E. Carmichael, of Mississippi, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, Rockwell Anthony Schnable, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Travel and Tourism, John A. Knauss, of Rhode Island, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere, Janice Obuchowski, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information, Alfred C. Sikes, of Missouri, Sherrie Patrice Marshall, of North Carolina, and Andrew Camp Barrett, of Illinois, each to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission, Janet Dempsey Steiger, of the District of Columbia, and Deborah Kaye Owen, of Maryland, each to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, Paul A. Welling and Walter T. Leland, both of the U.S. Coast Guard, both for appointment to the grade of rear admiral (upper half), and a routine list of U.S. Coast Guard nominations.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed consideration of S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, August 2.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 1045, to establish a national environmental policy on the participation of the United States in international financing, with an amendment; and

S. 1089, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1993 for the Office of Environmental Quality, with an amendment.

GROUND WATER CONTAMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean, and Water Protection held hearings on the seriousness and extent of ground water contamination, receiving testimony from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Water, Environmental Protection Agency; John N. Fischer, Acting Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Robert Long,

Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Science and Education; Eric Olson, National Wildlife Federation, and Roger Strelow, National Environmental Development Association, both of Washington, DC; Jeannie Jenkins, New Jersey Public Interest Research Group, Trenton; and Linda Bruemmer, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, St. Paul.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Representative of the U.S. to the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, Milton James Wilkinson, of New Hampshire, to be Deputy Representative of the U.S. in the Security Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, Morris Dempson Busby, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as Coordinator for Counter Terrorism, Arthur W. Fort, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Administration, Raymond Charles Ewing, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana, William Lacy Swing, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of South Africa, and Howard K. Walker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Madagascar and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Federal and Islamic Republic of the Comoros, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

HIGH-DEFINITION TV

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to examine prospects for the development of a U.S. high-definition television industry, after receiving testimony from Robert D. Reischauer, Director, W. David Montgomery, Assistant Director, Natural Resources and Commerce Division, and Philip C. Webre, Principal Analyst, Natural Resources and Commerce Division, all of the Congressional Budget Office; Juan Benitez, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Electronics; Craig I. Fields, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Tom Long, Tektronix, Inc., and Pat Hill Hubbard, Washington, DC, both on behalf of the American Electronics Association; Peter McCloskey, Electronic Industries Association, Washington, DC; James Tietjen, David Sarnoff Research Center, Princeton, New Jersey; and Richard Solomon, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Richard B. Stewart,

of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Also, committee failed to approve for reporting the nomination of William Lucas, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

DESECRATION OF U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on S. 1338, S.J. Res. 179, and S.J. Res. 180, measures to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States, receiving testimony from Senator Thurmond; William P. Barr, Assistant Attorney General, office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; former Senator Charles McC. Mathias, Jr., and Erwin N. Griswold, both of Jones, Day, Reavis and Pogue, Charles J. Cooper, McGuire, Woods, Battle and Boothe, and Robert H. Bork, American Enterprise Institute, all of Washington, DC, Laurence H. Tribe, Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Geoffrey R. Stone, University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Family, Drugs, and Alcoholism approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 1426, authorizing funds for programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973;

S. 1454, authorizing funds for programs of the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986; and

S. 1455, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse as contained in Public Law 98-473 (Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1985) to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 162), to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to bring a civil action to enforce the committee's subpoena to William A. Borders, Jr.

Also, committee resumed evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Alcee L. Hastings, Judge of the Southern District Court of Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 3064-3072; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 382-383, H. Con. Res. 181-182, and H. Res. 221 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 569; H.R. 756; and H.R. 2107, all private bills (H. Repts. 101-201 through 101-203, respectively);

H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 101-204);

H.R. 2065, to provide for studies and planning activities for improvement of tropical forest management, including forest management of insular areas and jurisdiction and public lands of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 101-205);

H. Res. 221, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-206);

H.R. 2364, to amend the Rail Passenger Service Act to authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, amended (H. Rept. 101-207);

H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Report 101-208); and

Conference Report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies (H. Rept. 101-209).

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Water Resources of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit on Thursday, August 3, during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Party Resignation: Read a letter to the Speaker from Representative Robinson wherein he resigns as a member of the Democratic party; and resigns from all democratic caucus appointed positions and committee assignments. Subsequently, also accepted

his resignation from the Select Committee on Aging.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Commerce, State and Justice Appropriations: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 258 yeas to 165 nays, Roll No. 197, the House passed H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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A point of order was sustained against the Ridge motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the bill back forthwith containing an amendment to prohibit the use of appropriated funds for the census where it is known to the Secretary of Commerce that such data includes a count of illegal aliens. Agreed to the Gephardt motion to table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 249 yeas to 172 nays, Roll No. 196.

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Rejected the Smith of Iowa motion for the Committee of the Whole to rise and report the bill back to the House (rejected by a recorded vote of 197 ayes to 227 noes, Roll No. 194).

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A point of order was sustained against the Ridge amendment that sought to restrict the use of appropriated funds to enumerate undocumented aliens in the 1990 decennial census. Agreed to sustain the ruling of the Chair by a recorded vote of 228 ayes to 134 noes, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 195.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Television Violence: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 399 yeas to 18 nays, Roll No. 198, the House agreed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1391, amended, to exempt from the antitrust laws certain activities relating to alleviating the negative impact of violence in telecast material. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 593, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill. This bill was debated on Monday, July 31.

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Debt Limit Increase: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 231 yeas to 185 nays, Roll No. 200, the House passed H.R. 3024, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt.

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H. Res. 217, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote. Agreed to order the previous question by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 228 yeas to 193 nays, Roll No. 199.

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Committee Funding: House agreed to H. Res. 201, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on the Judiciary in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress; and

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H. Res. 208, providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for further expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the first session of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Capitol Police Upgrade: House agreed to H. Res. 212, providing for upgrading of one position and establishment of six additional positions on the Capitol Police for duty with respect to the House of Representatives.

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Capitol Recycling Program: House agreed to H. Res. 104, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the House of Representatives.

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Government Health Benefits: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2705, relating to the method by which Government contributions to the Federal employees health benefits program shall be computed for 1990 or 1991 if no Government-wide indemnity benefit plan participates in that year—clearing the measure for the President.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five ye-a-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 17154, 17156, 17159, 17160, 17161, 17166, 17168. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9:00 a.m. and adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of

Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

U.S. MINT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage held a hearing on H.R. 2931, Mint Budget Authorization. Testimony was heard from Donna Pope, Director of the Mint, Department of the Treasury; and Jeffrey Steinhoff, Director, Financial Management Systems Issues, Accounting and Financial Management, Division, GAO.

RESCHEDULING SOUTH AFRICA'S DEBT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on rescheduling South Africa's Debt. Testimony was heard from R. Richard Newcomb, Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

FASTENER QUALITY ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported H.R. 3000, Fastener Quality Act.

CUBA AND THE U.S.

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on Cuba and the United States: Thirty Years of Hostility and Beyond (Part I). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TREATMENT AND CARE FOR PERSONS WITH HIV INFECTION AND AIDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations concluded hearings on the treatment and care for persons with HIV Infection and AIDS. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. James O. Mason, Assistant Secretary, Health; Dr. Samuel C. Matheny, Association Administrator for AIDS; and Dr. Edward D. Martin, Director, Bureau of Health Care Delivery and Assistance, both with the Health Resources and Services Administration; Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, NIH; Dr. Frank Young, Commissioner; and Dr. Ellen E. Cooper, Director, Division of Antiviral Drug Products, Office of Drug Evaluation, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, both with the FDA; and Elmer Smith, Director, Office of Eligibility Policy, Bureau of Policy Development, Health Care Financing Administration; and a public witness.

REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on the reauthorization of the Paperwork Reduction Act and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at OMB. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bates, Owens of New York and Hastert; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SOUTHEAST INTERSTATE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT COMPACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment approved for full Committee action H.R. 2642, granting consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Energy and Power of the Committee on Energy and Power held a joint hearing on H.R. 2642. Testimony was heard from Representative McMillan; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee amended the following bills:

H.R. 1606, to adjust the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park; and H.R. 644, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the East Fork of the Jemez and Pecos Rivers in New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers system.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 1606 and S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia. Testimony was heard from Representatives Staggers and Brown of Colorado; the following officials of the National Park Services, Department of the Interior: Denis Galvin, Associate Director; and James Thompson, Superintendent, Rocky Mountain National Park; and a public witness.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held an oversight hearings on the AT&T Consent Decree. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPROVING THE OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF LANDS ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal and Outer Continental Shelf held a hearing on proposals for improving the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Panetta, Atkins, Regula and Young of Alaska; Jim Hughes, Land and Mineral Management Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

CENSUS EQUITY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held a hearing on H.R. 2661, Census Equity Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edwards of California; Bustamante and Valentine.

OIL POLLUTION PREVENTION, RESPONSE, LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT; RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Water Resources approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 3027, amended, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability and Compensation Act of 1989; and 10 water resources survey resolutions.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clauses 2 and 6 of Rule XXI against specified provisions of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule provides that where points of order are waived against specified provisions of a paragraph, a point of order against any other provision in the paragraph may be made only against that provision and not against the entire paragraph. The rule provides that the text of the amendment in section two of the rule shall be considered as having been adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole and clause 2 of Rule XXI is waived against the amendment. The rule makes in order the amendment printed in the report accompanying this resolution, if offered by Representative Bonior, or his designee. Clause 2 of Rule XXI and clause 7 of Rule XVI are waived against the amendment. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lehman of Florida, Carr, Durbin, Synar, Atkins, Bennett, Anderson, Oberstar, Glickman, Kostmayer, Tauzin, Carper, Jones of North Carolina, Rose, Coughlin, Hammer-schmidt, Young of Florida, Davis, Saxton, and Shaw.

SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on H.R. 2971, to amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to encourage investments in minority small businesses. Testimony was heard from Susan S. Engleleiter, Administrator, SBA; and public witnesses.

WASTE MINIMIZATION

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Environment and Labor held a hearing on waste minimization. Testimony was heard from Cliff Downen, Office of Congressional Relations, SBA; John Gibbons, Director, OTA; Jerry Kotas, Director, Pollution Prevention Office, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, EPA; and public witnesses.

STEEL IMPORT STABILIZATION EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade concluded hearings on H.R. 904, Steel Import Stabilization Extension Act. Testimony was heard from Carla A. Hills, U.S. Trade Representative; and Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce.

DRUG UTILIZATION REVIEW UNDER MEDICARE

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Human Services held a hearing on Drug Utilization Review Under Medicare: Is HCFA Following Congressional Intent? Testimony was heard from Carl E. Wesler, Director, Program and Evaluation, GAO; Capt. Paul Tibbits, USN, Director, Health System Evaluation Office, Department of Defense; Barbara Gagel, Director, Bureau of Program Operations, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL HEROIN PRODUCTION

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on International Heroin Production. Testimony was heard from Melvin Levitsky, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator, DEA, Department of Justice; and Thomas H. Reese III, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Asia and Near East, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

Joint Meeting

MIDYEAR ECONOMIC REVIEW

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings on the economic outlook at midyear, after receiving testimony from Robert D. Reishauer, Director, Congressional Budget Office.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.
The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through July 31, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	80	92	..
Time in session	498 hrs., 36'	403 hrs., 32'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	9177	4640	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	2757	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	32	34	66
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	6	..
Measures passed, total	276	289	565
Senate bills.....	31	7	..
House bills.....	29	107	..
Senate joint resolutions	73	26	..
House joint resolutions	20	26	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	20	16	..
House concurrent resolutions..	11	16	..
Simple resolutions	92	91	..
Measures reported, total.....	*199	*183	382
Senate bills.....	86	..	..
House bills.....	12	139	..
Senate joint resolutions	57	1	..
House joint resolutions	3	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	7	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions	34	39	..
Special reports.....	10	13	..
Conference reports.....	..	4	..
Measures pending on calendar	67	44	..
Measures introduced, total	1,852	3,844	5,696
Bills	1,449	3,063	..
Joint resolutions	185	381	..
Concurrent resolutions	58	180	..
Simple resolutions	160	220	..
Quorum calls.....	4	10	..
Yea-and-nay votes	151	86	..
Recorded votes .....	..	97	..
Bills vetoed	1	1	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 95 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 200 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3, 1989, through July 31, 1989

Civilian nominations totaling 372, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	173
Unconfirmed.....	177
Withdrawn.....	21
Rejected.....	1

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 2,192 disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	1,816
Unconfirmed.....	376

Air Force nominations, totaling 9,209, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	9,185
Unconfirmed.....	24

Army nominations, totaling 13,640, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	12,868
Unconfirmed.....	772

Navy nominations, totaling 11,099, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	10,533
Unconfirmed.....	566

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,211, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,211
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Summary

Total nominations received this session.....	38,723
Total confirmed	36,786
Total unconfirmed.....	1,915
Total withdrawn.....	21
Total rejected.....	1

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1465-1484, S. Res. 163, and S. Con. Res. 59.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act (Rept. No. 101-102).

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Measures Passed:

New Mexico Historic Military Forts: Senate passed S. 560, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of certain historic forts in the State of New Mexico, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Contributions to National Wilderness System: Senate passed S. 818, to authorize a study on methods to pay tribute to the late Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico for his significant contribution to the establishment of a national wilderness system, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Commemorating Route 66: Senate passed S. 963, to authorize a study on methods to commemorate the nationally significant highway known as Route 66, after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 59, to correct the enrollment of S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia.

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World War II Remembrance Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 221, to designate the week beginning September 1, 1989, as "World War II Remembrance Week," and the resolution was then passed.

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Planting of Alternative Farm Crops: Senate passed H.R. 2799, to amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 for the 1990 crops to allow the planting of alternative crops on permitted acreage and to amend

the provisions regarding the designation of farm acreage base as acreage base established for oats.

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Rural Partnership Act: Senate passed S. 1036, to improve the economic, community, and educational well-being of rural America, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Leahy Amendment No. 659, to further improve the economic, community, and educational well-being of rural America.

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(2) Bumpers Amendment No. 660, relating to development services in rural service areas, and to coordinate the activities of the Extension Service rural economic and business development program with the Small Business Administration.

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(3) Baucus Amendment No. 661, to create a Microbusiness Loan Fund and a Technical Assistance Fund and a program to administer funds from such funds.

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(4) Leahy Amendment No. 662, to increase the pool of entities who are eligible for rural business incubator funds and otherwise clarify provisions relating to contributions to such funds by entities.

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Disaster Drought Assistance: Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2467, entitled the "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act," and the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1429, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Leahy/Lugar Amendment No. 663, to modify the disaster payment provisions.

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(2) Leahy (for Domenici) Amendment No. 664, expressing the sense of the Congress that the Secretary of Agriculture and the United States Trade Representative should investigate recent actions by the Government of Mexico which prohibit free trade of livestock between the United States and the Republic of Mexico and work to eliminate these trade barriers.

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(3) Leahy Amendment No. 665, to clarify the application of certain provisions to areas threatened with sudden and severe economic dislocations.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Leahy, Pryor, Boren, Heflin, Harkin, Lugar, Dole, Helms, and Cochran.

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S. 1429, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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National Defense Authorizations Act: By 95 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. 161), Senate passed S. 1352, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Specter Amendment No. 597, to require a report on efforts to locate and obtain the release of American hostages in Lebanon.

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(2) Glenn Amendment No. 580, to express the sense of the Congress on Presidential support for continued development of the V-22 Osprey program.

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(3) Heinz Modified Amendment No. 446, to express the sense of Congress that the Department of Defense should not enter into contracts with persons of countries that deny adequate and effective protection of intellectual property rights.

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(4) Nunn Amendment No. 537, to make changes in the funding requirements and limitations provided in the case of certain programs.

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(5) Coats (for Domenici) Amendment No. 476, to provide funds for the Army to continue in Megne-toencephalography (MEG) and neuromagnetism research program.

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(6) Lott Amendment No. 595, to extend by one year the Military Service Academies requirements for active duty service. (By 45 yeas to 55 nays (Vote No. 160), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(7) Levin Modified Amendment No. 622 (to Amendment No. 647), to clarify the capability of the National Guard to assist in local law enforcement activities.

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(8) Nunn Amendment No. 647 (to Amendment No. 589), to authorize \$450,000,000 for carrying out drug interdiction and law enforcement support activities.

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(9) Nunn Modified Amendment No. 589, to authorize \$600,000,000 for carrying out drug interdiction and law enforcement support activities.

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(10) Mack Amendment No. 657, relating to tug and towing services at Port Canaveral, Florida.

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(11) Nunn Amendment No. 658, of a technical nature.

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Rejected:

(1) Bond Amendment No. 646, to provide funds for a limited deployment of an accidental launch protection system. (By 53 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 158), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Boschwitz Amendment No. 653, to terminate Congressional reporting requirements for the Department of Defense. (The amendment was ruled out of order.)

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Withdrawn:

(1) Boschwitz Amendment No. 428, to reduce the number of reports which the Department of Defense is required to submit to the Congress.

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(2) Wilson Amendment No. 556, to provide a one-year deadline within which the Department of Defense shall execute agreements with affected states and with Environmental Protection Agency for the clean-up of Federal facilities proposed for listing on the National Priorities List.

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(3) Stevens Amendment No. 521, to prohibit the use of funds to prepare, propose, or implement any United States foreign military sales to Taiwan.

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By 84 yeas and 13 nays (Vote No. 159), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on the bill.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate receives from the House H.R. 2461, House companion measure, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of S. 1352, as amended, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the bill be deemed to have been passed, that the Senate insist on its amendments and request a

conference with the House thereon, and the Chair be authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate.

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Department of Defense Authorizations: Senate passed S. 1446, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, Division A of S. 1352, National Defense Authorization Act, as amended.

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Military Construction Authorizations Act: Senate passed S. 1449, to authorize certain construction at military installations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, Division B of S. 1352, National Defense Authorization Act, as amended.

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Department of Energy and National Security Programs Authorizations Act: Senate passed S. 1447, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for national security programs for fiscal year 1990, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, Division C of S. 1352, National Defense Authorization Act, as amended.

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Department of Defense Authorizations—Military Personnel Compensation/Benefits: Senate passed S. 1448, to authorize the end strengths for the Armed Forces for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, to provide for certain matters relating to personnel management, and to make certain changes in the pay and allowances and other benefits of members of the uniformed services, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, Titles IV, V, and VI of S. 1352, National Defense Authorization Act, as amended.

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Department of Defense Authorizations—Personnel Management Initiatives: Senate passed S. 1463, to provide for certain Department of Defense personnel management initiatives, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, Title VIII, Part C of S. 1352, National Defense Authorization Act, as amended.

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Marion Reservoir: Senate passed S. 1016, to change the name of "Marion Lake", located northwest of Marion, Kansas, to "Marion Reservoir".

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Veterans' Agent Orange Exposure and Service Benefits Act: Senate began consideration of S. 1153, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of presumptions of serv-

ice-connection between certain diseases experienced by veterans who served in Vietnam during the Vietnam era and exposure to certain toxic herbicide agents used in Vietnam; to provide for interim benefits for veterans of such service who have certain diseases; and to improve the reporting requirements relating to the "Ranch Hand Study," agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Pending:

Murkowski motion to table the bill, with a vote to occur thereon at 11:00 a.m., on Thursday, August 3.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Keith Lapham Brown, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to Denmark.

C. Austin Fitts, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Shirley Temple Black, of California, to be Ambassador to the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic.

William H. Taft IV, of Virginia, to be the United States Permanent Representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with the rank and status of Ambassador.

Thomas Patrick Melady, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Holy See.

Joseph Bernard Gildenhorn, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Switzerland.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

James Richard Cheek, of Arkansas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sudan.

Ronald J. Sorini, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the United States Negotiator on Textile Matters.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the first biennial revisions (1990-91) to the U.S. Arctic Research Plan. (PM-58)

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports on Wednesday, August 30, 1989, from 12 noon to 3 p.m., during the recess of the Senate.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Placed on Calendar:

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Additional Statements:	Page 18020
Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—161)	

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today.
(Total—5)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:15 a.m., and recessed at 9:44 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, August 3, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 18085).

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Dennis Edward Kloske, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration, and C. Austin Fitts, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

HUD MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed hearings on the Department of Housing and Urban Development Inspector General's report on mismanagement in the moderate rehabilitation program, receiving testimony from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, John Greer, Deputy Assistant Inspector General for Audit, both of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; John M. Ols, Jr., Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; Morton J. Schussheim, Senior Specialist in Housing, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Donald Turner, BRIDGE Housing Corporation, San Francisco, California; and Judy Truitt, Jacksonville, Florida.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POLITICAL BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings on S. 1009, S. 743, and S. 744, bills relating to the purchase of broadcasting time by candidates for public office, after receiving testimony from Senator McConnell; Catherine Farrell, Farrell Media, Inc., and Leavitt J. Pope, WPIX, Inc., both of New

York, New York; and Jan Crawford, Jan Crawford and Associates, Inc., Washington, D.C.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, with amendments;

S. 558, to authorize a study on methods to protect and interpret the internationally significant Lechuguilla Cave at Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 855, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish a cave research institute at Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 940, to designate segments of the East Fork of the Jemez River and of the Pecos River in New Mexico, as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 635, to prevent the unintended licensing of federally non-jurisdictional pre-1935 unlicensed hydroelectric projects, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York, with amendments;

H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri; and

H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.

LOUISIANA WETLANDS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded hearings on S. 630, to conserve, protect, and restore the coastal wetlands of the State of Louisiana, after receiving testimony from Robert W. Page, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works); Rebecca W. Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Water, Environmental Protection Agency; Maryanne Bach, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish, Wildlife, and Parks; David M. Soileau, Office of the Governor of Louisiana, Virginia Van Sickle, Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, G. Paul Kemp, Coalition to Restore Coastal Louisiana, and Martin Cancienne, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation, all of the Baton Rouge; Bob Hayes, Bogle and Gates, on behalf of the Coastal Conservation Association, and Ed Osann, National Wildlife Federation, both of Washington, DC; James T.B. Tripp,

Environmental Defense Fund, New York, New York; H. Leighton Steward, Louisiana Land and Exploration Company, New Orleans, on behalf of the Louisiana Land Owners Association; and Vernon Behrhorst, Gulf Intracoastal Canal Association, Austin, Texas.

TREATY ON DRUG TRAFFICKING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the United Nations Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Treaty Doc. 101-4), after receiving testimony from Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States; Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters; Mary V. Mochary, Principal Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State; and M. Cherif Bassiouni, DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Raymond G.H. Seitz, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs, Loret Miller Ruppe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway, Michael G. Sotirhos, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Greece, and Richard Anthony Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Ireland, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Ruppe was introduced by Senator Levin and Representative Broomfield, Mr. Sotirhos was introduced by Senator D'Amato, and Mr. Moore was introduced by Senator Moynihan.

RADIATION HEALTH EFFECTS AT DOE SITES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to review the Department of Energy radiation health effects research program, and the risk of exposure to radiation at certain DOE facilities, receiving testimony from Senator Wirth; James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy; Margaret Seminario, Associate Director, Department of Occupational Safety, Health and Social Security, AFL-CIO, Washington, DC; Bob Wages, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers, Denver, Colorado; Mike Davidson, United Steel Workers of America, Rocky Flats, Colorado; David Day, Atomic Trade and Labor Council, and Jesse Abney, International Chemical Workers Union, both of Fernald, Ohio; Alice M. Stewart, University of Birmingham, and Edward Radford, former chairman of the National Academy of Sciences, both of the United Kingdom; John Till, Hanford Dose Reconstruction Study, Neeses, South Carolina; Anthony Robbins, Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts, on behalf of the Physicians for Social Responsibility.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1430, to enhance national and community service, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1426, authorizing funds for programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1454, authorizing funds for programs of the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986;

S. 1455, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse as contained in Public Law 98-473 (Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1985) to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act;

S. 1182, to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate; and

The nominations of Michele Easton, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Education for Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs, and Herbert D. Kleber, of Connecticut, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Also, committee ordered reported, without recommendation, H.R. 1312 (House companion bill to S. 1426, listed above), H.R. 2088 (House companion bill to S. 1454, listed above), and H.R. 2087 (House companion bill to S. 1455, listed above).

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Alcee L. Hastings, Judge of the Southern District Court of Florida.

Hearings continue on tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 3073-3095; 1 private bill, H.R. 3096; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res.

384, H. Con. Res. 183–185, and H. Res. 223 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 222, waiving certain points of order against the conference report on H.R. 1278 and against consideration of such conference report;

H.R. 3000, to require that certain fasteners sold in commerce conform to the specifications to which they are represented to be manufactured, to provide for accreditation of laboratories engaged in fastener testing, to require inspection, testing, and certification, in accordance with standardized methods, of fasteners used in critical applications to increase fastener quality and reduce the danger of fastener failure (H. Rept. 101–211); and

H.R. 598, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit smoking on domestic commercial aircraft flights, amended (H. Rept. 101–212).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 300 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 201, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, August 1.

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Labor, HHS, and Education Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 365 yeas to 58 noes, Roll No. 203, the House passed H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed to the Shaw amendment that expresses the sense of the Congress that colleges and universities should demand drug-free campuses, and enforce strict but fair policies to eliminate drug use by students.

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Agreed to the Natcher motion to rise and report the bill back to the House with an amendment (agreed to by a recorded vote of 279 yeas to 134 noes, Roll No. 202).

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A point of order was sustained against language prohibiting the reduction of funds in accordance with existing law.

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Committee to Sit: Committee on Agriculture received permission to sit today during the proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Transportation Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 259 yeas to 169 nays, Roll No. 204, the House agreed to H. Res. 221, waiving certain points of order against the consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Trans-

portation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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D.C. Appropriations: House completed consideration and ordered the previous question on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. Vote on final passage will occur on Thursday, August 3.

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Agreed to order the previous question by a yeas-and-nay vote of 251 yeas to 169 nays, Roll No. 207.

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Agreed to the Dixon motion that the Committee of the Whole rise and report the bill back to the House (agreed to by a recorded vote of 212 yeas to 207 noes, Roll No. 206).

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Rejected the Dornan of California amendment that sought to prohibit the use of any District of Columbia funds to provide abortions (rejected by a recorded vote of 206 yeas to 219 noes, Roll No. 205).

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Points of order were sustained against the following amendments:

The Gonzalez amendment to the Dornan of California amendment that sought to provide a stipend to each woman who is unable to obtain an abortion under the provisions of said amendment; and

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The Smith of Mississippi amendment that sought to restrict the use of appropriated funds beyond September 30, 1990 if laws of the District of Columbia did not provide disclosure of arrests records by the Metropolitan Police Department to the FBI.

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The Burton amendment was offered, but subsequently withdrawn that sought to express the sense of the Congress that in order to bring about improvements in the government of the Nation's Capital, the District of Columbia should examine its form of government and improve public health, safety and education.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeas-and-nay votes and five recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 18087, 18126, 18127, 18153, 18182, 18185, 18186, 18187. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 11:00 p.m. and, by a recorded vote of 266 ayes to 149 noes, Roll No. 208, adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES IMPROVEMENT ACT; WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2869, Commodity Futures Improvement Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved the Whites Creek, Mississippi Watershed Project.

TRANSFER OF NO NET COST FUNDS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco and Peanuts held a hearing to review the USDA's transfer of No Net Cost funds collected pursuant to the Budget Deficit Reduction Act. Testimony was heard from Keith Bjerke, Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

NAVAL WAR COLLEGE

Committee on Armed Services: Military Education Panel held a hearing regarding chartering the Naval War College as a degree-granting institution. Testimony was heard from Adm. Ronald Kurth, USN, President, Naval War College, Department of Defense.

NATIONAL AEROSPACE PLAN

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Research and Development and the Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology held a joint hearing on the National Aerospace Plan. Testimony was heard from Adm. Richard H. Truly, Administrator, NASA; Donald B. Rice, Secretary of the Air Force; and Henry R. Finley, Director, Air Force Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO.

MONETARY POLICY AND THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on Monetary Policy and the State of the Economy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 1675, Educational Excellence

Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Lauro F. Cavazos, Secretary of Education.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety concluded oversight hearings to review extent to which exposure to fumes from diesel engines in closed work places are affecting the health and safety of workers. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: Alan C. McMillan, Acting Assistant Secretary, Occupational Safety and Health Administration; and David C. O'Neil, Assistant Secretary, Mine Safety and Health Administration.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on the Corporate Voting System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SALE OF THE F16 TO PAKISTAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held a joint hearing on the sale of the F16 to Pakistan. Testimony was heard from Representative Weiss; Tere-sita Schaffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asia, Department of State; and Arthur Hughes, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asia, Department of Defense.

INTERNATIONAL HUNGER ALLEVIATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 91, expressing the sense of the Congress with regard to supporting increased donations of commodities for international hunger alleviation purposes through purchases of agricultural commodities from the United States and developing countries financed by the Government of Japan.

JAFFEE CENTER REPORT—MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROCESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on the Jaffee Center Report on the Middle East Peace Process and the Current Situation in the Middle East. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CUBA AND THE U.S.

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs, Subcommittee on Human

Rights and International Organizations and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on Cuba and the United States: Thirty Years of Hostility and Beyond (Part II). Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Michael G. Kozak, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs; and Richard Schifter, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs; and Richard Newcomb, Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury.

ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENAS; PENSIONS AT RISK

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved the issuance of a subpoena to Lance Wilson and a subpoena for his documents and records.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Pensions at Risk: Can the Department of Labor Effectively Audit Retirement Funds? Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: Raymond Maria, Acting Inspector General; and Roderick DeArment, Deputy Secretary, and public witnesses.

REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on the reauthorization of the Paperwork Reduction Act and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at OMB. Testimony was heard from S. Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The following bills: H.R. 2835, amended, to provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, NJ; H.R. 644, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the East Fork of the Jemez and Pecos Rivers in New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System business; H.R. 737, amended, to amend the Stock Raising Homestead Act to resolve certain problems regarding subsurface estates; and H.R. 2642, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Re-

sources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2896, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain a water treatment plant for the purpose of treating water discharged from the Leadville Mine Drainage Tunnel near Leadville, Colorado, in order to meet water quality standards; and H.R. 1143, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct and test the Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project, New Mexico and Texas. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hefley, Combest and Sarpalius; Joseph Hall, Acting Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

CORRECTIONAL ALTERNATIVES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 2374, Correctional Alternatives Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Rangel; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Charles Smith, Director, Bureau of Justice Assistance; and Richard Miklic, Deputy Chief, U.S. Probation Officer, Southern District of Florida; Thomas Lynch, Assistant Commissioner, Department of Corrections, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

SECRECY SURROUNDING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice and the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held a joint hearing on secrecy surrounding criminal investigations during the course of such investigations. Testimony was heard from John C. Keeney, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law concluded oversight hearings on the AT&T Consent Decree. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COASTAL BARRIER IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a joint hearing on H.R. 2840, Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fascell; and public witnesses.

GARBAGE BACKHAULING

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing to examine the issue of garbage backhauling on food distribution trucks. Testimony was heard from Representative Smith of New Jersey; Bruce Weddle, Acting Director, Office of Municipal Solid Waste Programs, EPA; Alan I. Roberts, Director, Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation; Richard Davis, Regional Food and Drug Director, Mid-Atlantic Region, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Wilson S. Horne, Deputy Administrator, Meat and Poultry Inspection Operations, Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA; Bernard Gaillard, Director, Office of Compliance and Consumer Assistance, ICC; and public witnesses.

CONFERENCE REPORT—FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REFORM, RECOVERY AND ENFORCEMENT ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report on H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as having been read when called up for consideration. Testimony was heard from Chairman Gonzalez and Representative Wylie.

NATIONAL GROUND WATER RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 2734, National Ground Water Research Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Robert Bendick, Jr., Director, Policy, Office of the Governor, State of Rhode Island; and public witnesses.

EDUCATION POLICY COMMISSION REPORT

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held a hearing on the Education Policy Commission report. Testimony was heard from Janet D. Steiger, Chairman, Commission to Assess Veterans' Education Policy; Covady W. Horton, Deputy Chief Benefits Director, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans' organizations; and a private witness.

REVIEW OF THE UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight met in executive session to continue review of the unrelated business income tax.

NATIONAL CRISIS IN DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Continued hearings on the National Crisis in Drug Abuse Treatment (Part II). Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Louis W. Sullivan, Secretary; Dr. Frederick Goodwin, Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration; and Dr. Charles Schuster, Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse; Gene Haislip, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, DEA, Department of Justice; and Janet Shickles, Director, National and Public Health Issues, GAO.

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Thursday, August 3, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Forty-four bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1485-1528, S. Res. 164-167, and S.J. Res. 186-188.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 120, to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize adolescent family life demonstration projects, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-103)

S. 1163, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such case, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-104)

H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and for other purposes, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-105)

H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-106)

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Measures Passed:

American Hostages in Lebanon: Senate agreed to S. Res. 164, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding American hostages in Lebanon.

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Commending Secretary of the Army: Senate agreed to S. Res. 165, commending the Honorable John O. Marsh, Jr., for his dedicated and exemplary public service.

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Veteran's Agent Orange Exposure and Service Benefits Act: Senate passed S. 1153, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of presumptions of service-connection between certain diseases experienced by veterans who served in Vietnam during the Vietnam era and exposure to certain toxic herbicide agents used in Vietnam; to provide for interim benefits for veterans of such service who have certain diseases; and to improve the reporting requirements relating to the "Ranch Hand Study", with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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During the consideration of the bill today, by 8 yeas to 90 nays (Vote No. 162), Senate failed to table the bill.

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Court of Veterans Appeals Judges Retirement Act: Senate passed H.R. 2727 to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

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Motor Carrier Safety Act of 1989: Senate passed S. 819, to strengthen the enforcement of motor carrier safety laws, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 162, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to Bring a Civil Action to Enforce Subpoena of the Impeachment Trial Committee on the Articles Against Judge Alcee L. Hastings.

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Child Nutrition Program Authorization: Senate passed H.R. 24, to extend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such Acts through fiscal year 1995, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1484.

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Child Nutrition Program Authorization: Senate passed S. 1484, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to reauthorize child nutrition programs.

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Executive Exchange Program: Senate passed H.R. 2847, to extend by 1 year a program under which the Government is allowed to accept the voluntary services of private-sector executives.

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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Authorization Act: Senate passed S. 673, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 and the Motor Vehicle Information and Cost Savings Act to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Dole (for Nickles) Amendment No. 682, to establish methods to reduce head injuries and establish a standard to minimize pedestrian deaths.

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Consumer Product Safety Commission Authorizations: Senate passed S. 605, to authorize appropriations for the Consumer Product Safety Commission, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Lautenberg) Amendment No. 683, to index certain civil penalties for inflation.

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Authorizations—U.S. Trade Representative/Trade Commission/U.S. Customs Service: Senate passed S. 1164, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the United States International Trade Commission, and the United States Customs Service, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto.

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(1) Mitchell (for Bentsen) Amendment No. 684, to allow property forfeited under the customs laws to be transferred to the Civil Air Patrol.

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(2) Dole (for Stevens) Amendment No. 685, to extend the user fee provisions for certain small airports to include small seaports.

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Negotiated Rulemaking by Federal Agencies: Senate passed S. 303, to establish a framework for the conduct of negotiated rulemaking by Federal agencies, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Clarifying Committee Authority: Senate agreed to S. Res. 167, to amend S. Res. 128, 101st Congress,

relating to the appointment of a committee to hear the articles of impeachment against Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., to clarify the authority of the Committee to use the detailed personnel of any Government department or agency.

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National Alzheimer's Disease Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 16, designating the month of November 1989 as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month", and the resolution was then passed.

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Coastweeks '89: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 166, designating the period of September 16 through October 9, 1989, as "Coastweeks '89", and the resolution was then passed.

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National Senior Citizens Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 225, to authorize and request the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the third Sunday of August of 1989 as "National Senior Citizens Day".

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Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act: Senate began consideration of S. 686, to consolidate and improve Federal laws providing compensation and establishing liability for oil spills, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 18274, 18285, 18314, 18358

Adopted:

(1) Breaux Amendment No. 666, of a perfecting nature.

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(2) Chafee Amendment No. 668, to substantially enhance the navigational safety of tankers.

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(3) Graham Amendment No. 671, to increase the ceiling on civil penalties under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act.

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(4) Johnston Amendment No. 672, to establish cooperative development of common hydrocarbon-bearing areas to prevent the harmful effects of unrestrained competitive production of hydrocarbons.

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(5) Murkowski Amendment No. 673, to provide for oversight and monitoring of oil terminal operations.

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(6) Murkowski Amendment No. 674, to permit Alaska Native corporations to pursue claims for damages to natural resources arising from oil spills.

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(7) Kohl Amendment No. 675, to report agreements between the U.S. and Canada governing liability for potential oil spills in the Great Lakes and

the St. Lawrence Seaway and international contingency plans.

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(8) Wilson Amendment No. 676, to remove the \$100 million liability cap on cleanup costs for Outer Continental Shelf spills. (By 34 yeas to 66 nays (Vote No. 167), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(9) Wallop modified Amendment No. 677, to limit resource acquisition to those cases that are specifically provided for in advance in an appropriation act.

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(10) Stevens Amendment No. 679, of a technical nature.

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(11) Baucus (for Breaux) Amendment No. 680, of a technical nature.

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Rejected:

(1) Adams Amendment No. 669, to require newly built tankers to have double hulls. (By 51 yeas to 48 nays (Vote No. 163), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Gorton Amendment No. 667, to rescind liability restriction of an owner or operator of a vessel or an onshore or offshore facility for damages and removal costs for each discharge or incident. (By 52 yeas to 48 nays (Vote No. 164), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Johnston/Breaux Amendment No. 670, to establish a Wetlands Protection, Restoration, and Enhancement Fund to preserve, protect, enhance, restore, or create coastal wetlands. (By 72 yeas to 28 nays (Vote No. 165), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

(1) Reid Amendment No. 678, to deny a deduction for costs to cleanup an oil or hazardous substance spill in cases where the Federal Government certifies the cleanup has not been performed to certain Federal standards.

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(2) Baucus Amendment No. 681, of a technical nature.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of certain amendments to be proposed thereto.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and additional amendments to be proposed thereto, on Friday, August 4.

Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act—Conference Report: By 54 yeas to

46 nays (Vote No. 166), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to agree to a motion, pursuant to Section 904(b) of the Congressional Budget Act as amended, to waive points of order in Titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of the conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Subsequently, the Chair sustained a point of order that the conference report was in violation of section 311(a) of the Congressional Budget Act by increasing the amount by which the total budget outlays set forth in the fiscal year 1989 Budget Resolution are exceeded, and the conference report thus fell.

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Senate further insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Riegle, Cranston, Sarbanes, Garn, and Heinz.

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Court of Veterans Appeals Judges Retirement Act: Senate considered S. 1243, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals, agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate indefinitely postponed further consideration of the bill.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Rockwell Anthony Schnabel, of California, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Travel and Tourism.

D. Allan Bromley, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

Janice Obuchowski, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information.

Richard Burleson Stewart, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Gilbert E. Carmichael, of Mississippi, to be Administrator of the Federal Railroad Administration.

Michelle Easton, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs, Department of Education.

Janet Dempsey Steiger, of the District of Columbia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner.

Herbert D. Kleber, of Connecticut, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

John A. Knauss, of Rhode Island, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

2 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

A routine list in the Coast Guard.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Stephen Read Hanmer, Jr., of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

A routine list in the Army.

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Appointment:

National Committee on Migrant Education: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-297, appointed Senator Metzenbaum and Wendell N. Rollason, of Florida, to the National Committee on Migrant Education.

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Messages From the House:

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today (Total—167)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 10:50 p.m., until 9:15 a.m., on Friday, August 4, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 18533).

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE/LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

H.R. 2989, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with amendments; and

H.R. 3014, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Legislative Branch, with amendments.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of J. Daniel Howard, of Tennessee, to be Under Secretary of the Navy, and John A. Betti, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Betti was introduced by Senator Levin and Representative Broomfield.

FHA AND GINNIE MAE AUDITS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs held hearings to assess General Accounting Office audits of the Federal Housing Administration and the Government National Mortgage Association of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from C. Austin Fitts, Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on S. 1189, to require State coastal zone management agencies to prepare and submit for the approval of the Secretary of Commerce plans for the improvement of coastal zone water quality, receiving testimony from Rebecca W. Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator for Water, Environmental Protection Agency; Thomas Maginnis, Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; Ted Danson, American Oceans Campaign, Santa Monica, California; Wayne Beam, South Carolina Coastal Council, Columbia; Sarah Taylor, Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Commission, Annapolis, Maryland; and Armando J. Carbonell, Cape Cod Planning, Economic and Development Commission, Barnstable, Massachusetts.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AIRLINE PILOT SUPPLY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings to explore ways to assure a steady supply of trained pilots for the nation's airline industry, after receiving testimony from John Kern, Acting Associate Administrator for Regulation and Enforcement, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; Karen Keesling, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Capt. Henry Duffy, Air Line Pilots Association International, Herndon, Virginia; Capt. George Hof, American Airlines and John Fredericksen, Regional Airline Association, both of Washington, DC; Gen. Kenneth Tallman, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, Florida; John Odegard,

University of North Dakota, Grand Forks; and Tony LeVier, S.A.F.E., Inc., La Canada, California.

OIL RECOVERY

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Energy and Agricultural Taxation held hearings on S. 828, to provide incentives for the removal of crude oil and natural gas through enhanced oil recovery techniques, receiving testimony from Senator Domenici; Representative Andrews; Kenneth W. Gideon, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; John S. Sharp, Texas Railroad Commission, and William L. Fisher, University of Texas, both of Austin; Charles J. Mankin, University of Oklahoma, Norman; Joseph E. King, Texaco, Inc., Hobbs, New Mexico; and F. David Martin, New Mexico Institution of Mining and Technology, Socorro.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Richard A. Clarke, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs, Eugene P. Kopp, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director, U.S. Information Agency, Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director, U.S. Information Agency, Sheldon J. Krysz, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Diplomatic Security, Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Representative of the U.S. to the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, Milton James Wilkinson, of New Hampshire, to be Deputy Representative of the U.S. in the Security Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, Morris Dempson Busby, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as Coordinator for Counter Terrorism, Arthur W. Fort, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Administration, Raymond Charles Ewing, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana, William Lacy Swing, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of South Africa, Howard K. Walker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Madagascar and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Federal and Islamic Republic of the Comoros, Raymond G.H. Seitz, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs, Michael G. Sotirhos, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Greece, Loret Miller Ruppe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway, Richard Anthony Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Ireland, Julia Chang Bloch, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Nepal, and a Foreign Service Officers' Promotion list, with an exception, received by the Senate on July 20, 1989.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Julia Chang Bloch, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Nepal, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

PARIS ECONOMIC SUMMIT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Trade, Oceans and Environment concluded hearings to review the outcome of the international environmental agenda of the Paris Economic Summit, after receiving testimony from Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs; William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; and C. Fred Bergsten, Institute for International Economics, and Gus Speth, World Resources Institute, both of Washington, DC.

RADIATION VICTIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice concluded hearings on S. 982, to restore legal rights of individuals who were exposed to radiation in connection with the U.S. Atomic Weapons Testing Program, after receiving testimony from Senators Reid, Bryan, and Warner; Stuart E. Schiffer, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice; Pat Broudy, National Association of Radiation Survivors, Laguna Niguel, California; William Fletcher and James Kane, both of the University of California, Berkeley; and Thomas R. Thomsen, AT&T Technology Systems, Berkeley Heights, New Jersey.

DRUG CRISIS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings to examine State and local treatment and prevention programs relating to the drug crisis, receiving testimony from John Lucas, Students Taking Action Not Drugs (STAND), Houston, Texas; Delvin Williams, Burlingame, California; Maj. Doug Hughes, Dade County Office of Substance Abuse Control, Miami, Florida; David Hatcher, Topeka, Kansas; Shannon Jones, Olney High School, and Ann Zembroski, Philadelphia Public Schools, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Keema McAdoo, Jerimiah Burke School, Dorchester, Massachusetts; Marianne Lee, Massachusetts Governor's Alliance Against Drugs, Boston; Molly Coye, New Jersey Public Health Commission, Trenton; Sidney Shankman, Second Genesis, Washington, DC; and Thomas L. Freestone, Phoenix, Arizona.

ALASKA NATIVES PROGRAM

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1364, to establish a joint Federal Commission on policies and programs affecting

Alaska natives, after receiving testimony from Senator Stevens; Eddie Brown, Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, and Joe Donahue, Alaska Liaison, Bureau of Indian Affairs, both of the Department of the Interior; Kay Gouwens, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Office of the Governor of Alaska; Tony Vaska, Association of Village Council Presidents, Bethel, Alaska; Richard Stitt, Central Council of Tlingit and Haida Tribes of Alaska and Alaska Native Brotherhood, Juneau; Chris McNeil, Sealaska Corporation, Seattle, Washington; Mary Jane Fate and Julie Kitka, both on behalf of the Alaska Federation of Natives, and Will Mayo, Tanana Chiefs Conference, all of Fairbanks, Alaska; Johanna Hotch and Ed Warren, both of the Klukwan, Inc., Klukwan, Alaska; and David Case, and Lloyd Miller, Sonosky, Chambers, Sachse, and Miller, both of Anchorage, Alaska.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, receiving testimony from Alcee L. Hastings, Judge of the Southern District Court of Florida.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, September 7.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 3097-3132; 3 private bills, H.R. 3133-3135; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 385-389, H. Con. Res. 186, and H. Res. 224 and 226-227 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 971, to require the Federal Communications Commission to prescribe rules to protect consumers from unfair practices in the provision of operator services, amended (H. Rept. 101-213);

H. Res. 225, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-214);

H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Intelli-

gence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, amended (H. Rept. 101-215);

H.R. 2427, to authorize appropriations for certain atmospheric and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, amended (H. Rept. 101-216); and

H.R. 765, to establish a commission to make recommendations to the President and Congress to assure a comprehensive national approach to effective, efficient, and expeditious environmental clean-up of contamination resulting from releases of hazardous substances at Department of Energy facilities (H. Rept. 101-217).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 285 yeas to 111 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 209, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, August 2.

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District of Columbia Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 211, the House passed H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Rejected the Skeen motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the bill back forthwith containing an amendment to strike language in the bill that provides funds for construction projects authorizing the laying of water mains and service sewers in the District of Columbia.

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A point of order was sustained against the Skeen motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the bill back forthwith containing an amendment to prohibit the use of funds appropriated to pay the salary or expenses of any officer, employee, or agent engaged in implementing, administering, or enforcing any District of Columbia residency requirements under the District of Columbia comprehensive Merit Personnel Act. Agreed to the Gephardt motion to table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair by a yea-and-nay vote of 248 yeas to 178 nays, Roll No. 210.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Arney wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Education and Labor.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 224, electing Representative Arney to the Committee on Government Operations; and Representative

Robinson to the Committees on Education and Labor and Post Office and Civil Service.

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Financial Institutions Reform: By a recorded vote of 221 yeas to 199 nays with 6 voting "present", Roll No. 214, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Rejected the Michel motion to recommit the conference report to the committee of conference with instructions that the managers on the part of the House agree to a financing mechanism which is properly within the scope of the conference and which will allow the bill to be signed into law as quickly as possible (rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 170 yeas to 250 nays with 3 voting "present", Roll No. 213).

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H. Res. 222, the rule waiving certain points of order against the conference report, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 348 yeas to 74 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 212.

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Presidential Message—Arctic Research: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the first biennial revision (1990-1991) to the United States Arctic Research Plan—referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 366 yeas to 50 nays, Roll No. 217, the House passed H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed to:

The Coughlin amendment that provides that none of the funds appropriated should be used by the Secretary of the Department of Transportation to close any Coast Guard search and rescue stations;

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The Tauzin amendment that increases by \$24 million the funds appropriated in the bill for operating expenses for the Coast Guard (agreed to by a recorded vote of 218 yeas to 198 nays, Roll No. 215);

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The Tauzin amendment that increases by \$40 million funding for acquisition, construction and improvement; for repair, acquisition, and renovation of vessels; and for aircraft and increase aviation capability; and

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The Bonior amendment that designates a portion of Michigan Highway 59 as the "James G. O'Hara Memorial Highway".

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Rejected the Walker amendment that sought to strike language in the bill enabling the Secretary of Transportation to make grants to the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK).

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Points of order were sustained against the following provisions of the bill:

Language that sought to provide new criteria, notwithstanding existing law, for payments of compensation to air carriers based upon certain per passenger rate limits and mileage proximity to airports;

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Language relating to employment of, reduction in retired or retainer pay of, annuities of, and pay on reemployment of retired members of the uniformed services; and

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Language that sought to provide that no more than \$780,000,000 be used for operating assistance under the Urban Mass Transportation Act, of which no more than \$485,213,394 be available to areas with a population over one million.

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The Clerk was authorized to make technical and conforming changes in the engrossment of the bill.

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Bill Re-Referred: The bill H.R. 2943, to improve the administration and management of the Department of Defense School system for dependents in overseas areas was re-referred jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, and Post Office and Civil Service.

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Financial Institutions Reform: House insisted on its disagreement to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies; and agreed to a further conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on Banking, Finance, and Urban Affairs: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Neal, Hubbard, LaFalce, Vento, Schumer, Frank, Morrison of Connecticut, Torres, Kleczka, Wylie, Leach, Hiler, Ridge, Saxton, Saiki, Paxon of New York, and Bartlett;

From the Committee on Ways and Means: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Rangel, Stark, Jacobs, Ford of Tennessee, Jenkins, Downey, Guarini, Russo, Pease, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane, Frenzel, Schulze, Gradison, Thomas of California, and McGrath;

From the Committee on Rules: Representatives Moakley, Derrick, Beilenson, Frost, Bonior, Quillen, and Solomon; and

From the Committee on Government Operations: Representatives Conyers, Collins, English, Synar, Wise, Horton, Clinger, and McCandless.

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Earlier, House agreed to a unanimous consent request that, it may be in order if and when the Clerk receives a message from the Senate indicating that that body further insisted upon its amendment and asked for a further conference with the House, that the House be deemed to have insisted upon its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate and agreed to the further conference requested by the Senate, and that the Speaker be authorized to appoint conferees on the bill.

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Agreed to the Wylie motion that the managers on the part of the House be instructed to agree to all matters contained in the conference report on the bill filed on August 1, 1989, with the exception of those provisions relating to funding contained in title V of the conference-reported bill.

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It was made in order, at anytime today, or any day thereafter, for the House to consider the conference report on H.R. 1278.

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Senior Citizens Day: House passed H.J. Res. 225, to authorize and request the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the third Sunday of August of 1989 as "National Senior Citizens Day".

Agreed to the Smith of Florida amendment that strikes the provision for an annual proclamation.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Coast Guard Bicentennial: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 126, commemorating the bicentennial of the United States Coast Guard.

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Library Card Sign-Up Month: House passed H.J. Res. 231, designating September 1989 as "National Library Card Sign-Up Month".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Six yea-and-nay and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House and appear on pages 18534, 18546, 18547, 18557, 18590, 18626, 18637, 18641.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BUDGET—FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on the Budget of the Federal Reserve System. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System: Wayne D. Angell; and Edward W. Kelley, Jr., both Governors; and Brent L. Bowen, Inspector General.

AMERICAN CONSERVATION AND YOUTH SERVICE CORPS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities approved for full Committee action H.R. 717, American Conservation and Youth Service Corps Act of 1989.

NUTRITION LABELING AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 3028, Nutrition Labeling and Education Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senators Metzenbaum and Hatch; Representatives Moakley, Sharp, and Smith of Iowa; the following officials of FDA, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. J. Michael McGinnis, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Health, Disease Prevention and Health Promotion; and Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on GAO's survey of changes in cable rates since the advent of deregulation of cable rates on December 31, 1986. Testimony was heard from John Ohls, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic Development, GAO; Richard M. Kessel, Chair and Executive Director, Consumer Protection Board, State of New York; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL FACILITIES RADIOACTIVE WASTE CONTROL ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action H.R. 2708, Federal Facilities Radioactive Waste Control Act.

NUCLEAR FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on the Decommissioning and Decontamination Requirements for Closing Nuclear Facilities. Testimony was heard from Keith O. Fultz, Associate Director, Resources, Community and Economic De-

velopment Division, GAO; Kenneth M. Carr, Chairman, NRC; and Richard Guimond, Director, Office of Radiation Programs, EPA.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing approved for full Committee action the following resolutions: H. Con. Res. 167, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Women in Congress"; H. Con. Res. 168, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "The U.S. Capitol: A Brief Architectural History"; H. Con. Res. 169, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Origins of the House of Representatives: A Documentary Record"; and H. Con. Res. 170, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Black Americans in Congress".

The Subcommittee also approved other pending business.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held a hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VESSEL MODIFICATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine concluded hearings on the Vessel Modification Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Capt. Michael J. Schiro, USCG, Deputy Chief, Office of Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

POSTAL SERVICE'S EXPRESS MAIL CONTRACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held an oversight hearing on the Postal Service's Express Mail Contract. Testimony was heard from Representatives Jacobs and Campbell of California; James L. Orlando, Director, Transportation and International Services, U.S. Postal Service; P. Pete Chalos, Mayor, City of Terre Haute, Indiana; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 3027, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability and Compensation Act of 1989; H.R. 1668, Ocean and Coastal Programs Authorization Act of 1989; and H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved 10 water resources survey resolutions.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI and clause 7 of Rule XXI against consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule waives clause 2 of Rule XXI against specified provisions of the bill. In any case where the rule waives points of order against only a portion of a paragraph, a point of order against any other provision in the paragraph may be made against only that provision and not against the entire paragraph. The rule makes in order an amendment to be offered by Representative Fazio, or his designee and waives clause 2 of Rule XXI against the amendment. The rule makes in order the amendment printed in the report accompanying this resolution, if offered by Representative Skaggs, or his designee. Clause 2 of Rule XXI is waived against the amendment. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten and Representatives Murtha, Fazio, Skaggs, and McDade.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; REPORTS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management; and H.R. 1668, Ocean and Coastal Programs Authorization Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved the following draft reports: "The Global Food and Population Equation: A Fragile Balance;" and a staff study entitled "Bugs in the Program-Problems in Federal Government Computer Software Development and Regulation."

HOW LENDER LIABILITY UNDER SUPERFUND AFFECTS SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on how lender liability under Superfund affects small businesses. Testimony was heard from Sally Narey, General Counsel, SBA; Glenn Unterberger, Associate Counsel, EPA; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

DEVELOPMENT OF FEDERAL TAX FORMS BY THE IRS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the development of Federal tax forms by the IRS. Testimony was heard

from Fred T. Goldberg, Jr., Commissioner, IRS, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

MENTAL HEALTH IN NURSING HOMES

Select Committee on Aging and the Subcommittee on Human Services held a joint hearing on "Mental Health In Nursing Homes: Barriers and Solutions".

Testimony was heard from Ross Anthony, Associate Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session and ordered reported amended H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for Intelligence and Intelligence related activities of the U.S. Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.

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Friday, August 4, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Fifty-two bills and eighteen resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1529-1580, S.J. Res. 189-194, S. Con. Res. 60-67, and S. Res. 168-171.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 488, to provide federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-107)

S. 550, to establish a national program to improve collaboration between the national laboratory system of the Department of Energy and the private sector so as to foster the development of technologies in areas of significant economic potential in order to enhance the Nation's economic competitiveness and strategic well-being, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-108)

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Measures Passed:

Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 Extension: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further

consideration of S. 976, to postpone the effective date of section 511(e)(3)(B) of the Controlled Substances Act, relating to the disposition of forfeited property and State law, and the bill was then passed.

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National Endowment for Children's Educational Television: Senate passed S. 797, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to improve the education of children by establishing a National Endowment for Children's Educational Television, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Cash Management Improvement Act: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 926, to improve cash management by executive agencies, and the bill was then passed.

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Human Rights in Yugoslavia: Senate agreed to S. Res. 169, supporting the efforts of Dobroslov Paraga to bring about increased respect for human rights in Yugoslavia.

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Human rights and Democracy in Burma: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 61, supporting basic human rights and democracy in Burma.

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Emergency Chinese Immigration Relief Act of 1989: Senate passed H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants, after agreeing to Mitchell (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 697, in the nature of a substitute.

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S. 1370, companion measure, was then indefinitely postponed.

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Mouse Research Laboratory Authorization: Senate passed S. 1390, to authorize funds for the construction of a mouse research laboratory, after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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Exemption for Reemployed Annuitants: Senate passed H.R. 1860, to provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of a uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits.

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National Library Card Sign-Up Month: Senate passed H.J. Res. 231, to designate September 1989 as "National Library Card Sign-Up Month."

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National Pledge of Allegiance Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 253, to designate September 9, 1989, as "National Pledge of Allegiance Day."

The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of S.J. Res. 102, companion measure, and the measure was then indefinitely postponed.

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Commending Citizens of Sioux City, Iowa: Senate passed H.J. Res. 379, to commend the citizens of the Sioux City, Iowa, tri-State area for their heroism and spirit volunteerism in selflessly providing assistance and life-saving services to the passengers and crew of United Airlines Flight 232.

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International Conference on Global Environment—Authorizing Appointment: Senate agreed to S. Res. 171, to authorize the appointment of a special Senate delegation to host an international conference in the United States on global environment issues.

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Adjournment Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 67, to provide for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate and a conditional adjournment of the House from Friday, August 4, or Saturday, August 5, to Wednesday, September 6, 1989.

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Waiving Enrollment Requirements: Senate passed H.J. Res. 390, to waive certain requirements with respect to H.R. 1278, Financial Institutions Reform Act.

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National Defense Authorizations Act: Senate passed H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1352, as amended.

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Nunn, Exon, Levin, Kennedy, Bingaman, Dixon, Glenn, Gore, Wirth, Shelby,

Byrd, Warner, Thurmond, Cohen, Wilson, McCain, Wallop, Gorton, Lott, and Coats.

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Federal Maritime Commission Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 840, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Byrd (for Breaux) Amendment No. 695, to authorize certificates of documentation for certain vessels.

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(2) Byrd (for Glenn and Metzenbaum) Amendment No. 696, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel M/V South Bass.

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Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act: By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 168), Senate passed S. 686, to consolidate and improve Federal laws providing compensation and establishing liability for oilspills, after taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Stevens Amendment No. 686 (to Amendment No. 666), of a perfecting nature.

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(2) Stevens Modified Amendment No. 687, to provide that such agreements shall provide for political subdivisions of the State to receive payments for reasonable removal costs and may authorize advance payments from such account to facilitate such efforts.

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(3) Stevens Amendment No. 688, to provide that Federal funds used for the removal of oil and other appropriate activities should be given, to the extent feasible, to those private persons residing or doing business primarily in the area affected by the discharge of oil.

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(4) Metzenbaum Amendment No. 690, to increase the liability for certain oilspills.

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(5) Chafee Amendment No. 692, of a clarifying nature, to provide for the use of funds for the acquisition of certain lands.

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Withdrawn:

(1) Stevens-Kerry Amendment No. 689, to provide for a scientific support team to respond to major oil spills in coastal and marine waters.

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(2) Metzenbaum modified Amendment No. 691, to increase the liability for certain oilspills.

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Debt Limit Extension: Senate passed H.R. 3024, to increase the statutory public debt.

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Department of Treasury-Postal Service Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to committee amendments, after agreeing to committee and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 18749, 18804, 18827, 18840

Withdrawn:

(1) Nickles Amendment No. 693, to provide that the Senate backs the constitutional Power of the President to make foreign policy.

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 694 (to Amendment No. 693), to provide that no person who is a retired regular officer of the military service, who was graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy, who has served in Vietnam, and who has been awarded the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, and two Purple Hearts, shall be considered as holding an office of the United States for purposes of Section 2071(b) of Title 18 of the United States Code.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators DeConcini, Byrd, Mikulski, Kerrey, Domenici, Hatfield, and D'Amato.

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Measures Indefinitely Postponed:

Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel H.M.S. Discovery: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 890, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel H.M.S. *Discovery*.

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Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel African Queen: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 904, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise

trade of the United States for the vessel the *African Queen*.

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Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel M/V Northern Victor: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 1148, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for the vessel M/V *Northern Victor*.

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Certificate of Documentation for a Vessel: Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 1172, to authorize a certificate of documentation for a vessel.

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Certificate of Documentation for the Vessel "American Empire": Senate indefinitely postponed further action on S. 1152, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *American Empire*.

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Disaster Drought Assistance: Senate concurred in House amendments to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2467, entitled the "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act."

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Financial Institution Reform—Conference Report: By a division, Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Service of Retired Decorated Officers of the Military Service—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of legislation identical to the language of Helms Amendment No. 694, relating to service of retired decorated military officers, at no later than 12 Noon, on Friday, November 3.

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Authorizations:

Authority to Receive Joint Resolution: By unanimous-consent, during the adjournment, the Senate is authorized to receive a joint resolution from the House of Representatives relating to the hand-enrollment of H.R. 1278 (Financial Institutions Reform Act), and when received, it be deemed to have been read a third time and passed.

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Authority for Appointments: By unanimous consent, notwithstanding the adjournment, the President of the Senate, the President pro tempore, and

the majority and minority leaders were authorized to make appointments.

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Pending Nominations: By unanimous consent, all nominations pending in the Senate will remain in status quo, notwithstanding the provisions of Rule 31, with certain exceptions.

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Appointments:

Central American Negotiations Observer Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to S. Res. 106 (101st Congress), announced the appointment of Senator Dodd to the Central American Negotiations Observer Group, and his designation as Chairman of that group.

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Fall Interparliamentary Union Meeting: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276, as amended, appointed Senators Adams and Fowler as members of the Senate delegation to the Fall Interparliamentary Union Meeting during the First Session of the 101st Congress, to be held in London, England, September 4–9, 1989.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Christopher H. Phillips, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam.

William Ludwig Jacobsen, Jr., of Washington, to be Ambassador of the United States of America to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau.

Penne Percy Korth, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Mauritius.

Elizabeth M. Tamposi, of New Hampshire, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Consular Affairs.

Sidney L. Jones, of Utah, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Robert Clifton Duncan, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, Department of Defense.

Conrad K. Cyr, of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit.

Marvin J. Garbis, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland.

Rebecca Beach Smith, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia.

Stuart M. Gerson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Gene McNary, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization.

Michael Paul Galvin, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Warren G. Leback, of New Jersey, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration.

James M. Strock, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Harold B. Steele, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Farm Credit Administration Board, Farm Credit Administration, for the remainder of the term expiring May 21, 1992.

Reginald J. Brown, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

John Warren McGarry, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission.

Joan D. Aikens, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission.

James David Berg, of Kentucky, to be Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Forrest J. Remick, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The following-named persons to be Members of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board: Edson G. Case, of Maryland, John W. Crawford, Jr., of Maryland, Herbert Kouts, of New York, A.J. Eggenberger, of Montana, and John T. Conway, of New York.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Morris Dempson Busby, of Virginia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as Coordinator for Counter Terrorism.

Sherrie Patrice Marshall, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 30, 1992.

Andrew Camp Barrett, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission.

Henry E. Hockeimer, of Michigan, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency.

Julia Chang Bloch, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Nepal.

Arthur W. Fort, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Raymond Charles Ewing, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana.

Michael G. Sotirhos, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Greece.

Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts, to be the Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.

Milton James Wilkinson, of New Hampshire, to be Deputy Representative of the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

Alfred C. Sikes, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission.

Eugene P. Kopp, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the United States Information Agency.

Richard Anthony Moore, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Ireland.

William Lacy Swing, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of South Africa.

John W. Shannon, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Army.

Linda J. Fisher, of Ohio, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Howard K. Walker, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Madagascar and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federal and Islamic Republic of the Comoros.

John A. Betti, of Michigan, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition.

Sheldon J. Krys, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Diplomatic Security.

Loret Miller Ruppe, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Norway.

Raymond G.H. Seitz, of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Michael P.W. Stone, of California, to be Secretary of the Army.

J. Daniel Howard, of Tennessee, to be Under Secretary of the Navy.

Jonathan Moore, of Massachusetts, to be the Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador.

3 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

A routine list in the Foreign Service.

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Messages from the President:

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Record votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—168)	Page 18733

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and in accordance with S. Con. Res. 67, adjourned on Saturday, August 5, at 12:37 a.m., until Wednesday, September 6, 1989, at 12 noon. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on Page 19072.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 76 public bills, H.R. 3136–3212; and 3 private bills, H.R. 3213–3215; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 390–397, H. Con. Res. 187–192, and H. Res. 231 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1307, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 relating to general aviation accidents (H. Rept. 101–218);

H.R. 1113, to authorize appropriations for the Office of Environmental Quality for fiscal years 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993; to ensure consideration of the impact of major Federal actions on the global environment, amended (H. Rept. 101–219);

H.R. 996, to establish the Congressional Scholarship for Science, Mathematics, and Engineering, amended (H. Rept. 101–220); and

H.R. 1432, to amend the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 with respect to the waiver of rights under such Act without supervision, amended (H. Rept. 101–221).

Conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies (H. Rept. 101–222);

H. Res. 228, providing for the consideration of the bill H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment to the products of the People's Republic of Hungary (H. Rept. 101–223);

H. Res. 224, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (H. Rept. 101–224); and

H. Res. 230, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2427, to authorize appropriations for certain atmospheric and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (H. Rept. 101–225).

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Disaster Assistance Extension: House agreed, with amendments, to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2467, a bill entitled the "1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act"—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Defense Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 312 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 218, the House passed H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Agreed to:

The Skaggs amendment that prohibits the Defense Department from spending funds to prepare reports or estimates on how States or congressional districts might benefit from defense programs before they have been approved by Congress;

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The Sharp amendment that reduces by \$10 million the amount available until September 30, 1991, for Army research, development, test and evaluation; and

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The Fazio amendment that ensures that the environmental cleanup for Hamilton Air Force Base, California is in compliance with existing federal and state environmental laws.

Page 19109

H. Res. 225, the rule waiving certain points of order against the bill, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Financial Institutions Reform: It was made in order, at anytime today, for the House to consider the conference report on H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Wednesday, September 6, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and appoint commissions, board, and committees authorized by law or by the House.

Page 19112

Late Report: Committee on Science, Space, and Technology received permission to have until midnight Friday, September 1 to file a report on H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management.

Page 19113

Pledge of Allegiance Day: House passed H.J. Res. 253, designating September 8, 1989, as "National Pledge of Allegiance Day".

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Neighborhood Crime Watch Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 136, designating August 8, 1989, as "National Neighborhood Crime Watch Day".

Page 19118

Sioux City Commendation: House passed H. J. Res. 379, amended commending the citizens of the Sioux City, Iowa, tri-State area for their heroism and spirit of volunteerism is selflessly providing assistance and life-saving services to the passengers and crew of United Airlines Flight 232.

Page 19119

Mental Illness Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 55, to designate the week of October 1989, through October 7, 1989, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week".

Page 19121

Wilderness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 67, to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Wilderness Act of 1964 which established the National Wilderness Preservation System.

Page 19122

Hospice Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 78, to designate the month of November 1989 and 1990 as "National Hospice Month".

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Drive for Life Weekend: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 127, designating Labor Day weekend, September 2 through 4, 1989, as "National Drive for Life Weekend".

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Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month: House passed S.J. Res. 132, designating September 1 through 30, 1989, as "National Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month". Subsequently this passage was

vacated and the resolution was re-referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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Recess: House recessed at 503 p.m. and reconvened at 10:21 p.m.

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Financial Institutions Reform: By a recorded vote of 201 ayes to 175 noes with 5 voting "present", Roll No. 219, the House agreed to the further conference report to H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies—clearing the measure for the President.

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Enrollment Authorization: House passed H.J. Res. 390, waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to the bill H.R. 1278, to reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.

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Interparliamentary Union: The Speaker appointed as members of the delegation to attend the conference of the Interparliamentary Union the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives: Boggs, Chairman, Owens of Utah, Brown of California, Scheuer, Moody, Hammerschmidt, and Blaz.

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Commission on Drug-Free Schools: The Speaker appointed as members to the National Commission on Drug-Free Schools the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Mavroules and Williams; and the Minority Leader appointed the aforementioned commission of the following: Representatives DeWine and Henry.

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Resignation: Read a letter to the Speaker from Representative Grandy wherein he resigns as a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families.

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Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: The Speaker appointed Representative Robinson as a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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Eisenhower Centennial Commission: The Speaker appointed Representative Byron to the Dwight David Eisenhower centennial Commission, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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Holocaust Memorial Council: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States Holocaust Memorial Council the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Yates, Lehman of Florida, Solarz, Garcia, and Green.

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Judicial Center Foundations: The Speaker appointed as members of the Federal Judicial Center Foundation Board the following from private life, on the part of the House: Mr. Benjamin Zelenko, for a period of five years, and Ms. Laurie L. Michel, for a period of three years.

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North Atlantic Assembly: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States group of the North Atlantic Assembly the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Fascell, Chairman, and Ross, Vice Chairman.

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Select Committee on Aging: The Speaker appointed as majority members to the Select Committee on Aging the following Members: Representatives DeFazio, and Lewis of Georgia.

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Chinese Immigrant Status: House agreed, with an amendment, to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese national in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants—returning the measure to the Senate.

Page 19312

Homer Thornberry Building: House passed H.R. 2334, to redesignate the Post Office located at 300 East Ninth Street in Austin, Texas, as the "Homer Thornberry Judicial Building".

Page 19313

Late Report: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to have until midnight Friday, September 1, to file reports on H.R. 1469, to establish limitations on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution to establish a fund for such damages; and H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990.

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Federal Maritime Commission Authorization: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 840, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990

for the Federal Maritime Commission—clearing the measure for the President.

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District Work Period: House agreed to S. Con Res. 67, providing for a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate and a conditional adjournment of the House until September 6, 1989—clearing the measure.

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Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls-Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 19110, 19310. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9:00 a.m. and adjourned at 12:33 a.m.

Committee Meetings

NONDISCRIMINATORY TREATMENT TO PRODUCTS OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF HUNGARY

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified closed rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment to the products of the People's Republic of Hungary for 5 years. No amendment to the bill is in order except amendments recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means. The amendments are not subject to amendment. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rostenkowski and Representatives Gibbons, Archer, Schulze, Cox and Schneider.

NOAA AND COASTAL PROGRAMS AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1668, Ocean and Coastal Programs Authorization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hertel, Scheuer and Schneider.

NOAA ATMOSPHERIC AND SATELLITE PROGRAMS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2427, to authorize appropriations for certain atmospheric and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Testimony was heard from Representatives Scheuer and Schneider.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

Joint Meeting

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for July, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, August 15, 1989

Interim record. There were no proceedings in the Senate or the House of Representatives.

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Wednesday, September 6, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19560–19640

Measures Introduced: Seven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1581–1587, S. Res. 172 and 173, and S.J. Res. 195.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Wednesday, August 30, during the adjournment:

S. 558, to authorize a study on methods to protect and interpret the internationally significant Lechuguilla Cave at Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–109)

S. 855, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish a cave research institute at Carlsbad Caverns National Park, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–110)

S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–111)

S. 940, to designate segments of the East Fork of the Jemez River and of the Pecos River as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–112)

S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–113)

H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. (S. Rept. No. 101–114)

H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the White Haven National Historic Site in the State of Missouri. (S. Rept. No. 101–115)

S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–116)

S. 1182, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to restore the minimum wage to a fair and equitable rate. (S. Rept. No. 101–117)

H.R. 838, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission for airport purposes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–118)

H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–119)

Reported today:

S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–120)

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Measure Passed:

Expression of Gratitude: Senate agreed to S. Res. 173, to express gratitude to David A. Brody.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations—1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Reid Amendment No. 699, to establish the Senate Office of Public Records Revolving Fund.

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(2) Reid Amendment No. 700, relating to continued availability of certain funds.

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(3) Reid Amendment No. 701, to provide for a payment to Alison Leland and a payment to Shelia A. Smith.

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(4) Humphrey Amendment No. 702, to provide for publication in the Congressional Record of statistics concerning the use of the franking privilege by Members of Congress.

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(5) Humphrey Amendment No. 703, to require that Congressional mass mailings clearly state that they are mailed at taxpayer expense.

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(6) Humphrey Amendment No. 704, to limit franked Congressional mass mailings to 2 sheets of paper.

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Pending:

Wilson Amendment No. 698, regarding reduction of Congressional newsletter costs.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill and the pending amendment proposed thereto, on Thursday, September 7.

Americans With Disabilities Act—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the Senate to proceed to the consideration of S. 933, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989, on Thursday, September 7.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the annual report of the National Corporation for Housing Partnerships and the National Housing Partnership. (PM-59)

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Appointment by the Republican Leader: By unanimous consent, the Republican Leader appointed Senator Symms to the Impeachment Trial Committee (In Re: Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr.) in lieu of Senator Hatch.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Kenneth L. Brown, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire.

Charles E. Cobb, Jr., of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Iceland.

John Giffen Weinmann, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland.

Christopher Jehn, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Craig S. King, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy.

James R. Loucher III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Barbara Spyridon Pope, of Mississippi, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

Dennis B. Underwood, of California, to be Commissioner of Reclamation.

Jerry Ralph Curry, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Melva G. Wray, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact.

Ronald E. Ray, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Human Resources and Administration).

Jacqueline L. Phillips, of Maryland, to be Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission.

Cindy Shinga Daub, of Nebraska, to be a Commissioner of the Copyright Royalty Tribunal.

Tony Armendariz, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for the remainder of the term expiring July 29, 1992.

Carroll A. Campbell, Jr., of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Frank B. Sollars, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.

John E. Frohnmayer, of Oregon, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts.

Bill R. Phillips, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

John J. Farley III, of Maryland, to be an Associate Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

Colin L. Powell, USA, to be Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

39 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Lawrence L. Lamade, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Measures Placed on Calendar:

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Communications:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 7:51 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, September 7, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 19639.)

Committee Meetings

HUD HOUSING CONTRACTS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies concluded hearings to review the need for additional funds for fiscal year 1990 for the renewal of expiring Section 8 housing contracts due to revised estimates by the Department of Housing and Urban Development on the number of units, after receiving testimony from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

ECONOMIC POLICY IN THE THIRD WORLD

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on environmental considerations in shaping economic development policy in the Third World, receiving testimony from Senator Leahy; Lester R. Brown, Worldwatch Institute, Michael Wright, World Wildlife Fund, and Thomas Stoel, Jr., Natural Resources Defense Council, all of Washington, DC; and Denis Hayes, Earth Day 1990, Stanford, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GREAT LAKES OIL SPILL PROTECTION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held oversight hearings to review the federal government's role in preventing and responding to Great Lakes oil spills, receiving testimony from Timothy Fields, Jr., Director, Emergency Response Division, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, and Carol Finch, Director, Great Lakes National Program Office, Chicago, Illinois, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; Edward J. Tennyson, Research Scientist, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; Rear Adm. Richard A. Appelbaum, Commander, U.S. Coast Guard, Ninth District, Department of Transportation; David F. Hales, Michigan Department of Natural Resources, and J.D. Snyder, Michigan Office of the Great Lakes, on behalf of the Great Lakes Commission Task Force on Emergency Preparedness, both of Lansing; Langdon Marsh and Thomas E. Quinn, both of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Albany; Walter A. Lyon, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; David Usher, Marine Pollution Control Corporation, on behalf of the Spill Control Association of America, and Capt. Thomas J. Schnell, both of Detroit, Michigan; and Capt. William Yockey, Port Huron, Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 3216-3224; 4 private bills, H.R. 3225-3228; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 398-399, and H. Res. 232-233 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management, amended (H. Rept. 101-226, filed on August 31); and

H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990, amended (H. Rept. 101-227).

Page 19556

Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 267 yeas to 85 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 220, the House approved the Journal of Friday, August 4.

Page 19506

Member Sworn: Representative-elect Ros-Lehtinen presented herself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

Page 19508

Treasury—Postal Service Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Roybal, Akaka, Hoyer, Alexander, Early, Sabo, Whitten, Skeen, Lowery of California, Wolf, and Conte.

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Agriculture Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Whitten, Traxler, McHugh, Natcher, Akaka, Watkins, Durbin, Smith of Iowa, Smith of Nebraska, Myers of Indiana, Skeen, Weber, and Conte.

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Interstate Child Support Commission: The Speaker and Minority Leader on August 11, 1989, jointly appointed to the Commission on Interstate Child Support on the part of the House the following Member: Mrs. Kennelly; and from private life: Mrs. Frances Rothschild, Los Angeles, California and Mr. Harry L. Tindall, Houston, Texas.

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Council on the Aging: The Speaker on August 11, 1989, appointed to the Federal Council on the Aging from private life on the part of the House: Ms. Tessa Macaulay, Deerfield Beach, Florida, and Mr. Raymond Raschko, Spokane, Washington, to fill an existing vacancy thereon.

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Truman Scholarship Foundation: The Speaker on August 11, 1989, appointed as members of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Skelton and Coleman of Missouri.

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Comprehensive Health Care Commission: The Speaker on August 11, 1989, appointed Mr. Stokes on the part of the House as a member to the United States Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care, to fill an existing vacancy thereon.

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Migrant Education Commission: The Speaker on August 23, 1989, appointed to the National Commission on Migrant Education the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Ford of Michigan and Goodling; and from private life: Ms. Patricia A. Hayes, Austin, Texas, and Mrs. Carolina Mata-Woodruff, Petersburg, Illinois.

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Energy and Water Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Beville, Boggs, Fazio, Watkins, Thomas of Georgia, Chapman, Whitten, Myers of Indiana, Smith of Nebraska, Pursell, and Conte.

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Presidential Message—Housing Partnerships: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the 20th annual report of the National Corporation for Housing Partnerships and the National Housing Partnership for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1989—referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

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NOAA Ocean Programs Authorization: By a yeas-and-nays vote of 343 yeas to 44 nays, Roll No. 221, the House passed H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Page 19517

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 19524

Agreed to the Nowak en bloc amendments that increases authorizations for NOAA atmospheric programs and climate and air quality programs by \$10

million; changes language concerning the location of the Great Lakes Research Office; and adds language defining the objective of the new office and requires that it coordinate its activities with other specified research offices.

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The McMillen of Maryland amendment was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to authorize funds for the construction and establishment of the Christopher Columbus Center for Marine Research and Exploration in the Baltimore Inner Harbor area.

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H. Res. 229, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

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NOAA Satellite Programs Authorization: By a yeas-and-nays vote of 380 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 222, the House passed H.R. 2427, to authorize appropriations for certain atmospheric and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Page 19531

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 19539

Agreed to:

The Lewis of Florida amendment that authorizes the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Commerce to establish a tropical cyclone research program for collecting operational and reconnaissance data, conducting research, and analyzing data on tropical cyclones to assist the forecast and warning program and increase the understanding of the causes and behavior of tropical cyclones, and

Page 19541

The Schneider amendment that transfers archiving responsibility for land remote-sensing data from the Secretary of Commerce to the Secretary of the Interior.

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H. Res. 230, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Condolence Resolution—Representative Leland: House agreed to H. Res. 233, expressing the condolences of the House on the death of Representative Leland.

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On August 19, 1989, the Speaker appointed the following Members to attend the funeral of the late Representative Leland: Representatives Brooks, Foley, Gephardt, Gray, Gonzalez, Pickle, de la Garza, Archer, Wilson, Frost, Leath of Texas, Stenholm, Fields, Hall of Texas, Andrews, Bartlett, Bryant, Coleman of Texas, Ortiz, Arme, Barton of

Texas, Bustamante, Combest, DeLay, Chapman, Smith of Texas, Laughlin, Sarpalius, Edwards of California, Conyers, Alexander, Stokes, Dellums, Rangel, Collins, Downey, Ford of Tennessee, Mineta, Waxman, Markey, Thomas A. Luken, Bonior, Kildee, Walgren, Garcia, Dixon, Hall of Ohio, Lewis of California, Mavroules, Synar, Wolpe, Dorgan of North Dakota, Dymally, Frank, Wolf, Hoyer, Carr, Bates, Durbin, Evans, Kaptur, Moody, Mrazek, Owens of New York, Towns, Wheat, Ackerman, Hayes of Illinois, Espy, Hayes of Louisiana, Holloway, Kennedy, Mfume, Paxon, Fauntroy, and de Lugo.

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Condolence Resolution—Representative Smith of Mississippi: House agreed to H. Res. 232, expressing the condolences of the House on the death of Representative Smith of Mississippi.

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On August 16, 1989, the Speaker appointed the following Members to attend the funeral of the late Representative Larkin I. Smith: Representatives Whitten, Michel, Gingrich, Montgomery, Espy,

Parker, Hughes, Edwards of Oklahoma, Weiss, Gunderson, Donald E. Lukens, Gallegly, Cox, Douglas, Goss, James, Laughlin, McNulty, Schiff, Smith of Vermont, and Stearns.

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Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development continued hearings on H.R. 1180, Housing and Community Development Act of 1989, with emphasis on HUD preservation and prepayment issues. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3, 1989 through August 31, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	84	96	..
Time in session.....	553 hrs., 56'	444 hrs., 41'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	10,600	5,338	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	2,931	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	39	55	94
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	..	7	..
Measures passed, total.....	327	319	646
Senate bills.....	54	7	..
House bills.....	40	115	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	75	33	..
House joint resolutions.....	26	31	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	23	17	..
House concurrent resolutions..	11	16	..
Simple resolutions.....	98	100	..
Measures reported, total.....	*221	*207	428
Senate bills.....	101	..	..
House bills.....	18	156	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	57	1	..
House joint resolutions.....	3	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	7	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	35	46	..
Special reports.....	13	13	..
Conference reports.....	..	6	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	58	50	..
Measures introduced, total.....	2,012	4,035	6,047
Bills.....	1,580	3,215	..
Joint resolutions.....	194	397	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	67	192	..
Simple resolutions.....	171	231	..
Quorum calls.....	5	10	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	168	101	..
Recorded votes.....	..	108	..
Bills vetoed.....	1	2	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3, 1989 through August 31, 1989

Civilian nominations, totaling 405, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	213
Unconfirmed.....	166
Withdrawn.....	22
Rejected.....	1
Failed.....	3

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 2,192, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,191
Unconfirmed.....	1

Air Force nominations, totaling 9,209, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	9,188
Unconfirmed.....	21

Army nominations, totaling 13,647, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	12,868
Unconfirmed.....	779

Navy nominations, totaling 11,099, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	10,533
Unconfirmed.....	566

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,211, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,211
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Summary

Total nominations received this session.....	38,763
Total confirmed.....	37,214
Total unconfirmed.....	1,523
Total withdrawn.....	22
Total rejected.....	1
Total failed of confirmation at Aug.-Sept. adjournment.....	3

* These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 119 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 226 have been filed in the House.

Thursday, September 7, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19784-19941

Measures Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1588-1590, S. Res. 174, and S. Con. Res. 68.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-121)

S. 1426, to revise and extend the programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-122)

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Measures Passed:

Commending the Crew of United Flight 232 and the FAA: Senate agreed to S. Res. 174, commending the crew members of the United flight 232 and the Federal Aviation Administration personnel involved with United flight 232 for their exemplary efforts on behalf of the passengers of that flight.

Page 19832

Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990: By 81 yeas to 9 nays (Vote No. 172), Senate passed H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with two committee amendments, and after taking action on an additional amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 19813, 19863

Adopted:

By 83 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 169), Wilson Amendment No. 698, to prohibit the use of the franking privilege for unsolicited mass mailings, and to provide that all monies heretofore appropriated for this purpose and authorized by the Congress may be made available to fight the war on drugs.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Reid, Mikulski, Adams, Byrd, Nickles, Hatfield, and Stevens.

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Americans With Disabilities Act of 1989: By 76 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 173), Senate passed S. 933, to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature

of a substitute, and after taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 19791, 19798, 19823, 19863

Adopted;

(1) Hatch Amendment No. 708, to end discrimination on the basis of disability in Federal wilderness areas.

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(2) Harkin Amendment No. 711, of a technical nature.

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(3) Harkin Amendment No. 712, of a technical nature.

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(4) By a unanimous vote of 90 yeas (Vote No. 171), Boschwitz Amendment No. 713, to require a judge to consider if a defendant who is accused of discrimination on the basis of disability has acted in good faith.

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(5) Hollings Amendment No. 714, to increase by one year the period for compliance with respect to the accessibility of over-the-road buses to individuals with disabilities.

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(6) Helms Modified Amendment No. 715, to clarify the definition of handicapped under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 relating to the uses of illegal drugs.

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(7) Helms Amendment No. 716, to provide that the term "disabled" or "disability" shall not apply to an individual solely because that individual is a transvestite.

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(8) Harkin Amendment No. 717, of a technical nature.

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(9) Harkin Amendment No. 718, to exclude an employee or applicant who is a current user of illegal drugs from the definition of "qualified individual with a disability".

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(10) Dole Amendment No. 719, to establish a Government-wide program to provide entities with technical assistance.

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(11) Grassley Amendment No. 720, to make applicable the provisions of the bill to the Senate, House of Representatives, and all the instrumentalities of the Congress.

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(12) Humphrey Amendment No. 721, to provide that an individual with a "disability" shall not include any individual who uses illegal drugs.

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(13) Armstrong Amendment No. 722, to more clearly define the term "disability".

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(14) Harkin Amendment No. 724, to establish that should any provision in the Act be found to be unconstitutional by a court of law, such provision shall be severed from the remainder of the Act, and such action shall not affect the enforceability of the remaining provisions of the Act.

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Withdrawn:

Dole Amendment No. 723, to allow certain capital expenditures of small businesses for auxiliary aids and services and reasonable accommodations to be treated as expense items.

Page 19886

During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 48 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 170), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected a motion to waive section 311(a) of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to the consideration of Hatch Amendment No. 709, to provide a refundable tax credit for the costs of small businesses complying with the public accommodations provisions of the bill. Subsequently, a point of order that the amendment was in violation of the Congressional Budget Act was sustained, and the amendment thus fell.

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Child Custody/Appeal Procedures: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case, and the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1163, Senate companion measure, agreeing to committee amendments proposed thereto, and adopting additional amendments, as follows:

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Mitchell (for Sasser) Amendment No. 725, of a technical nature

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Mitchell (for Levin) Amendment No. 726, to limit to 18 months the period of time the amendments made by the bill are effective and to authorize a Senate study of civil contempt in child custody cases.

Page 19911

Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on behalf of the Senate.

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S. 1163 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

Gregg Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of Donald P. Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea, on Tuesday, September 12, 1989.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Vaughn R. Walker, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

Otto G. Obermaier, of New York, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

Richard C. Breeden, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—173)

Pages 19823, 19846, 19851, 19863, 19903

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 11:52 p.m., until 12 noon, on Friday, September 9, 1989, for a pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 3015, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 3015, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Anne Newman Foreman, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the

Air Force, and Antonio Lopez, of Tennessee, to be Associate Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, after the nominees, who were introduced by Senator Wilson, testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

CORPORATE AVERAGE FUEL ECONOMY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1224, to require new standards for corporate average fuel economy, receiving testimony from Senators Metzbaum and Nickles; Owen Bieber, United Auto Workers, and Marina N. Whitman, General Motors Corporation, both of Detroit, Michigan; William D. Cotter, New York State Energy Office, Albany; Warren D. Noteware, California Energy Commission, Sacramento; R.R. Bolz, Chrysler Motors Corporation, Highland Park, Michigan; Hal Bracken, Toyota Motor Sales U.S.A., Torrance, California; Helen Petrauskas, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan; Jerry L. Benefield, Nissan Motor Manufacturing Corp. U.S.A., Smyrna, Tennessee; Earl Landesman, A.T. Kearney, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio; and James J. MacKenzie, World Resources Institute, Brooks Yeager, National Audubon Society, Deborah Bleviss, International Institute for Energy Conservation, and Toni Harrington, Honda North America, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDICARE

Committee on Finance: Committee began consideration of proposed legislation to revise and expand Medicare catastrophic benefits, and to provide financing of Medicare benefits, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Thomas C. Dawson II, of the District of Columbia, to be the U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund, and Warren A. Lavorel, of California, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the U.S. Coordinator for Multilateral Trade Negotiations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Dawson was introduced by Senator Conrad.

NATIONAL DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings to review the Administration's national drug control strategy, receiving testimony from William J. Bennett, Director, National Drug Control Policy.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 12.

PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Contracting and Paperwork Reduction con-

cluded oversight hearings on the implementation of the Paperwork Reduction Act (P.L. 96-511), and its impact on the small business community, especially the small business government contractor, after receiving testimony from Representative Sisisky; S. Jay Plager, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, and Allan V. Burman, Deputy Administrator and Acting Administrator for Federal Procurement Policy, both of the Office of Management and Budget; Frank S. Swain, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration; Leo G. Lauzen, Comprehensive Accounting Corporation, Aurora, Illinois; Denise Norberg, Gust A. Norberg & Son, Inc., Chicago, Illinois, representing the American Subcontractors Association and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Elaine Acevedo, Florist Trans World Delivery, Washington, DC, representing the Small Business Legislative Council and the National Small Business United.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee began evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., receiving opening statements from Representative Don Edwards, on behalf of Managers of the House of Representatives; and David Overlock Stewart, Counsel for Judge Nixon; and receiving testimony from Kenneth White-Spunner, former Special Agent, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.; Wiley Fairchild, Hattiesburg, Mississippi; and Paul Holmes, Slidell, Louisiana.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 3229-3236, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 234, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management (H. Rept. 101-228);

H. Res. 235, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2869, the "Commodity Futures Improvements Act of 1989" (H. Rept. 101-229);

H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive detection equipment at certain airports located outside

the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment (H. Rept. 101-230);

H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag, amended (H. Rept. 101-231);

H.R. 644, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the East Fork of the Jemez and Pecos Rivers in New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, amended (H. Rept. 101-232);

H.R. 737, to amend the Stock Raising Homestead Act to resolve certain problems regarding subsurface estates, amended (H. Rept. 101-233);

H.R. 2666, to establish a Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Program (H. Rept. 101-234);

Conference report on H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-235); and

H.R. 2869, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to improve the regulation of futures and options traded under the rules and regulations of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, establish registration standards for all exchange floor traders, restrict practices which may lead to the abuse of outside customers of the marketplace, reinforce development of exchange audit trails to better enable detection and prevention of such practices, establish higher standards for service on governing boards and disciplinary committees of self-regulatory organizations, enhance the international regulation of futures trading, and regularize the process of authorizing appropriations for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, amended (H. Rept. 101-236).

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Favored-Nation Status for Hungary: By a yeand-nay vote of 221 yeas to 169 nays, Roll No. 224, the House passed H.R. 1594, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment to the products of the People's Republic of Hungary for 5 years.

Pages 19690, 19696

Agreed to the committee amendment.

Page 19705

Agreed to:

The Rostenkowski amendment that reduces from 5 years to 3 years the most-favored-nation treatment applied to products of the People's Republic of Hungary; and

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The Rostenkowski technical and conforming amendment.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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H. Res. 228, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yeand-nay vote of 220 yeas to 173 nays, Roll No. 223.

Page 19690

Late Report: Committee on Agriculture received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 2869, the Commodity Futures Improvement Act.

Page 19696

Alcohol Drug Treatment Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 132, designating September 1 through 30, 1989 as "National Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yeand-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 19695 and 19706. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 1:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development continue hearings on H.R. 1180, Housing and Community Development Act of 1989, with emphasis on public interest groups. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 12.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight hearing on GAO's study of the management of the Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services. Testimony was heard from William Gainer, Director, Education and Employment Issues, Human Resources Division, GAO; and Robert Davila, Assistant Secretary, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education.

CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on reauthorization of the Clean Air Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 12.

PENNY STOCK MARKET

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on fraud within the penny stock market. Testimony was

heard from H. Wayne Howell, Deputy Secretary of State, State of Georgia; and public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action Title III (Implementation of International Conventions) of H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation; and Brian Hoyle, Director, Office of Ocean Law and Policy, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State.

RIO GRANDE AMERICAN CANAL EXTENSION ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 512, Rio Grande American Canal Extension Act of 1988.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 967, amended, to establish the Amistad National Recreation Area in the State of Texas; H.R. 2174, amended, Commission on the Mississippi River National Heritage Corridor Act of 1989; and S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historic Park, WV.

OVERSIGHT—NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL STRATEGY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held an oversight hearing on the national drug control strategy. Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, National Drug Control Policy Board.

IMMIGRATION NURSING RELIEF ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees, and International Law approved for full Committee action the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 1507, Immigration Nursing Relief Act of 1989.

CENSUS EQUITY ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population concluded hearings on H.R. 2661, Census Equity Act, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives Goodling and Petri; C. Louis Kincannon, Deputy Direc-

tor, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce; David Berneau, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Resource Management and Support, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service approved for full Committee action the following bills; H.R. 2544, amended Public Service Education Assistance Act of 1989; and H.R. 2986, to clarify provisions relating to the performance review board making recommendations concerning appointees in the Senior Executive Service.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits held a hearing on H.R. 2748, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1990. Testimony was heard from Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; the following officials of the FBI, Department of Justice: John Otto, Associate Deputy Director; Jim Fox, Assistant Director, and Suzanne Bender, Physical Security Specialist, both with the New York Field Division.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1759, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management. Testimony was heard from Chairman Roe and Representatives Nelson of Florida and Valentine.

COMMODITY FUTURES IMPROVEMENTS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2869, Commodity Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Chairman de la Garza and Representatives English and Coleman of Missouri.

AVIATION SECURITY ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1659, Aviation Security Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Chairmen Anderson and Fancell and Representatives Oberstar, Clinger, and Frenzel.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 3027, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability and Compensation Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from RAdm. Joel D. Sipes, USCG, Chief, Office of

Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; the following officials of the EPA; Erich Bretthauer, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Research and Development; and James Makris, Director, Chemical Emergency, Preparedness and Prevention Office; John Robinson, Chief, Hazardous Materials Response Branch, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Edward J. Tennyson, Research Scientist, Technology Assessment and Research Branch, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3, Early Childhood Education and Development Act of 1989.

Joint Meetings

AGRICULTURE IN THE SOVIET UNION AND CHINA

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the progress of agricultural reforms in the Soviet Union and China and the prospects for U.S. agricultural exports to these two countries, after receiving testimony from Ken Gray, Branch Chief, Economic Research Service, Department of Agriculture; Colin Carter, University of California at Davis; and D. Gale Johnson, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2696, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for energy and water development programs.

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Friday, September 8, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, in pro forma session, and recessed at 12 o'clock and 30 seconds p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 12.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY FUTURES-TRADING PRACTICES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's review of the July emergency in the soybean futures market and to review the General Accounting Office study of futures trading abuses, receiving testimony from Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, Cecile Trop, Assistant Director, General Government Division, and Richard Hillman, Assistant Director, Information Management and Technology Division, all of the U.S. General Accounting Office; and Kalo A. Hineman, Commissioner, John Mielke, Director, Market Surveillance, and Alan Seifer, Deputy Director, and Stephen Braverman, Associate Director, both of the Trading and Markets, all of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded open and closed hearings on the nomination of Martin C. Faga, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Space, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of John W. Weicher, of the District of Columbia, Sherrie S. Rollins, of Virginia, and Skirma A. Kondratas, of Virginia, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, Quincy M. Krosby, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Brian W. Clymer, of Pennsylvania, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator, Department of Transportation.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the aforementioned nominees, after each testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Rollins and Ms. Kondratas were introduced by Senator Warner, and Mr. Clymer was introduced by Senator Heinz.

COMMUNITY AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for community and urban development programs, after receiving testimony from Jeffrey Swain, New York Commissioner of Community Development, Rochester; Monsignor William Linder, New

Community Corporation, Newark, New Jersey; Helen Sause, San Francisco Redevelopment Agency, San Francisco, California, on behalf of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials; Robert K. Middleton, Industrial Development Commission, Little Rock, Arkansas; Parker Anderson, Community Development Department, Los Angeles, California; Mayor Brian J. Sarault, Pawtucket, Rhode Island; Freddy Ray, Task Force on Historic Preservation in the Minority Community, Richmond, Virginia; Commissioner D. Michael Stewart, Salt Lake County, Utah; David N. Lund, Los Angeles County Community Development Commission, Monterey Park, California; Councilman Tony Scallion, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Margaret Kelly, New England Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, Boston, Massachusetts; and Jeffrey A. Finkle, National Council for Urban Economic Development, Marilyn Melkonian, Telesis Corporation, and Edward Gramlich, Center for Community Change, all of Washington, DC.

PROTECTING ANTARCTICA'S ENVIRONMENT

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings on the environmental problems being caused by increasing human activity in Antarctica, focusing on research bases, after receiving testimony from R. Tucker Scully, Director, Office of Marine Science and Polar Affairs, Department of State; Peter E. Wilkniss, Division Director, Division of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation; and Lee Kimball, World Resources Institute; and James N. Barnes, Antarctic and Southern Ocean Coalition, both of Washington, DC.

DRUG CONTROL STRATEGY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on international aspects of the national drug control strategy, receiving testimony from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of James R. Cheek, of Arkansas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sudan, Lannon Walker, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Nigeria, and Johnny Young, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

ORGANIZED CRIME STRIKE FORCES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded joint hearings with the Committee on the Ju-

diciary to review the status of the Department of Justice Organized Crime Strike Force program, after receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Richard L. Thornburgh, Attorney General, Department of Justice; Eugene H. Methvin, Member, President's Commission on Organized Crime; Philip B. Heymann, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, former Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Kurt W. Muellenberg, Kroll Associates, Washington, DC, former Chief, Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, Department of Justice; Peter F. Vaira, Fox & Rothschild, O'Brien & Frankel, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, former United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania; Robert Morgenthau, New York County District Attorney, former United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, and James Harmon, Bower & Gardner, former Executive Director, President's Commission on Organized Crime, both of New York, New York; Robert Bonner, United States District Judge for the Central District of California, Los Angeles, former United States Attorney for the Central District of California; L. Eades Hogue, Pan American Life Center, New Orleans, Louisiana; Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan, Choate, Hall & Stewart, Boston, Massachusetts, former United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts; Douglas P. Roller, Rooks, Pitts & Poust, Chicago, Illinois, former Strike Force Chief, Cleveland and Chicago; Lynn Slaby, National District Attorney's Association, Akron, Ohio; and David Helfrey, Guilfoil, Petzall & Shoemake, St. Louis, Missouri, former Strike Force Chief, Kansas City.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee continued evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., receiving testimony from Paul Holmes, Slidell, Louisiana; and Carroll Ingram, Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 12.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, September 11.

Committee Meetings

DIOXIN CONTAMINATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on dioxin contamination of milk packaged in paper cartons. Testimony was heard from James S. Benson, Acting Deputy Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

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Monday, September 11, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, September 12, at 9:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

TERRORISM

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the Federal Government's efforts to combat terrorism, receiving testimony from Morris D. Busby, Coordinator for Counter-Terrorism, Department of State; Oliver B. Revell, Associate Deputy Director for Investigations, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Adm. Stansfield Turner, McLain, Virginia, former Director of the Central Intelligence Agency; and Noel Koch, Arlington, Virginia, former Director of Special Planning, Department of Defense; Brian Michael Jenkins, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, California; and Robert H. Kupperman, Center for Strategic International Studies, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DISADVANTAGED MINORITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation to improve disadvantaged minority health programs, after receiving testimony from Representatives Stokes and Richardson; Louis Sullivan, Secretary of Health and Human Services; and Herbert Nickens, Association of American Medical Colleges, and Jane Delgado, National Coalition of Hispanic Health and Human Services Organization, both of Washington, DC.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 4 public bills, H.R. 3237-3240; 1 private bill, H.R. 3241; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 193-194 were introduced. **Page 19963**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gray to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page 19960**

Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENERIC DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the generic drug approval process at the FDA. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FDA, Department of Health and Human Services: Paul F. Vogel, Deputy Director, Generic Drug Compliance Staff, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research; Laurence D. Daurio; Douglas B. Poucher; and Gary P. Tunkavige, all Consumer Safety Officers; and public witnesses.

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Tuesday, September 12, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1591-1612, and S. Res. 175. **Page 20052**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1502, to authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (Rept. No. 101-123)

H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities

chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (Rept. No. 101-124)

S. 1291, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act, with amendments. (Rept. No. 101-125)

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Measures Passed:

Genesee River: Senate passed S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York, after agreeing to committee amendments, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Lautenberg (for Moynihan) Amendment No. 729, of a technical nature.

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Protection of Lechuguilla Cave: Senate passed S. 558, to authorize a study on methods to protect and interpret the internationally significant Lechuguilla Cave at Carlsbad Caverns National Park in the State of New Mexico, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Carlsbad Caverns National Park/Research Institute: Senate passed S. 855, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish a cave research institute at Carlsbad Caverns National Park, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Wild and Scenic Rivers System: Senate passed S. 940, to designate segments of the East Fork of the Jemez River and of the Pecos River as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Truman National Historic Site: Senate passed H.R. 419, to provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S. Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.

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Grant National Historic Site: Senate passed H.R. 1529, to provide for the establishment of the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments (with two exceptions), and the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 19983, 20048

Pending:

(1) Byrd Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

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(2) Lautenberg Amendment No. 728 (to committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 6), to permanently ban cigarette smoking on domestic airline flights.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and pending amendments thereto, on Wednesday, September 13.

Child Custody/Appeals Procedures: The Chair, under authority of September 7, 1889, appointed as conferees on behalf of the Senate for consideration of H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case, the following: Senators Glenn, Levin, Sasser, Stevens, and Wilson.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 66 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 174), Donald Phinney Gregg, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Korea.

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Dennis Edward Kloske, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Received on Friday, September 8, during the recess:

Duane Perry Andrews, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

David Courtland O'Neal, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Jennifer Joy Wilson, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Margot E. Machol, of the District of Columbia, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

LaJuana Sue Wilcher, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Received today:

Marion V. Creekmore, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Maldives.

Henry Allen Holmes, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador at Large for Burdensharing.

Alan Green, Jr., of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Romania.

S. Jay Plager, of Indiana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit.

Jeffrey R. Howard, of New Hampshire, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Hampshire.

Michael D. McKay, of Washington, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington.

Leonard L. Haynes III, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

Curtis Virgil McVee, of Alaska, to be Federal Co-chairman of the Alaska Land Use Council.

George W. Haley, of Maryland, to be a Commissioner of the Postal Rate Commission for the remainder of the term expiring October 14, 1992.

2 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Army, Coast Guard.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations:

Kenneth D. Whitehead, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, Department of Education, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

David Courtland O'Neal, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—174)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:58 p.m., until 9 a.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 20048.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA/COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 3026, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, with amendments.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE/JUSTICE/STATE/JUDICIARY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary, and related agencies approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 2991, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 3072, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense.

APPROPRIATIONS—VA/HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 2916, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Veterans' Affairs, Housing and Urban Development, and independent agencies.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 374, to designate the Pony Express National Historic Trail as a component of the National Trails System, after receiving testimony from Senator Bryan; and Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior;

S. 620, to provide for the sale of certain Alaska property to Leroy W. Shebal of North Pole, Alaska, after receiving testimony from Senator Stevens; and Billy R. Templeton, Acting Assistant Director, Land and Renewable Resources, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

S. 393, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to take certain actions to consummate an exchange of specified lands in Salt Lake County and Utah County, Utah, after receiving testimony from Repre-

sentative Nielson; Mr. Templeton; and Maj. Robert K. Nelson, Utah National Guard, Draper;

S. 319, to convey certain Federal lands within the State of Utah to the Salt Lake City Corporation in exchange for the conveyance of certain city lands to the Secretary of Agriculture, after receiving testimony from George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and Mayor Palmer DePaulis, Salt Lake City, Utah;

S. 1230, to authorize the acquisition of additional lands containing Indian burial grounds for inclusion in the Knife River Indian Villages National Historic Site, North Dakota, and to provide additional developmental funding for the historic site visitor center, after receiving testimony from Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and

H.R. 2783, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota, after receiving testimony from Mr. Templeton; and Marvin J. Sonosky, Red Lake Band of Chippewas, Washington, DC.

INTERNATIONAL DRUG CARTELS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the structure and operation of international cocaine cartels concentrated in Colombia, receiving testimony from Bruce M. Carnes, Director, Planning, Budget and Administration, Office of National Drug Control Policy; David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator for Operations, Drug Enforcement Administration, and William M. Baker, Assistant Director for Intelligence, David G. Binney, Section Chief, Drug Section, Criminal Division, and Timothy McNally, Assistant Special Agent in Charge, Miami Field Office, all of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, all of the Department of Justice; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on the Administration's national drug control strategy, focusing on participating by State and local governments, and the impact of drug abuse and drug violence on the criminal justice system and on the law enforcement and correctional communities, receiving testimony from Fred B. Ugast, Chief Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia; Mayor Joseph P. Riley, Charleston, South Carolina, on behalf of the U.S. Conference of Mayors; North Carolina State Representative Daniel Blue, Jr., Raleigh, on behalf of the National Conference of State Legislatures; Sterling Johnson, Jr., Office of the Manhattan District Attorney, New York, New York; Charles B. Meeks, National Sheriffs' Association, Alexandria, Virginia; Anthony P. Travisono,

American Correctional Association, College Park, Maryland; John S. Gustafson, New York State Division of Substance Abuse Services, Albany, on behalf of the National Association of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors; and Thomas J. Quinn, Delaware Criminal Justice Council, Dover, on behalf of the National Criminal Justice Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STUDENT ATHLETE RIGHT-TO-KNOW ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 580, to require institutions of higher education receiving Federal assistance to provide certain information with respect to the graduation rates of student-athletes, receiving testimony from Senator Bradley; Representative McMillen; Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati, Ohio; Rollie Massimino, Villanova University, Villanova, Pennsylvania; Bob Hurley, St. Anthony's High School, Jersey City, New Jersey; Dick Schultz, National Collegiate Athletic Association, Mission, Kansas; James Whalen, Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York, on behalf of the American Council on Education; Richard Lapchick, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts; and Patricia Lucas, Southeast High School, Bradenton, Florida, on behalf of the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee resumed evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., receiving testimony from Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Mississippi; Judge Peter Beer, U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana; Will Denton, Biloxi, Mississippi; Walter Eppes, Meridian, Mississippi; and Benjamin F. Graves and George Saxon, both of Gulfport, Mississippi.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 3242-3258; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 400-403, and H. Res. 237 and 238 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2742, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act, amended (H. Rept. 101-237);

H.R. 2642, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact (H. Rept. 101-238);

H.R. 2835, to provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, New Jersey, amended (H. Rept. 101-239); and

H.R. 1396, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to facilitate cooperation between the United States and foreign countries in securities laws enforcement, amended (H. Rept. 101-240).

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Historically Black Colleges: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 109, to designate the period commencing September 11, 1989, and ending on September 15, 1989, as "National Historically Black Colleges Week".

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Flag protection: H.R. 2978, amended, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag (passed by a yeas-and-nay vote of 380 yeas to 38 nays, Roll No. 226, after being rejected earlier by a division vote of 6 yeas to 9 noes);

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Civic Achievement Award: H.R. 2358, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Agreed to amend the title;

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American Folklife Center: H.R. 2346, to authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 1075, a similar Senate-passed measure was passed in lieu—clearing the measure for the President;

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Senior Executive Service: H.R. 2986, to amend title 5, United States Code, to clarify provisions relating to the composition of any performance review board making recommendations concerning performance awards for career appointees in the Senior Executive Service;

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Stock raising: H.R. 737, amended, to amend the Stock Raising Homestead Act to resolve certain problems regarding subsurface estates;

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Congressional Scholarships: H.R. 996, amended, to establish the Congressional Scholarships for Science, Mathematics, and Engineering;

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Pepper Scholarship Program: H.R. 2666, to establish a Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Program;

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Library services: H.R. 2742, amended, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act; and

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Postal Service Fund: H.R. 982, to amend title 39, United States Code, with respect to the budgetary treatment of the Postal Service Fund (passed by a yeas-and-nay vote of 405 yeas to 11 nays, Roll No. 227).

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Energy and Water Appropriations: By a yeas-and-nay vote of 392 yeas to 27 nays, Roll No. 225, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 4637, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 8, 13, 14, 17, 19, 47, 52, 55, 64, and 70.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 2, 7, 9, 10, 22, 24, 25, 31, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, 56, and 60—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Recess Authority: It was made in order for the Speaker to declare a recess on Wednesday, September 13, subject to the call of the Chair, to allow Members to attend the memorial service for the late Representative Leland.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yeas-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 20160, 20166, 20167.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development concluded hearings on H.R. 1180, Housing and Community Development Act of 1989, with emphasis on Community Block Grant and Housing Issues. Testimony was heard from Representatives Traficant and Wyden; and public witnesses.

FARMER MAC

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance held a hearing on the Federal Agriculture Mortgage Corporation (Farmer Mac). Testimony was heard from Donald Coonley, Chief National Bank Examiner, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and Dorothy Acosta, Chair-

person, Secondary Market Committee, Farm Credit Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power continued hearings on reauthorization of the Clean Air Act. Testimony was heard from William K. Reilly, Administrator, EPA; and W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy.

INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DRUG CONTROL STRATEGY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on the Review of the International Aspects of the President's Drug Control Strategy. Testimony was heard from William Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Policy; Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; and Steve Duncan, Drug Coordinator, Department of Defense.

NATIONAL AMERICAN INDIAN MUSEUM ACT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Libraries and Memorials approved for full Committee action H.R. 2668, National American Indians Museum Act.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held an oversight hearing on refugee admissions for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OIL POLLUTION LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation approved for full Committee action amended separate titles to H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources of the Committee on Government Operations held a joint oversight hearing on the management of the National Wildlife Refuge System. Testimony was heard from James Duffus III, Director, Natural Resources Management Issues Area, GAO; David Olsen, Assistant Director, Refugees and Wildlife, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

PANAMA CANAL LEGISLATION; ECOLOGICAL EFFECTS OF OCS DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal and Outer Continental Shelf approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1347, amended, Panama Canal Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 3237, to amend title X, United States Code, and the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, to provide authorization for the Officer of the Department of Defense designated by the Secretary of Defense as a member of the Board of the Panama Canal Commission to nominate individuals for appointment to the United States Service Academies.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on ecological effects of OCS development on coastal and ocean environments. Testimony was heard from John J. Carey, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Richard E. Sanderson, Director, Office of Federal Affairs, EPA; Barry A. Williamson, Director, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE DUE PROCESS AMENDMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on H.R. 3086, Civil Service Due Process Amendments. Testimony was heard from Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; and public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3027, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability, and Compensation Act of 1989.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Research and Development in the Construction Industry. Testimony was heard from Richard Wright, Director, Center for Building Technology, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; Jesse A. Pfeiffer, General Manager, Civil Works, R&D, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Ronald Morony, Director, Innovative Technology, Department of Housing and Urban Development; David Cheney, Science Policy Research Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

EUROPE 1992 AND SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Exports, Tax Policy and Special Problems held a hearing on Europe 1992: "How will American Small Business Develop a Presence." Testimony was heard from Susan S. Engeleiter, Administrator, SBA; Frank Fargo, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Europe, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

IN THE MATTER OF REPRESENTATIVE BARNEY FRANK

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to begin a preliminary inquiry concerning Representative Barney Frank.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Memorial Affairs approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 88, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Army to set aside an appropriate area within Arlington National Cemetery for the unmarked burial of cremated remains; and H.R. 2807, to provide for the establishment of a memorial on Federal land within the District of Columbia to honor members of the Armed Forces who served in World War II, and to express the sense of Congress concerning U.S. participation in that conflict.

Joint Meeting**U.S. ECONOMIC POLICYMAKING**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to examine how U.S. economic policy is made and how the process might be improved in the future, receiving testimony from Lyle Gramley, Mortgage Bankers Association, former Member, Federal Reserve Board and Council of Economic Advisers, Alice Rivlin, Brookings Institution, former Director, Congressional Budget Office, and Herbert Stein, American Enterprise Institute, former Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, September 13, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine Proceedings, pages 20241-20324

Measures Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S1613-1620, S. Res. 176 and 177, and S.J. Res. 196.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 13, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rates of disability compensation and dependency and indemnity compensation for veterans and survivors, to increase the allowances paid to disabled veterans pursuing rehabilitation programs and to the dependents and survivors of certain disabled veterans pursuing programs of education, and to improve various programs of benefits and health-care services for veterans, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-126)

H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-127)

H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-128)

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Measures Passed:

Expressing Sorrow at the Death of Representative Leland: Senate agreed to S. Res. 176, relative to the death of Representative Mickey Leland, of Texas.

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Expressing Sorrow at the Death of Representative Larkin I. Smith: Senate agreed to S. Res. 177, relative to the death of Representative Larkin I. Smith, of Mississippi.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Reid Amendment No. 730, to reduce the incidence of discharge of wastes from rail passenger equipment owned and operated by the National Railroad Passenger Corporation.

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(2) Boschwitz Amendment No. 733, to make available grants for the soundproofing of private schools affected by airport noise.

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(3) Lautenberg Amendment No. 734, of a technical nature.

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(4) Lautenberg (for Sasser) Amendment No. 735, of a technical nature.

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(5) Pryor Amendment No. 736, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of Transportation.

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(6) Lautenberg (for Levin) Amendment No. 738, to guarantee and make commitments to guarantee obligations of railroads incurred for rehabilitation and improvement of facilities or equipment, acquisition of new railroad facilities or refinancing of existing debt.

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(7) Stevens Amendment No. 741, to provide that the aggregate expenditure of funds of States for commercial motor vehicle safety programs will be maintained at a level which does not fall below the average level of such expenditure for the last two full fiscal years preceding the date the plan is approved.

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(8) Stevens Amendment No. 742, expressing the sense of the Senate in recognition of the construction of the Alaska Highway, and its contribution to the development of Alaska and Canada.

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Withdrawn:

Exon Amendment No. 737, to limit the period during which a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission may serve after the member's term of office has expired.

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Pending:

(1) Byrd Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

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(2) Lautenberg Amendment No. 728 (to committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 2), to permanently ban cigarette smoking on domestic airline flights.

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During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

Senate upheld the ruling of the Chair in sustaining a point of order against Kasten Amendment No. 740, to establish a 3-year study program to resolve AMTRAK employee's claims for on the job injuries under State workers' compensation laws rather than under the Federal Employers Liability Act, as being legislation on an appropriations bill, and the amendment thus fell.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 2, pertaining to smoking on airplanes, and by unanimous consent, a vote will occur on the motion on

Thursday, September 14, with all other provisions of Rule XXII OF the Standing Rules of the Senate to be observed with respect thereto.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, and the pending amendments proposed thereto.

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Veto—FSX Codevelopment Project: By 66 yeas to 34 nays (Vote No. 175), two-thirds of the Senators voting not having voted in the affirmative, S.J. Res. 113, prohibiting the export of technology, defense articles and defense services to codevelop or coproduce the FSX aircraft with Japan, upon reconsideration, was rejected, and the veto of the President was sustained.

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Energy and Water Development Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, on Thursday, September 14, with a vote to occur thereon at 10:25 a.m.

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Appointments:

U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: The Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to Public Law 100-204, announced the appointment of the following individuals from the private sector to the U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: Jeane Kirkpatrick and Alan Keyes.

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Senate Delegation to the Fall Interparliamentary Group Meeting: The Chair, pursuant to the provisions of 22 U.S.C. 276, as amended, and the order of the Senate on August 4, 1989, empowering the President of the Senate, the President pro tempore, and the Majority and Minority Leaders to appoint commissions, boards and committees authorized by law or by the Senate, announced the appointment by the Vice President on August 11, 1989, of Senator Sasser to the Senate Delegation to the Fall Interparliamentary Group Meeting, held in London, England, September 4-9, 1989.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Edwin L. Nelson, of Alabama, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama.

G. Thomas Van Bebber, of Kansas, to be United States District Judge for the District of Kansas.

Donald Belton Ayer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Attorney General.

Mary Sterling, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

William James Tattersall, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health.

Barbara Zartman, of New York, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—175)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Representative Mickey Leland, of Texas, in accordance with S. Res. 176, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Representative Larkin I. Smith, of Mississippi, in accordance with S. Res. 177, recessed at 8 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 14, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 20324.)

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—VA/HUD/LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills, with amendments:

H.R. 2916, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for certain independent agencies; and

H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and certain related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN OPERATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR, HHS, EDUCATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 2990, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 3012, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military construction programs.

TIED AID CREDITS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy concluded oversight hearings on tied aid credits and the effects that the tied aid credit practices of other countries have on U.S. exports and our industrial competitiveness and on the potential role of international negotiations in dealing with the tied aid credit problem, after receiving testimony from Charles H. Dallara, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs; John D. Macomber, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States; and Garabed K. Armenian, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, on behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers and the Coalition for Employment Through Exports, Frank Kittredge, National Foreign Trade Council, and Stuart K. Tucker, Overseas Development Council, all of Washington, D.C.

LEBANON

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on the current situation in Lebanon from John H. Kelly, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; and John T. McCarthy, Ambassador to Lebanon.

INTERNATIONAL DRUG CARTELS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded hearings to examine the structure and operation of international cocaine cartels concentrated in Colombia, after receiving testimony from two public witnesses.

DESECRATION OF U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on proposals to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States, receiving testimony from Senators Dole and Dixon; H.F. Gierke, Amer-

ican Legion, John F. Heilman, Disabled American Veterans, Walter G. Hogan, Veterans of Foreign Wars, R. Jack Powell, Paralyzed Veterans of America, Mary Stout, Vietnam Veterans of America, and James H. Warner, all of Washington, D.C.; Gary Freeman, Hutchinson, Kansas; and Col. Harry G. Summers, Bowie, Maryland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SMALL BUSINESS TAX POLICY

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings to examine the impact of current tax laws on small business, after receiving testimony from Frank S. Swain, Chief Counsel, Office of Advocacy, Small Business Administration; John J. Motley III, National Federation of Independent Business, Washington, D.C.; Tom Goodner, Goodner's Supermarkets, Duncan, Oklahoma, representing the National Grocer's Association and Small Business Legislative Council; Roy H. Hunt, Hunt Tractor, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; H.A. True, Jr., True Companies, and Robert Macy, Jr., Macy and Associates, both of Casper, Wyoming; Lyda B. Nickell, E.L. Nickell Company, Constantine, Michigan, representing the National Small Business United; Russell V. Michaletz, Arthur Anderson and Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, representing the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce; Arthur S. Hoffman, Spicer and Oppenheim, New York, New York, and Thomas E. Reardon, Larson, Allen, Weishair and Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, both representing the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; and Michael J. Knight, Michael Knight, Fairfield, Connecticut, representing the National Small Business United.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Kenneth B. Kramer, of Colorado, and John J. Farley III, of Maryland, each to be an Associate Judge of the U.S. Court of Veterans Appeals.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Kramer and Farley, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Kramer was introduced by Senators Wirth and Armstrong, and Mr. Farley was introduced by Senator Sarbanes.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS (HASTINGS)

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS (NIXON)

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee concluded evidentiary hearings in the matter relating to the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., after receiving testimony from Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Mississippi; and receiving summary statements from Representatives Don Edwards and F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr., both on behalf of the Managers of the House of Representatives; and David Overlock Stewart, Counsel for Judge Nixon.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bill, H.R. 3259-3272; 1 private bill, H.R. 3273; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 404 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 3027, to provide liability for damages resulting from oil pollution prevention and response, amended (H. Rept. 101-241).

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Commodity Futures Improvements Act: By a yea-and-nay vote of 420 yeas, Roll No. 228, the House passed H.R. 2869, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to improve the regulations of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, establish registration standards for all exchange floor traders, restrict practices which may lead to the abuse of outside customers of the marketplace, reinforce development of exchange audit trails to better enable the detection and prevention of such practices, establish higher standards for service on governing boards and disciplinary committees of self-regulatory organizations, enhance the international regulation of futures trading, and regularize the process of authorizing appropriations for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Glickman amendment that requires the Commission to study the imposition of assessment on futures and options transactions;

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The English amendment that establishes the process and qualifications for the appointment of Commissioners;

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The Nagle amendment that prohibits voting by board members on actions in which those members have a direct interest;

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The Smith of Iowa amendment that exempts a contract market from certain provisions if the Commission determines that such exception is in the public interest;

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The Huckaby en bloc amendment that requires the Commodity Futures Trading Commission to monitor the margin levels on equity index futures contracts; requires the Commission to monitor arbitrage trading in equity index futures contracts; and requires a study of the feasibility of computerized futures trading and to authorize a computerized futures trading pilot project; and

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The de la Garza amendment that adds the Farm Credit Administration to a list of agencies exempt from the Senior Executive Service.

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The Tauke amendment was offered but subsequently withdrawn that sought to require the GAO to conduct an investigation of members of the board of directors of the Chicago Board of Trade on July 11, 1989.

Agreed to amend the title.

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The Clerk was authorized to correct the table of contents, section numbers, punctuation, citations, and cross references and to make such other technical and conforming changes necessary in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 235, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Recess: House recessed at 12:35 p.m. to allow Members to attend the Memorial Service for the late Representative Leland, and reconvened at 2:25 p.m.

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Interior Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representative Yates, Murtha, Dicks, AuCoin, Beville, Atkins, Whitten, Regula, McDade, Lowery of California, and Conte.

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Agreed to the Regula motion to instruct the managers on the part of the House to agree to the amendment of the Senate numbered 168 and to address the concerns contained in Senate amendment numbered 153 (agreed to by a recorded vote of 410 ayes to 3 noes, Roll. No. 230). Agreed to order the previous question on the motion to instruct (agreed

to by a yea-and-nay vote of 264 yeas to 153 nays, Roll No. 229).

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Standards of Official Conduct: The Speaker designated Representative Stokes to sit with and act as a member of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in all committee proceedings relating to the Committee's investigation in the matter of Representative Frank, vice Representative Atkins.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 20356, 20367, 20368. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 9:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on funding for National Drug Control Strategy. Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Policy; Richard G. Darman, Director, OMB; and Richard Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States.

SOVIET UNION'S UNILATERAL FORCE REDUCTION AND WITHDRAWAL

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the Soviet Union's unilateral force reduction and withdrawal. Testimony was heard from Phillip Karber, Senior Vice President and General Manager, National Security Programs, BDM, International, Inc.; and Edward L. Warner III, Senior Defense Analyst, The Rand Corporation.

VETERANS' PENSIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation approved for full Committee action H.R. 1358, to amend title 35, United States Code, to increase rates of compensation and disability and dependency compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and survivors of such veterans.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a briefing on this legislation. The Subcommittee was briefed by staff members.

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage held an oversight hearing on the Fair Credit Reporting Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Shaw; Bonnie Guiton, Special Adviser to the Presi-

dent on Consumer Affairs; Janet D. Steiger, Chairman, FTC; and public witnesses.

FHA INSURANCE FUND

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on the FHA Insurance Fund. Testimony was heard from Dennis Duquette, Director, Agency Financial Audits, GAO.

FARMER MAC

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Policy Research and Insurance concluded hearings on the Federal Agriculture Mortgage Corporation (Farmer Mac). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Select Education held a joint hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Jay Rochlin, Executive Director, President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities; Evan J. Kemp, Jr., Commissioner, EEOC; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment began markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

HIGH DEFINITION TELEVISION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on High Definition Television (HDTV). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TOBACCO ADVERTISING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on Deceptive Tobacco Advertising Throughout the World. Testimony was heard from Representatives Atkins, Levine of California, and Synar; Dr. C. Everett Koop, Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRACY IN BURMA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 185, in support of basic human rights and democracy in Burma.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a joint hearing on The Crackdown in Burma: Sup-

pression of the Democracy Movement and Violations of Human Rights. Testimony was heard from Senator Moynihan; Representative Rohrabacher; the following officials of the Department of State: Richard Schifter, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and International Organizations; and David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and a public witness.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing met to consider pending business.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2095, amended, Abandoned Mine Reclamation Act of 1989; H.R. 2174, amended, Commission on the Mississippi River National Heritage Corridor Act of 1989; S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to the Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, WV; H.R. 967, amended, to establish the Amistad National Recreation Area in the State of Texas; and H.R. 1606, amended, to adjust the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations met to consider private claims bills.

TRANSGENIC ANIMAL PATENT REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held a hearing on H.R. 1556, Transgenic Animal Patent Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Kevin W. O'Connor, Senior Analyst and Project Director, Biological Applications Program, OTA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law continued oversight hearings on refugee admissions for fiscal year 1990. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Jewel S. Lafontant, U.S. Coordinator, Refugee Affairs; and Princeton Lyman, Director, Bureau for Refugee Programs; Philip Holman, Acting Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Department of Health and Human Services; and James Buck, Acting Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice.

POTOMAC RIVER AIR CUSHION VEHICLE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on Potomac River Air Cushion Vehicle Transportation System. Testimony was heard from Steve Barsony, Director, Engineering Evaluation, Office of Technical Assistance and Safety, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN ENTERPRISE ECONOMY

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on "The Future of the American Enterprise Economy". Testimony was heard from Gerald Baliles, Governor of Virginia.

Hearings continue September 19.

VETERANS BENEFITS INCREASE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1335, to amend title 35, United States Code, to increase rates of compensation and disability and dependency compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and survivors of such veterans.

REHABILITATIVE MEDICINE AND RESEARCH PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on rehabilitative medicine and research programs. Testimony was heard from Dr. Danile H. Winship, Associate Deputy Chief Medical Director, Department of Veterans Affairs; representatives of veterans organizations; and public witnesses.

BETTER UTILIZING AN OLDER WORKFORCE: FOCUS ON INTERGENERATION DAY CARE

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Retirement Income and Employment held a hearing on "Better Utilizing An Older Workforce: Focus on Intergeneration Day Care". Testimony was heard from Carolyn Golding, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Employment and Training Administration, Department of Labor; Louis D. Enoff, Deputy Commissioner, Programs, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; Daniel Schulner, Director, Public Policy, National Council on the Aging; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL DRUG STRATEGY

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on Federal Drug Strategy. Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Policy.

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1621-1631, S. Res. 178, S.J. Res. 197 and 198, and S. Con. Res. 69.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 543, to amend the Job Training Partnership Act to strengthen the program of employment and training assistance under that Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-129)

H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-130)

H.R. 2939, making appropriations for Foreign Assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-131)

H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-132)

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Measures Passed:

Commending Gail D. Fosler: Senate agreed to S. Res. 178, commending Gail D. Fosler for her faithful and exemplary service to her country and the U.S. Senate.

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District of Columbia Police Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 1502, to authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Adams (for Sasser) Amendment No. 747, to make technical corrections.

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(2) Adams (for Sasser) Amendment No. 748, to provide for the implementation of a police corps pilot program in the District of Columbia and the State of West Virginia.

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(3) Adams (for Levin) Amendment No. 749, to require the District of Columbia to hire an additional 300 District-funded police officers before it hires 700 Federally-funded officers.

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District of Columbia Appropriations, 1990: By 56 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 179), Senate passed H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Wilson Amendment No. 750, to require the District of Columbia Commissioner on Social Services to establish a task force to develop a plan to improve treatment of infants who were exposed to maternal substance abuse during pregnancy.

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(2) Armstrong Amendment No. 751, to protect religious liberty and academic freedom within the District of Columbia.

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(3) By 97 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 178), Helms Amendment No. 752, to transfer \$150,000 from the District of Columbia Statehood Commission to the Drug Emergency Fund.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Adams, Fowler, Kerrey, Byrd, Gramm, Domenici, and Hatfield.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing an excepted committee amendment, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Lautenberg Amendment No. 739 (to committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 6), to delay the effective date of reporting requirements by 5 days.

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During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 77 yeas to 21 nays (Vote No. 176), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 6, pertaining to smoking on airplanes.

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By 34 yeas to 65 nays (Vote No. 177), upon appeal, Senate failed to sustain the ruling of the Chair that committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 6, relating to cigarette smoking on domestic airline flights, is in violation of rule 15, paragraph 5, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, and thus the ruling of the Chair, stating that the committee amendment does contain significant matter outside the jurisdiction of the committee proposing it, was overruled.

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Lautenberg Amendment No. 728 (to committee amendment beginning on page 71, line 6), to permanently ban cigarette smoking on domestic airline flights, was ruled as not germane upon the imposition of cloture.

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Pending:

Byrd Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

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Senate may continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendment proposed thereto, on Friday, September 15.

Energy and Water Development Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2696, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to Senate amendments numbered 2, 7, 9, 10, 12, 22, 24, 25, 31, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, and 56.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Kenneth B. Kramer, of Colorado, to be an Associate Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

John C. Weicher, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Quincy Mellon Krosby, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Sherrie Sandy Rollins, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Skirma Anna Kondratas, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

John J. Farley III, of Maryland, to be an Associate Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Adis Maria Vila, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Dennis M. Devaney, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 16, 1989.

William P. Glade, of Texas, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency. Routine lists in the Air Force, Army.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Dennis M. Devaney, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 16, 1989, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—179)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:15 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Friday, September 15, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 20579.)

Committee Meetings

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

APPROPRIATIONS—DOD/MILITARY CONSTRUCTION/FOREIGN OPERATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported with amendments the following bills:

H.R. 3072, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense;

H.R. 3012, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military construction programs; and

H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Richard C. Breeden, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Warner, Robb, and Rudman, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

GAS INVENTORY CHARGES (GIC'S)

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Mineral Resources Development and Production concluded oversight hearings to examine the potential producing sector impacts of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's proposed policy statement on interim gas inventory charges (GIC's), and the implementation of permanent GIC's on individual pipelines pursuant to certificate orders issued by the Commission, after receiving testimony from Martha O. Hesse, Chairman, and Charles G. Stalon, Charles A. Trabandt, Elizabeth Anne Moler, and Jerry J. Langdon, all Commissioners, all of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy.

WATER AND POWER MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 53, to authorize reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit in Kansas, after receiving testimony from Senator Dole; Joseph Harkins, Kansas State Water Office, and Gary Hulett, on behalf of the Office of the Governor of Kansas, both of Topeka;

S. 202, to authorize construction of the Lake Andes-Wagner and Marty II Irrigation Projects in South Dakota, after receiving testimony from Senators Pressler and Daschle; South Dakota Governor George S. Mickelson, Pierre; John Stevenson, Associate Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Marc L. Goldhammer, Lake Andes-Wagner Water Systems, Inc., Wagner, South Dakota; Stephen N. Cournoyer, Jr., Yankton Sioux Tribe, Marty, South Dakota; David C. Campbell, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, DC; and Scott Parsley, East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., Madison, South Dakota;

S. 486, to authorize construction of the Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project in Texas, after receiving testimony from Senator Bentsen; and John C. Williams, Canadian River Municipal Water Authority, Sanford, Texas;

S. 1121, to authorize additional funds for the Buffalo Bill Dam Construction Project in Wyoming, after receiving testimony from Paul Schwieger, Wyoming State Economic and Stabilization Board, Cheyenne; and

S. 1275, to authorize construction of the Leadville Mine Tunnel Drainage Treatment Plant in Colorado, after receiving testimony from Max Dodson, Director, Water Management Division, Denver, Colorado, Environmental Protection Agency.

Testimony was also received on all the aforementioned bills from Joe D. Hall, Deputy Commissioner, Denver, Colorado, and Roger Patterson, Regional Director, Great Plains Region, Billings Montana, both of the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

SLEPAK PRINCIPLES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs concluded hearings on Slepak principles as guidelines for U.S. businesses investing in the Soviet Union, after receiving testimony from Senator Heinz; Curtis Kamman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs; Susan Lotarski, Director, Office of European and Soviet Affairs, Department of Commerce; Alexander Slepak, Slepak Foundation, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and William T. Archey, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, Martin Colman, American Foundation for Resistance International, Margaret Chapman, American Committee on U.S.-Soviet Relations, Dimitri Simes, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Jack Wheeler, Freedom Research Foundation, and Tom Kahn, AFL-CIO, all of Washington, DC.

FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES FOR CONGRESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 272 and S. 1165, bills to extend to employees of the Legislative Branch of the Federal Government the same employment rights and protections which are guaranteed to workers in the private sector, receiving testimony from Senator McCain; Representatives Panetta, Oaker, and Lynn M. Martin; Judith Kramer, Deputy Solicitor, Department of Labor; William B. Allen, Chairman, U.S. Civil Rights Commission; James H. Troy, Director of Program Operations, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Sharon Rodine, National Women's Political Caucus, and Jackie Parker, Senate Black Legislative Staff Caucus, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Wayne A. Budd, of

Massachusetts, to be United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts.

DESECRATION OF U.S. FLAG

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on proposals to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States, after receiving testimony from Gordon Baldwin and Brady Williamson, both of the University of Wisconsin Law School, Madison; Walter Dellinger, Duke University Law School, Durham, North Carolina; Eugene Hickok, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania; and Stephen Presser, Northwestern University Law School, Evanston, Illinois.

INDIAN MENTAL HEALTH

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1270, to provide an Indian mental health demonstration grant program, after receiving testimony from Everett R. Rhoades, Executive Director, and Scott Nelson, Craig Vanderwagon, and George McCoy, all physicians, all of the Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; Denise Dougherty, Project Director, Office of Technology Assessment; Arizona Governor Thomas R. White, Phoenix; Mona Fernandez, Inter-Tribal Council of Arizona, Inc., Emory Johnson, Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, Eagle Butte, South Dakota; Jenny Rodgers, Navajo Nation, Window Rock, Arizona; Nell Rogers, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Philadelphia, Mississippi; Eidell Wasserman, Hopi Tribe, Kykotsmobi, Arizona; Lloyd Irvine and Joe Dupuis, both of the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribe, Pablo, Montana; Viola Johnson, Gila River Indian Community, Sacaton, Arizona; Dale Walker, Seattle Indian Health Board, Seattle, Washington; and Susan Soule, Alaska Department of Health and Social Services; Juneau.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 3274-3281; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 405 and H. Con. Res. 195 were introduced.

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gephardt to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 281 yeas to 106 nays, Roll No. 231, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, September 13.

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Bill Re-Referred: The bill, H.R. 3160, to provide additional food assistance to Poland in the form of donated surplus agricultural commodities held in the Commodity Credit Corporation, originally referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, was re-referred jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Agriculture.

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Defense Authorization: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; and agreed to a conference.

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Agreed to the Dickinson motion to instruct the managers on the part of the House to insist upon section 3501 of the House bill, stating the sense of Congress with respect to the arms control negotiations and United States military acquisition policy.

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Agreed to the Aspin motion that the conference committee meetings between the House and the Senate on the bill be closed to the public at such times as classified national security information is under consideration, provided however, that any sitting Member of Congress shall have the right to attend any closed or open meeting (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 396 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 232).

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Emergency Medical Services: House passed H.J. Res. 133, designating the week beginning September 17, 1989, as "Emergency Medical Services Week".

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 20427, 20435. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the tied aid credit fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such fund during such fiscal year.

MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor Standards approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2710, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight hearing on the Office of Educational Research and Improvement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue September 19.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a oversight hearing on the FCC authorization for fiscal years 1990 and 1991. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FCC: Alfred C. Sikes, Chairman; James H. Quello; Sherrie P. Marshall; and Andrew C. Barrett, all Commissioners.

PARIS CONFERENCE ON CAMBODIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on the Paris Conference on Cambodia: Implications for U.S. Policy. Testimony was heard from Richard Solomon, Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State.

SOVIET EMIGRES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East and the Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law of the Committee on the Judiciary held a joint hearing on Rome and Moscow Processing For Soviet Emigres. Testimony was heard from Jewel S. Lafontant, U.S. Refugee Coordinator, Department of State; Gerald Coyle, Chief of Staff, Immigration and

Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Nancy R. Kingsbury, Director, Foreign Economic Assistance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and a public witness.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held an oversight hearing on the President's National Drug Control Strategy. Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug Control Strategy.

INDIAN LEGISLATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2838, to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded the Seminole Indians in dockets 73, 151, and 73-A of the Indian Claims Commission; H.R. 2650, to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded the Seminole Indians in dockets 73, 151, and 73-A of the Indian Claims Commission; and H.R. 2854, to authorize the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, OK. Testimony was heard from Representatives Watkins, Smith of Florida and Lewis of Florida; Walter Mills, Acting Deputy to Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs (Operations), Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 76, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Marys River in the States of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the wild and scenic rivers system; and H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway". Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Morella and Denis; the following officials of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior: Robert Stanton, Regional Director, National Capital Region; and James Stewart, Acting Associate Director, Planning and Development; and public witnesses.

TRANSGENIC ANIMAL PATENT REFORM ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice continued hearings on H.R. 1556, Transgenic Animal Patent Reform Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Donald J. Quigg, Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce; Philip S. Chen, Jr., Associate Director, Intramural Affairs and Chairman,

Patent Policy Board, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services, Daniel D. Jones, Director, Office of Agricultural Biotechnology, USDA; and public witnesses.

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime approved for full Committee action, H.R. 2806, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative amendments.

SENTENCING OPTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice held a hearing on H.R. 2985, Sentencing Option Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from J. Michael Quinlan, Director, FBI, Department of Justice; Jack Welborn, Senator, State of Michigan; and public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported amended separate titles to H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

OVERSIGHT—MONTGOMERY GI BILL

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held an oversight hearing on the Montgomery GI Bill (Guard and Reserve). Testimony was heard from Dennis Wyant, Director, Vocational Rehabilitation and Education Service, Department of Veterans Affairs; the following officials of the Department of Defense: David J. Berteau, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Resource Management and Support (Force Management and Personnel); Albert V. Conte, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs; Maj. Gen. John B. Conaway, Vice Chief, National Guard Bureau; Brig. Gen. Roger Bultman, Deputy Chief, Army Reserve; RAdm. J.E. Taylor, Director, Naval Reserve; Maj. Gen. Roger P. Scheer, Chief, Air Force Reserve; and MG Edmund P. Looney, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, U.S. Marine Corps; and RAdm. John N. Faigle, Chief, Office of Readiness and Reserve, U.S. Coast Guard Reserve, Department of Transportation.

Hearings continue September 21.

REVENUE RECONCILIATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported reconciliation package.

HISPANIC ELDERLY: AMERICA'S FAILURE TO CARE

Select Committee on Aging: Concluded hearings on "the Hispanic Elderly: America's Failure To Care", Part II. Testimony was heard from Joyce Berry, Acting Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

S. 1455, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.

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Measures Passed:

Military Construction Appropriations, 1990: By 93 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 180), Senate passed H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments, and after agreeing to an additional amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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Sasser Amendment No. 753, to increase funding for certain Air Force construction programs.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Sasser, Inouye, Reid, Fowler, Byrd, Grassley, Garn, Stevens, and Hatfield.

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Rocky Mountain National Park—Land Acquisition: Senate passed S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, after agreeing to committee amendments, and agreeing to an additional amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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Mitchell (for Wirth/Armstrong) Amendment No. 754, to make a technical correction, and to restrict the acquisition and use of certain property.

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Domestic Volunteer Service Act: Committee on Labor and Human Resources was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 1312, to revise and extend the programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973, and the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1426, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and after adopting the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Levin) Amendment No. 755, to enable volunteers in the Retired Senior Volunteer Program to tutor educationally disadvantaged children.

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S. 1426 was then indefinitely postponed.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Dodd, Pell, Harkin, Adams, Kennedy, Coats, Hatch, and Kassebaum.

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Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees on Wednesday, September 13, met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Friday, September 15, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20592-20638

Measures Introduced: Two bills were introduced as follows: S. 1632-1633.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 635, to prevent the unintended licensing of Federally nonjurisdictional pre-1935 unlicensed hydroelectric projects, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-133)

S. 1633, to amend title 38, United States Code, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 regarding the use of Internal Revenue Service and Social Security Administration data for income verification for purposes of laws administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs. (S. Rept. No. 101-134)

H.R. 2087, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.

H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986.

S. 1454, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986.

Commending Twenty-fifth Anniversary of VISTA: Committee on Labor and Human Resources was discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 57, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the twenty-fifth anniversary of Volunteers In Service To America, and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Appointments:

Advisory Commission on Student Financial Assistance: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 99-498, appointed Stanley Z. Koplik, of Kansas, to the Advisory Commission on Student Financial Assistance.

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International Conference on Global Environmental Issues: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendation of the Majority Leader, pursuant to S. Res. 171 (101st Cong., 1st sess.), appointed the following Senators as Chairman and Majority party members of the special delegation of Members of the Senate that shall host an international conference on global environmental issues: Senator Gore (Chairman), Senator Baucus, Senator Kerry, and Senator Wirth.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert W. Genzman, of Florida, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida.

Michael J. Norton, of Colorado, to be United States Attorney for the District of Colorado.

Ronald G. Hein, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Marshal for the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

Herbert M. Rutherford III, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Marshal for the District of Columbia.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—180)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 2:03 p.m., until 1:30 p.m. on Monday, September 18, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 20638.)

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production and Stabilization of Prices held hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve U.S. agricultural programs, focusing on livestock and poultry, receiving testimony from Thomas A. Von Garlem, Assistant Deputy Administrator, State and County Operations, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Department of Agriculture; Glenn Grimes, University of Missouri, Columbia; Jimmie L. Wilson, Trout Creek, Montana, on behalf of the National Cattlemen's Association; Don Gingerich, Parnell, Iowa, on behalf of the National Pork Producers Council; David L. McClure, Montana Farm Bureau Federation, Lewistown, on behalf of the American Farm Bureau; Howard F. Lyman, National Farmers Union, Washington, DC; Leland O. Eikermann, Sr., Bourbon, Missouri, on behalf of the National Save the Family Farm Coalition; and Jeanne Charter, Northern Plains Resource Council, Billings, Montana.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, September 21.

MINORITY OWNERSHIP OF BROADCAST STATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on minority ownership of broadcast stations, focusing on whether minority ownership increases the diversity of views presented on the airwaves, the impact of recent court decisions on the minority ownership rules, and the need for any changes in the rules, receiving testimony from Roderick Porter, Deputy Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission; Roy Huhndorf, Cook-Inlet Region Inc., Anchorage, Alaska; Percy Sutton, Inner City Broadcasting, New York, New York; James L. Winston, National Association of Black Owned Broadcasters, Patricia Niekamp, American Women in Radio and Television, John Payton, William E. Kennard, Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand, and J. Clay Smith, Jr., Howard University Law School, on behalf of the National Bar Association, all of Washington, DC; Marilyn Fife, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Richard Ramirez, Astroline Communications, and Alan Shurberg, Shurberg Broadcasting of Hartford, Inc., both of Hartford, Connecticut.

COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings on S. 1067, to provide for a coordinat-

ed Federal research program to ensure continued United States leadership in high-performance computing, receiving testimony from Senator Kerrey; James H. Billington, Librarian of Congress; Henriette Avram, Assistant Librarian for Processing Services, Library of Congress; John N. Fischer, Acting Associate Director, and David A. Nystrom, Chief, Office of Geographic and Cartographic Research, both of the U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Daniel R. Masys, Director of Lister Hill National Center for Biomedical Communications, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland, National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services; Joe B. Wyatt, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee; Robert E. Kahn, Corporation for National Research Initiatives, Washington, DC; John Seely Brown, Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, Palo Alto, California; Ted Nelson, Autodesk, Inc., Sausalito, California; Irving Wladawsky-Berger, International Business Machines Corporation, Kingston, New York; and Richard T. Wood, University Microfilms, Inc., Ann Arbor, Michigan.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Richard Wood Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, William Andreas Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel, and Mark Gregory Hambley, of Idaho, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

ANNUAL REFUGEE ADMISSIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings to review the proposed United States refugee resettlement admissions program for fiscal year 1990, receiving testimony from Lawrence S. Eagleburger, Deputy Secretary of State; Jewel S. Lafontant, U.S. Coordinator for Refugee Affairs, and Princeton N. Lyman, Director, Bureau for Refugee Programs, both of the Department of State; Philip A. Holman, Acting Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Family Support Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and James L. Buck, Acting Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 321, to clarify and strengthen certain provisions of the Buy Indian Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1364, to establish a Joint Federal Commission on Policies and Programs Affecting Alaska Natives, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION FOR NATIVE AMERICANS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 496, to establish a program of grants for vocational-technical training and to encourage tribal economic development, and to provide for the designation of the National Indian Center for Research in Vocational-Technical Training, after receiving testimony from Senator Bingaman; Gerald Monette, Turtle Mountain Community College, Belcourt, North Dakota; Russell Hawkins, on behalf of the Sisseton-Wahpeton Sioux Tribal Council, and David Gipp, both of the United Tribes Technical College, Bismarck, North Dakota; James M. Tutt, Crownpoint Institute of Technology, Crownpoint, New Mexico; Jo Jo Hunt, National Advisory Council on Indian Education, Washington, DC; Mike Doss and Karen Funk, both of the National Indian Education Association; Roger Bordeaux, Association of Community Tribal Schools, Vermillion, South Dakota; and Nelson Thompson, Association of Navajo Community Controlled School Boards, Window Rock, Arizona.

INDIAN FUNDS/INDIAN LANDS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 1096 and S. 1336, bills to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded to the Seminole Indians, receiving testimony from Senators Boren and Nickles; Walter Mills, Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs (Operations); Jerry Haney and Dwayne Miller, both of the Seminole Nation of Oklahoma, Wewoka; James Billie and Jim Shore, both of the Seminole Tribe of Florida, Hollywood; Danny Billie, Traditional Seminole Nation, Tamiami Trail, Florida; and Jerry Straus, Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder, Curtis G. Berkey, Indian Law Resource Center, and Paul Niebell, all of Washington, DC; and

S. 1526, to authorize the State of Oklahoma and the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes to enter into an agreement regarding the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, after receiving testimony from Senators Boren and Nickles; and Mr. Mills.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, September 18.

Committee Meetings

VETERANS' PENSIONS; REPROGRAMMINGS; SOVIET UNION'S UNILATERAL FORCE REDUCTION AND WITHDRAWAL

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1358, to amend title 35, United States Code, to increase rates of compensation and disability and dependency compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and survivors of such veterans.

The Committee considered and approved pending reprogramming requests.

The Committee also met in executive session to receive a classified briefing concerning the Soviet Union's unilateral force reduction and withdrawal. The Committee was briefed by Robert Blackwell, National Intelligence Officer for the Soviet Union; Brig. Gen. Dave Armstrong, USA, National Intelligence Officer for General Purpose Forces; and Aris Pappas, Assistant National Intelligence Officer for General Purpose Forces.

FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS SAFETY ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on H.R. 3155, Fish and Fish Products Safety Act of 1989, and related bills. Testimony was heard from Frank Young, Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; James W. Brennan, Assistant Administrator for Fishers, National Marine Fisheries Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce; Lester Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued to meet on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD Housing Programs.

FEDERAL DRUG STRATEGY: WHAT IT MEANS FOR BLACK AMERICA

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on "Federal Drug Strategy: What It Means for Black America". Testimony was heard from William J. Bennett, Director, Office of National Drug

Control Policy; Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; the following officials of DEA, Department of Justice: David Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations; and Frankie Coates, Chief, Demand Reduction Section; the following officials of the Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Frederick K. Goodwin, Administrator; and Dr. Beny Primm, Associate Administrator, Treatment Improvement (designate); and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees met in closed session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Monday, September 18, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceeding, pages 20649-20702

Measures Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1634-1637, S. Res. 179, and S. Con. Res. 70.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 1249, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to provide authorization of appropriations. (S. Rept. No. 101-135)

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Measures Passed:

Commending NASA: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 70, commending NASA and the Jet Propulsion Laboratory for the continuing successes of the Voyager space missions to the Outer Solar System.

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Emergency Medical Services Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 133, designating the week beginning September 17, 1989, as "Emergency Medical Services Week."

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Subsequently, the Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 175, Senate companion measure, and the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with an excepted committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22.

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Pending:

Byrd Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

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Senate may continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendment proposed thereto, on Tuesday, September 19.

VA/HUD Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Mikulski Amendment No. 756, to make technical corrections.

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(2) Mikulski (for Cranston) Amendment No. 757, to increase funding for the United States Court of Veterans Appeals and to provide for an extension of the leave-transfer program for certain Department of Veterans Affairs health-care personnel.

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(3) Mikulski (for DeConcini) Amendment No. 758, to provide funds for project-based assistance for the Ganado Acres project in Apache County, Arizona.

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(4) Mikulski (for Kasten) Amendment No. 759, to facilitate cooperative environmental activities between the United States and Eastern and Western Europe in protecting the environment in Poland and Hungary.

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(4) Durenberger Amendment No. 760, to assure adequate national capacity to treat and dispose of hazardous waste.

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(6) Garn (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 761, to express the sense of the Congress on joint medical research ventures involving the sharing of costs

by the Department of Veterans Affairs and the States.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill, and amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, September 19.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Alvin P. Adams, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti.

Edward G. Lewis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Information Resources Management).

K. Michael Moore, of Florida, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service.

47 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Recess: Senate convened at 1:30 p.m., and recessed at 6:21 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 19, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page S11282.)

Committee Meetings

HUD—MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to review the implementation of HUD's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program, to provide affordable housing for low-income families and to rehabilitate deteriorating properties and revitalize neighborhoods, receiving testimony from John C. Weicher, Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; James Logue, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Multi-family Housing Programs; and Melvin Adams, Housing Opportunities Commission of Montgomery County, Kensington, Maryland.

Hearings continue on Friday, September 22.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 3282-3286 and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 196 and 197 and H. Res. 239 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution, and to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages, amended (H. Rept. 101-242); and

H.R. 2190, to establish national voter registration procedures for elections for Federal office, amended (H. Rept. 101-243).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Skelton to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONFIDENTIALITY OF AIDS INFORMATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing to receive the Department of Health and Human Services' report on the protection by the States of the confidentiality of AIDS information. Testimony was heard from Dr. James R. Allen, Director, National AIDS Program Office, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.

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Tuesday, September 19, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20776-20921

Measures Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1638-1644.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 695, to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements; enhancing parental choice; encouraging the study of science, mathematics, and engineering, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-136)

S. 253, to establish a coordinated National Nutrition Monitoring and Related Research Program, and a comprehensive plan for the assessment of the nutritional and dietary status of the United States population and the nutritional quality of food consumed in the United States, with the provision for the conduct of scientific research and development in support of such program and plan. (S. Rept. No. 101-137)

S. Res. 122, expressing the sense of the Senate in support of actions to eliminate preventable deaths and disabling illness, especially among children, through intensified international collaboration to attain the United Nations goals of Universal Childhood Immunization by 1990 and Health for All by the Year 2000, and through the convening of a World Summit on Children.

S.J. Res. 162, to urge the Nobel Commission to consider awarding Nobel Prize recognition for achievements in preservation of the world environment.

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VA/HUD Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Mikulski (for Sarbanes) Amendment No. 762, to recognize the National Fallen Firefighters' Memorial at the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, Maryland, as the official national memorial to volunteer and career firefighters who die in the line of duty.

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By unanimous-consent, the Senate subsequently vitiated passage of Amendment No. 762.

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(2) Mikulski (for Graham) Amendment No. 763, to require the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to adjust the level of assistance payments to reflect additional benefits provided in connection with housing assisted under the section 8 moderate rehabilitation program.

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(3) Pryor Amendment No. 764, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the pro-

curement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of Veterans Affairs, Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Environmental Protection Agency, and the National Aeronautics and Space administration.

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(4) Dodd Amendment No. 768, to provide disaster relief and emergency assistance to the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands for damages caused by Hurricane Hugo.

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(5) Nickles Modified Amendment No. 769, to modify the FHA mortgage insurance program. (By 43 yeas to 55 nays (Vote No. 184), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(6) Armstrong Amendment No. 771, to protect the rights of those involved in nonviolent civil rights demonstrations.

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(7) Helms Modified Amendment No. 773, to restore equity to the fund for elderly or handicapped housing.

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Rejected:

(1) Nickles Amendment No. 765, to provide skills to tenants of public and assisted housing who are welfare recipients or who are unemployed by permitting such tenants to perform various construction and repair activities on public and assisted housing projects and to exempt such individuals from the Davis-Bacon Act. (By 58 yeas to 42 nays (Vote No. 181), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Nickles Amendment No. 766, (to Amendment No. 765, of a perfecting nature. (The amendment fell when Amendment No. 765 was tabled.)

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(3) Nickles Modified Amendment No. 767, to modify the FHA mortgage insurance program. (By 50 yeas to 49 nays (Vote No. 182), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(4) Symms Amendment No. 772, to prohibit expenditure of funds for enforcement of underground storage tank financial assurance regulations. (By 65 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 185), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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During consideration of this bill today, Senate also took the following action:

By 49 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 183), Senate rejected a motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate tabled Amendment No. 767.

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Foreign Assistance Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing,

and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with committee amendments.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill, and amendments to be proposed thereto, on Wednesday, September 20.

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—185)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:41 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 20, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 20921.)

Committee Meetings

AIRLINE SAFETY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings on airline safety issues, focusing on the safety of the McDonnell Douglas DC-10, receiving testimony from James B. Busey, Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; and Dale S. Warren, McDonnell Douglas Corporation, Long Beach, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed consideration of proposed legislation to revise and expand Medicare catastrophic benefits, and to provide financing of Medicare benefits, but did not complete action thereon, and will continue tomorrow.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S.J. Res. 162, urging the Nobel Commission to consider awarding Nobel Prize recognition for achievements in preservation of the world environment;

S. Res. 122, supporting universal child immunization, and convening a world summit on children; and

The nominations of Thomas C. Dawson II, of the District of Columbia, to be the U.S. Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund, Warren A. Lavorel, of California, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the U.S. Coordinator for Multilateral Trade Negotiations, James Richard Cheek, of Arkansas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sudan, Lannon Walker, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Johnny Young, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone, Richard Wood Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, William Andreas Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel, Mark Gregory Hambley, of Idaho, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar, and Edward J. Perkins, of Oregon, to be Director General of the Foreign Service.

ADMINISTRATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION ACT

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held hearings on S. 971, to encourage prompt, informal, and inexpensive resolution of administrative disputes involving federal agencies, receiving testimony from Senator Grassley; Edward E. Reich, Acting Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Monitoring, Environmental Protection Agency; William Barr, Assistant Attorney General, and John O. McGinnes, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, both of the Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; Llewellyn M. Fischer, General Counsel, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board; and Gail Bingham, Conservation Foundation, Eldon Crowell, Crowell and Moring, and Philip J. Harter, American Bar Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on death penalty measures, including S. 32 and S. 1225, bills to establish certain criteria for the imposition of the death penalty for Federal crimes, receiving testimony from Senator Thurmond; Edward S.G. Dennis, Jr., Acting Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; South Carolina State Solicitor James C. Anders, Columbia; Ronald E. Hampton, National Black Police Association, and Robert B. Kliesmet, International Union of Police Association, both of Washington, DC; C. Roland Vaughn, III, Conyers, Georgia, on behalf of the International Association of Chiefs of Police; Michael Radelet, University of Florida, Gainesville; Jonathan E. Gradess, New York State Defenders Association, Albany; Michael McCann, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and Wanda Summers, Pawley's Island, South Carolina.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 3287-3297; 1 private bill, H.R. 3298; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 406 and H. Res. 240-243 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 45, to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Nicaraguans and Salvadorans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of Nicaraguans and Salvadorans, amended (H. Rept. 101-244);

H.R. 2929, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for temporary protected status for Chinese nationals and for nationals of other foreign states which are designated by the Attorney General, amended (H. Rept. 101-245); and

H.R. 2365, to improve airport security by providing additional funding for research on, and evaluation of, explosives detection equipment, amended (H. Rept. 101-246).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gephardt to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Martin Luther King Commission: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment as members of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday Commission the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Wheat, Sawyer, Regula, and Courter.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Fastener Quality Act: H.R. 3000, amended, to require that certain fasteners sold in commerce conform to the specifications to which they are represented to be manufactured, to provide for accreditation of laboratories engaged in fastener testing, to require inspection, testing, and certification, in accordance with standardized methods, of fasteners used in critical applications to increase fastener quality and reduce the danger of fastener failure;

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Defense Production Act Extension: H.R. 3281, to extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950;

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Lebanese Civil War: H. Res. 128, amended, expressing the sense of the House regarding the situa-

tion in Lebanon (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 413 yeas, Roll No. 233);

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Flood insurance program reauthorization: H.R. 2771, to reauthorize the National Flood Insurance Program and the Federal Crime Insurance Program through September 30, 1991;

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Performance management and recognition system continuation: H.R. 3282, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize the continuation of the performance management and recognition system through March 31, 1991; and

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Gateway National Recreation Area: H.R. 2835, to provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, New Jersey.

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Arms Control Agency Authorization: By a yea-and-nay vote of 247 yeas to 170 nays, Roll No. 234 (two-thirds of those present not voting in favor), the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1495, amended, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

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National Quality Month: House passed H.J. Res. 204, to designate October 1989, as "National Quality Month".

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German-American Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 118, designating October 6, 1989, as "German-American Day".

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Religious Freedom Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 146, designating the week of September 24, 1989, as "Religious Freedom Week".

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Call—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5735, H5736. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meeting

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance held an oversight hearing on the state of the Bank and Credit Union Insur-

ance Funds. Testimony was heard from L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; Manuel H. Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Robert Gramling, Director, Corporate Financial Audits, Accounting and Financial Management Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on the Budget: Ordered reported the Budget Reconciliation bill for fiscal year 1990.

BUDGET TARGETS AND THE TREATMENT OF SOCIAL SECURITY

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on "Budget Targets and the Treatment of Social Security". Testimony was heard from Robert D. Reischaur, Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2710, Fair Labor Standards Amendments Act of 1989.

WORKFORCE 2000 JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities held a hearing on H.R. 3266, Workforce 2000 Job Training Partnership Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Guarini; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Developments in the Middle East. Testimony was heard from John H. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State.

U.S. AND UNESCO: 1989

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on the United States and UNESCO: 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Torres and Leach of Iowa; John R. Bolton, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Organizations, Department of State; Thomas Lovejoy, Assistant Secretary, External Affairs, Smithsonian Institution; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on major issues confronting the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement. Testimony was heard from Harry M. Snyder, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1473, to designate certain lands in Los Padres National Forest as wilderness, to designate Sespe Creek and the Sisquoc River in the State of California as wild and scenic rivers.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 2061, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act through fiscal year 1992; and H.R. 2587, North American Wetlands Conservation Act.

ADEQUACY OF COMPETITION IN THE AIRLINE INDUSTRY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the Adequacy of Competition in the Airline Industry. Testimony was heard from Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation; Kenton Hooper, Director, Planning Research and Information Section, Office of Aeronautics, Department of Transportation, State of Minnesota; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 21.

OIL POLLUTION LEGISLATION

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 3027, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability and Compensation Act of 1989; and H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

JOINT PRODUCTION VENTURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on Joint Production Ventures. Testimony was heard from James F. Rill, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Department, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

THE FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN ENTERPRISE ECONOMY

Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on "The Future of the American Enterprise Economy." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STEEL TRADE LIBERALIZATION PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3275, Steel Trade Liberalization Program Implementation Act.

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION PROCEDURES ACT

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Legislation met in executive session to hold a hearing regarding the Classified Information Procedures Act (Public Law 96-456). Testimony was heard from Judge Lawrence Walsh, Independent Counsel.

U.S. CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Approved the following draft report entitled "U.S. Children and Their Families: Current Conditions and Recent Trends, 1989".

Joint Meeting**AMERICAN LEGION LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS**

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on Veterans Affairs concluded joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs to review the legislative recommendations of the American Legion, after receiving testimony from Miles S. Epling, Point Pleasant, West Virginia, on behalf of the American Legion.

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Wednesday, September 20, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine proceedings, pages 21006-21165

Measures Introduced: Nine bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1645-1653, S. Res. 180, and S.J. Res. 199-201.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Special Report entitled "History, Jurisdiction, and A Summary of the Activities of the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources During the 100th Congress". (S. Rept. No. 101-138)

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Measures Passed:

Nevada Wilderness Lands: Senate passed S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, after agreeing to committee amendments, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

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(1) Mitchell (for Reid/Bryan) Amendment No. 800, to provide for a boundary modification in the Ruby Mountains Wilderness, and to redesignate the Santa Rosa Wilderness as the Mike O'Callaghan-Paradise Peak Wilderness.

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(2) Dole (for Wallop) Amendment No. 801, relating to low altitude flight activities of military aircraft in wilderness areas.

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Transfer of Child Abuse Programs: Senate passed H.R. 2087, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1455, Senate companion measure.

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S. 1455 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

200th Anniversary of the Bill of Rights: Senate agreed to S. Res. 180, recognizing September 25, 1989, as the 200th anniversary of the Bill of Rights, and encouraging schools and civic enterprises to observe such anniversary.

Page 21100

National Quality Month: Senate passed H.J. Res. 204, to designate October 1989, as "National Quality Month".

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Foreign Assistance Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 21011, 21018, 21025, 21060, 21101

Adopted:

(1) Leahy/Kasten Amendment No. 774, to make technical corrections.

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(2) By 82 yeas to 18 nays (Vote No. 190), Kasten Amendment No. 777, to increase certain assistance for El Salvador and to express the sense of the Congress regarding negotiations to resolve the conflict in El Salvador.

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(3) Pryor Modified Amendment No. 778, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Agency for International Development.

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(4) Bingaman Amendment No. 779, expressing the sense of the Senate with regard to the International Coffee Agreement.

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(5) Dole Amendment No. 780, to provide that not less than \$5,000,000 shall be made available for humanitarian relief, medical treatment, education and vocational training of victims of the Armenian earthquake.

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(6) Bradley Amendment No. 783, to provide funds for childhood immunizations.

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(7) By a unanimous vote of 98 yeas (Vote 191), Kasten Amendment No. 784, relating to the political rights, right of self-determination, and human rights of the people of the Baltic states.

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(8) Helms Amendment No. 785 (to committee amendment on page 6), to provide that no funds provided to El Salvador shall be conditioned on any requirement that El Salvador accept any settlement with the FMLN guerrillas which violates the democratic constitution of El Salvador.

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(9) Leahy (for Moynihan/Pell/Symms) Amendment No. 786, to allocate funds for humanitarian assistance for displaced Burmese students.

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(10) Kasten (for Wallop/Domenici) Amendment No. 787, to designate the park in the District of Columbia directly across from the Embassy of the People's Republic of China as "Tiananmen Square Park".

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(11) Leahy (for Byrd/DeConcini) Amendment No. 788, to provide assistance for the relief of Turkish refugees fleeing Bulgaria.

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(12) Kasten (for Heinz) Amendment No. 789, to clarify the intent of the prohibition against direct funding by the Export-Import Bank or its agents for certain countries.

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(13) Leahy (for Cranston/Packwood) Amendment No. 790, to provide for the importation of certain

defense articles from Poland, Czechoslovakia, and Hungary.

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(14) Kasten (for Hatfield) Amendment No. 791, to provide that not less than 5 per centum of the financing for the support of exports for the energy sector shall be used for renewable energy projects.

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(15) Leahy (for Heinz) Amendment No. 792, to clarify the intent of the prohibition against direct funding by the Export-Import Bank or its agents for certain countries.

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Subsequently, Senate vitiated passage of this amendment.

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(16) Leahy (for Inouye) Amendment No. 793, to eliminate certain funds to be made available to UNICEF for the activities of Childhope.

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(17) Graham Amendment No. 798, to promote human rights and labor rights in Cuba.

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(18) Graham Amendment No. 799, to direct the Agency for International Development to conduct a feasibility study on establishing a Center to conduct research on agricultural production in the Caribbean region.

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(19) Leahy (for Boren) Amendment No. 802, to increase funds for the Peace Corps.

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(20) Lautenberg Amendment No. 803, to establish categories of refugee applicants.

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(21) Boschwitz Amendment No. 804, to develop a plan for the use of assistance to eradicate poverty in developing countries.

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(22) Humphrey Amendment No. 805, to cease certain aid to Poland in the event of a reversal of the process of democratization in that country.

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(23) Kasten (for Lugar) Amendment No. 806 (to Lugar Amendment No. 794), in the nature of a substitute.

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(24) Lugar Amendment No. 794, to establish procedures in promoting the professional development of the security forces of El Salvador.

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(25) Leahy (for Bumpers) Amendment No. 807, relating to the production of certain crops in Peru and Bolivia.

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(26) Leahy (for Sanford/Kerry) Amendment No. 808, establishing a funding level for the Central American democracies.

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(27) Kasten (for Specter/Kerry) Amendment No. 809, to provide for U.S. participation in a multilateral anti-narcotics strike force.

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(28) Leahy (for Simon) Amendment No. 810, to provide assistance for Malawi.

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(29) Leahy Amendment No. 811, to clarify the job-related crimes provisions of the Act.

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(30) Kasten (for Gorton) Amendment No. 812, expressing the sense of the Senate relative to the success of land reform in El Salvador.

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(31) Kasten Amendment No. 813, to include Uganda under the notification requirements of the Act.

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Rejected:

(1) Kasten Amendment No. 775 (to committee amendment on page 16, beginning on line 13), to prohibit the use of funds by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) to organizations or programs in People's Republic of China which participate in the management of a program of coercive abortion or involuntary sterilization. (By 52 yeas to 48 nays (Vote No. 188), upon reconsideration Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Committee Amendment on page 149, beginning on line 13, relating to restrictions on assistance for El Salvador. (By 68 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 189), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(3) Leahy Amendment No. 776 (to committee amendment on page 149, beginning on line 13), of a perfecting nature. (The amendment fell when the aforementioned committee amendment was tabled.)

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(4) Lugar Amendment No. 795 (to committee amendment on page 140, line 12), to prohibit the use of funds for financing a military or foreign policy activity which is expressly forbidden by a United States law enacted after the enactment of this Act. (By 57 yeas to 41 nays (Vote No. 192), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(5) Helms Modified Amendment No. 797 (to committee amendment on page 155, line 8), to ensure that funds provided by this Act benefit the private sector in Poland and Hungary. (By 74 yeas to 24 nays (Vote No. 194), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

Helms Amendment No. 781 (to committee amendment on page 6, beginning on line 9), to provide that no country which receives funds under this Act and which has a democratic Constitution shall be required to take actions which are contrary to its

Constitution as a condition of receiving such assistance.

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During consideration of this bill today, Senate also took the following actions:

By 48 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 186), Senate failed to table Kasten Amendment No. 775, listed above.

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By 52 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 187), Senate agreed to the motion to reconsider Vote No. 186, listed above, by which Senate failed to table Kasten Amendment No. 775.

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By 64 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. 193), Senate upheld the ruling of the Chair in sustaining a point of order against Grassley Amendment No. 796 (to committee amendment on page 140, line 12), to increase and maximize U.S. assistance to Poland, as being legislation on an appropriations bill, and the amendment was ruled out of order.

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Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with committee amendments.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill, and amendments to be proposed thereto, on Thursday, September 21.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Edward Joseph Perkins, of Oregon, to be Director General of the Foreign Service.

Thomas C. Dawson II, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Richard Huntington Melton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federative Republic of Brazil.

James D. Watkins, of California, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Thirty-third Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

Catherine Ann Bertini, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Christopher T. Cross, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, Department of Education.

Thomas E. Anfinson, of California, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Management, Department of Education.

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Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nominations:

Patricia Mayes Hines, of South Carolina, to be Assistant Secretary for Education, Research and Improvement, Department of Education, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

Patrick Pizzella, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Management, Department of Education, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Nine record votes were taken today. (Total—194)

Pages 21027, 21051, 21057, 21070, 21081, 21083, 21089, 21095

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 12:27 a.m., on Thursday, September 21, 1989, to reconvene at 10:30 a.m., the same day.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Gen. Colin L. Powell, USA, for reappointment in the grade of General and for reassignment as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Ann Foreman, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force, Martin C. Faga, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, and 6,335 military nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Gen. Colin L. Powell, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Moynihan, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Securities and Exchange Commission, and to improve the flow of information to

shareholders, streamline the issuance of debt securities, ensure the integrity and efficiency of capital markets, and strengthen the Securities and Exchange Commission enforcement tools to protect investors and police the securities markets, (as approved by the committee, the bill incorporates provisions of S. 646, S. 649, and S. 651);

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for programs of the Defense Production Act;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Tied Aid Credit Warchest of the Export-Import Bank of the United States;

An original bill authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Bureau of Export Administration of the Department of Commerce; and

S. 148, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the Golden Anniversary of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial.

AIRLINE COMPETITION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held oversight hearings to examine the status of and barriers to competition in the airline industry, receiving testimony from Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office; Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary for Policy and International Affairs, John M. Rodgers, Director, Office of Aviation Policy and Plans, and James M. Craun, Deputy Director, Office of Aviation Analysis, all of the Department of Transportation; and James F. Rill, Assistant Attorney General, Anti-Trust Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDICARE REVISIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee continued consideration of proposed legislation to revise and expand Medicare catastrophic benefits, and to provide financing of Medicare benefits, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

AID TO POLAND AND HUNGARY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, S. 1582, to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland. (As approved by the Committee, the bill includes provisions to provide certain forms of assistance to Hungary.)

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on S. 1582, listed above, after receiving testimony from Raymond G.H. Seitz, Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Stanley E. Morris, of

the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director for Supply Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

WORK-MADE-FOR-HIRE LAW

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks concluded hearings on S. 1253, to clarify the work-made-for-hire provisions of the copyright law to ensure that one who actually creates a work of art be considered its author and able to claim the benefit of copyright protection in that work, after receiving testimony from Senator Cochran; Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights and Assistant Librarian for Copyright Services, Library of Congress; Richard Weisgrau, American Society of Magazine Photographers, Victor Kovner, Magazine Publishers of America, and Jay Maisel, all of New York, New York; Don Martin, Studios of Don Martin, Miami, Florida, representing the Graphic Artists Guild; Tom Clancy, Huntington, Maryland; Michael R. Klipper, Leventhal, Senter & Lerman, representing the Committee for American Copyright Coalition, and Nicholas A. Veliotis, Association of American Publishers, both of Washington, DC; and Jack Fishman, Lakeway Publishers, Morristown, Tennessee, representing the National Newspaper Association.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 3299–3315; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 198 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101–247).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 286 yeas to 96 nays, Roll No. 235, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, September 19.

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Members Sworn: Representatives-elect Geren and Condit presented themselves in the well of the House and were administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Defense Authorization: The Speaker appointed the following conferees in the conference on H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1990:

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of the entire House bill (except sections 111 through 118, 137, 138, 210, 221, 255, 3103(a), 4101, and 4102) and the entire Senate amendment (except sections 133 through 135, 231, 841, 843, 845, 2301(a) insofar as it addresses MX Rail Garrison facilities, 2836, 3103(a), 3142(b), 3142(c), 3142(e), and 3155), and modifications committed to conference, and as exclusive conferees with respect to any proposal to report in total disagreement: Representatives Aspin, Bennett, Montgomery, Dellums, Schroeder, Byron, Mavroules, Hutto, Skelton, Leath of Texas, McCurdy, Foglietta, Dyson, Lloyd, Ray, Spratt, Darden, Hochbrueckner, Brennan, Pickett, Lancaster, Evans, Dickinson, Spence, Stump, Hopkins, Davis, Hunter, Martin of New York, Kasich, Bateman, Blaz, Ireland, Hansen, Rowland of Connecticut, and Kyl.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of sections 111 through 118, 137, 138, 210, 221, 255, and 3103(a) of the House bill and sections 133 through 135, 231, 2301(a), insofar as it addresses MX Rail Garrison facilities, and 3103(a) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Aspin, Bennett, Dellums, Schroeder, Mavroules, McCurdy, Spratt, Hochbrueckner, Brennan, Evans, Dickinson, Davis, Hansen, Kyl, Dornan of California, and McCrery.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of sections 4101 and 4102 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Aspin, Foglietta, and Dickinson.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of sections 841, 843, 845, 3142(b), 3142(c), and 3142(e) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Aspin, Schroeder, and Dickinson.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of sections 2836 and 3155 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Aspin, Lloyd, Ray, Spratt, Kyl, and Hansen.

As additional conferees from the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 2 of Rule XLVIII: Representatives Beilenson, Kastenmeier, and Hyde.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of sections 4101 and 4102 of the House bill, and section 907 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Murphy, Williams, Petri, and Bartlett.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of sections 2836, 3142(a), and 3155 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Repre-

sentatives Dingell, Sharp, Thomas A. Luken, Eckart, Lent, and Moorhead.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of sections 135, 206, 252, 256, 304, 1103, 1106, 1214, 1241 through 1247, 1253, 1254, 1255, 1257, 1258, 1261, 3139, 3141 through 3148, and 3501 of the House bill and sections 229, 236, 251, 304, 804, 805, 840, 904, 905, 906, 910, 911, 916, 918, 919, 920, 921, 923, 924, 928, 930, 931, 932, 935, 937, 938, 940, 941, 943, 1108, and 3143 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Fascell, Hamilton, Yatron, Solarz, Broomfield, and Gilman.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Government Operations, for consideration of sections 822, 844, 927, 929, 933, 2831, and 3142(d) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Conyers, Collins, Synar, Wise, Bustamante, Horton, Shays, and Smith of Vermont.

As additional conferees from the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of sections 1103, 1106, and 1107 of the House bill and sections 552(c), 837, 840, 844, 913, 925, 926, 929, 936, 1103, 3135, and 3142(d) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Brooks, Kastenmeier, Hughes, Frank, Morrison of Connecticut, Moorhead, McCollum, and James.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, for consideration of sections 925, 1001 through 1003, 1103, and 2832 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Jones of North Carolina, Studds, Tauzin, Young of Alaska, and Fields.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, for consideration of sections 841, 843, 845, and 3142 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ford of Michigan, Clay, Sikorski, Ackerman, Gilman, and Horton.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, for consideration of section 2205 of the House bill and sections 656, 925, 2810, and 2831 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Anderson, Oberstar, Bosco, Hammerschmidt, and Petri.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for consideration of sections 801 and 3131 through 3138 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Roe, Lloyd, Walgren, Walker, and Boehlert.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Small Business, for consideration of sections 828, 831, and 832 of the Senate amendment, and modifi-

cations committed to conference: Representatives LaFalce, Smith of Iowa, and McDade.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of section 907 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Penny, Patterson, Sangmeister, Hammerschmidt, and Smith of New Jersey.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of section 925 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Jenkins, Downey, Crane, and Schulze.

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Aviation Security: By a yea-and-nay vote of 392 yeas to 31 nays, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 237, the House passed H.R. 1659, to improve aviation security by requiring the installation and use of certain explosive detection equipment at certain airports located outside the United States and by providing assistance for the acquisition of such equipment.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as modified by the amendment of the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Agreed to:

The Burton amendment that authorizes grants from the Airport and Airway Trust Fund for the training and evaluation of teams of dogs to detect explosives at airports, including 50 of the busiest United States airports;

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The Traficant amendment that authorizes the Administrator to award to a domestic firm a contract that, under the use of competitive procedures, would be awarded to a foreign firm, if the final product of the domestic firm will be completely assembled in the United States and where not less than 50 percent of the final product will be domestically produced;

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The Solomon amendment that increases the maximum Federal award for information that leads to the arrest and conviction of international terrorists responsible for attacks on United States airlines to \$2 million;

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The Schulze amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that all nations that manufacture high explosives should incorporate chemical markers into those explosives to make them more detectable and that these nations should prohibit the sale or export of such explosives to countries that support terrorism; and

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The Oberstar amendment that authorizes the Administrator to require all air carriers to maintain and use explosive detection equipment at airports located inside and outside the United States at which air carriers, in the opinion of the Administrator, must use extraordinary security measures; requires that detection equipment meet certain minimum performance standards; authorizes the Administrator to purchase detection equipment from air carriers and make such equipment available to air carriers; authorizes the direct purchase by the Administrator of detection equipment for use by air carriers, authorizes funding for such purchase from the Trust Fund; and expresses the sense of Congress that it is the Federal Government's responsibility to play a major role in developing and implementing extraordinary, high-cost, high-technology measures necessary to protect United States citizens against terrorist bombings, and that a high priority be given in the budget and appropriations process to provide funding to purchase and install such equipment.

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The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross references and to make such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 236, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 416 yeas, Roll No. 236.

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D.C. Civil Contempt Imprisonment Limitation: House agreed, with amendments, to the Senate amendment to the bill H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in the courts of the District of Columbia—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 20946, 20956, 20977. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing to review the Federal Crop Insurance Program. Testimony was heard from Representative Smith of Nebraska; John F. Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; John Marshall, Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation,

USDA; Sarah Vogel, Commissioner of Agriculture, State of North Dakota; and public witnesses.

URBAN AND COMMUNITY FORESTRY ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2144, Urban and Community Forestry Act of 1989.

FORESTRY RESEARCH AND FOREST SERVICE FACILITIES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy and the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a joint hearing to review forestry research and Forest Service facilities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Forest Service, USDA: Jerry A. SESCO, Deputy Chief, Research; and James C. Overbay, Deputy Chief, National Forest Systems.

WHISTLEBLOWERS EMPLOYED BY CONTRACTORS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2579, Defense Contractor Whistleblower Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 3255, to amend the Department of Energy Organization Act to require certain Department of Energy contractors to provide protection to their employees against reprisal for disclosure to an appropriate Government official of information which the employee reasonably believes evidences misconduct in carrying out contracts relating to atomic energy defense activities. Testimony was heard from Representative Schroeder; Stephen A. Whitlock, Assistant Inspector General, Special Programs, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Defense; Eric J. Fygi, Acting General Counsel, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued oversight hearings on the state of the Bank and Credit Union Insurance Funds. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on H.R. 2039, Job Training Partnership Act Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Gerald Peters, Assistant Inspector General, Audit, Office of Inspector General, Department of Labor; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held an oversight hearing on youth camp safety. Testimony was heard from the following officials of GAO: Linda G. Morra, Director, Select Congressional Studies, Larry Horinko, Assistant Director, Congressional Request Study Group, both with Human Resources Division; and Henry Fowler, Evaluator; and a public witness.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

U.S. ECONOMIC PROGRAMS FOR POLAND AND HUNGARY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on United States Economic Programs for Poland and Hungary. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dingell, Kaptur and Gephardt; and public witnesses.

CUBA AND THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations continued joint hearings on Cuba and the United States: The Status of Human Rights and Civil Liberties in Cuba (Part III). Testimony was heard from Armando Valladares, U.S. Representative to the U.N. Human Rights Commission; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRAFT REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs approved for full Committee action the following draft report entitled: "Foreign Trade Zone (FTZ) Program Needs Restructuring".

ISSUANCE OF A SUBPOENA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved the issuance of subpoenas to Samuel R. Pierce, Jr., former Secretary of Housing and Development.

COASTAL DEFENSE INITIATIVE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a joint hearing on titles II and III of H.R. 2647, Coastal Defense Initiative of 1989. Testimony was heard from Rebecca Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Water, EPA; Virginia Tippie, Assistant Administra-

tor, Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held an oversight hearing to review the analyses and recommendation of the Congressional Minority Advisory Committee on the Census Bureau's promotion and outreach plans for the 1990 census. Testimony was heard from Peter A. Bounpane, Assistant Director, Decennial Census, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce; L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, GAO; and members of the Congressional Minority Advisory Committee.

PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION ON BASIS OF DISABILITY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held a hearing on H.R. 2273, to establish clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on basis of disability. Testimony was heard from Roland Mross, Deputy Administrator, Urban Mass Transportation Administration, Department of Transportation; Larry Roffee, Executive Director, Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 26.

THE FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN ENTERPRISE ECONOMY

Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on "The Future of the American Enterprise Economy". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 28.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 1335, amended, Veterans' Compensation Amendments of 1989; H.R. 2807, to provide for the establishment of a memorial on Federal land within the District of Columbia to honor members of the Armed Forces who served in World War II, and to express the sense of Congress concerning U.S. participation in that conflict; H.R. 88, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Army to set aside an appropriate area within Arlington National Cemetery for the unmarked burial of cremated remains; H.R. 2594, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located at 1900 Mason Avenue, Daytona Beach, FL, as the "William V. Chappell, Jr., Veterans' Outpatient Clinic"; H.R. 2987, to amend the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Leavenworth, KS, as the "Dwight D. Eisenhower Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center"; and H.R. 2983, to name the new Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic in

Mount Vernon, MO, as the "Gene Taylor Veterans' Outpatient Clinic".

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1654-1658, S.Res. 181, and S.J. Res. 202 and 203.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1338, to amend title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States.

S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States, unfavorably.

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Measures Passed:

Maritime Administration Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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National Philanthropy Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 86, designating November 17, 1989, as "National Philanthropy Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor,

Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 21224, 21239, 21280

Adopted:

(1) Harkin Amendment No. 814, to provide additional funding for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program.

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(2) Harkin Amendment No. 815, to increase funding for the U.S. Institute for Peace.

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(3) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote 195), Cranston Amendment No. 816 (to committee amendment beginning on page 16, line 18), to require educational programs dealing with AIDS or sexual activity to be designed to reduce exposure to and transmission of the etiologic agent for AIDS.

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(4) McClure Amendment No. 817, to prohibit the use of funds for the implementation of proposed rules relating to the classification of rural referral centers.

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(5) By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 196), Helms Modified Amendment No. 822 (to committee amendment on page 44, lines 8-14), to prohibit Federal funding for the distribution of needles and bleach for the injection of illegal drugs.

Pages 21240, 21243

(6) By 94 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. 197), Helms Amendment No. 824 (to committee amendment on page 74, beginning on line 13), to prohibit any State from receiving funds for AIDS public education if the State has not made a good faith effort to notify a spouse married to an AIDS-infected patient.

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(7) Humphrey Amendment No. 826, to ensure that funds made available by the Act are not used to promote or encourage homosexuality as normal or natural. (By 13 yeas to 85 nays (Vote No. 198), Senate failed to table the amendment.)

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(8) Bentsen Amendment No. 827, to provide for the expansion and renovation of the El Paso Job Corps Center, El Paso, Texas.

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(9) Committee Amendment on page 40, line 7, providing funds for child care programs. (By 65 yeas to 32 nays (Vote 200), Senate held as germane the subject matter contained in the amendment.)

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(10) Wilson Amendment No. 829, to delete provisions relating to the prohibition on impact aid payments being made to local educational agencies if such payments fail to exceed one percent of such agency's total current expenditures.

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(11) Wilson Amendment No. 830, to provide for a study to identify developmental problems in children exposed during maternal substance abuse.

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(12) Rockefeller Amendment No. 831, to express the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall cease further action to terminate Medicare payment safeguard positions.

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(13) Specter (for Armstrong) No. 832, to provide for a study to determine the impact of certain illnesses.

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(14) Graham Amendment No. 833, to increase funding to be granted to States for refugee assimilation programs.

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(15) Simon Amendment No. 834, to restore funds for the VISTA literacy program.

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(16) Harkin Amendment No. 835, to include funding for the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

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(17) Moynihan Amendment No. 836, to provide funds for a Presidential award for drug addiction research.

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(18) Specter (for Grassley) Amendment No. 837, to provide additional funds for the Community Services Block Grant program.

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(19) Dole (for Domenici) Amendment No. 838, to express the sense of the Senate that the Senate conferees should yield to the House in conference on all Stewart B. McKinney Act programs.

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(20) Dole/Kassebaum Amendment No. 839, to provide for the construction of a Bioscience Center at the University of Kansas.

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(21) Harkin (for Mitchell) Amendment No. 840, to increase funding for Medical Effectiveness Research.

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(22) Harkin (for Simon) Amendment No. 841, to postpone for 1 year the collection of fines and penalties by the Department of Health and Human Services for certain foster care programs.

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Rejected:

(1) Nickles Amendment No. 828, to transfer \$5 million in outlays to the programs under the Head Start Act from amounts appropriated for unauthorized child care programs. (By 66 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 199), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 820, to prevent Federal funding for the distribution of needles and bleach for the injection of illegal drugs.

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(2) Pryor Amendment No. 821, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services.

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

The Chair sustained a point of order against the committee amendment on page 58 beginning on line 2, providing funds for the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards, as being legislation on an appropriations bill and in violation of Rule 16 of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with committee amendments.

Pages 21306, 21322

Child Custody/Appeals Procedures: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to H.R. 2136, to amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case.

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Emergency Chinese Immigration Relief Act: Senate disagreed to the amendment of the House to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residential requirements for "J" nonimmigrants, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Simon, and Simpson.

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Messages from the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the annual report of the Commodity Credit Corporation, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry. (PM-60)

(2) Transmitting a report on activities of the United States Government in the United Nations, which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-61)

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Nominations confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Martin C. Faga, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Anne Newman Foreman, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Air Force.

Wayne A. Budd, of Massachusetts, to be United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts.

6 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

43 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Department of Defense nomination in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of captain.

4 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy.

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Nominations received: Senate received the following nominations:

John M. Walker, Jr., of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit.

George W. Lindberg, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois.

Susan Webber Wright, of Arkansas, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—200)

Pages 21233, 21243, 21255, 21258, 21267

Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 12:22 a.m., on Friday, September 22, to reconvene at 12 noon the same day. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 21350.)

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production and Stabiliza-

tion of Prices held hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve U.S. agricultural programs, focusing on feed grains, receiving testimony from Bruce R. Weber, Director, Commodity Analysis Division, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Services, Department of Agriculture; William Myers, Iowa State University, Ames; Jack Kintzle, National Corn Growers, Coggon, Iowa; Dick Perry, National Grain Sorghum Producers Association, Albernathy, Texas; Louis Arnold, National Barley Growers Association, Esmond, North Dakota; John Bollingberg, American Oats Association, Bremen, North Dakota; and Charles Benbrook, Board on Agriculture, Ken Cook, National Audubon Society, on behalf of the Center for Resource Economics, Carroll Brunthaver, National grain Trade Council, and Charles Frazier, National Farmers Organization, all of Washington, DC.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, September 26.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to further discuss budget authority and outlays as contained in H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. Government for fiscal years 1990–1992, strategic programs as contained in H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act, 1990/1991, and Senate consideration of H.R. 3072, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 1990.

Committee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Claire E. Freeman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, Eugene K. Lawson, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and Richard Schmalensee, of Massachusetts, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisors, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

METAL CASTING RESEARCH

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development concluded hearings on S. 775, to require the Secretary of Energy to establish three centers for metal casting competitiveness research, after receiving testimony from Senator Shelby; Alan J. Streb, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Energy for Conservation and Renewable Energy Programs; Orian Williams, Glass, Molders, Pottery, Plastic, and Allied Workers Union, Media, Pennsylvania; Ronald D. Smith, GAMCO Products Company, and Derek L. Cocks, both of Henderson, Kentucky, both on behalf of the

North American Die Casting Association; Walter Kiplinger, American Cast Metals Association, Washington, DC; and Thomas S. Piwonka, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa.

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on the following bills:

S. 816, to control the release of toxic air pollutants and to reduce the threat of catastrophic chemical accidents, receiving testimony from Bruce Maillet, Boston, Massachusetts, on behalf of the State and Territorial Air Pollution Program Administrators, and the Association of Local Air Pollution Control Officials; H. Eugene McBrayer, Chemical Manufacturers Association, Darien, Connecticut, and Ben Cooper, Printing Industries of America, Arlington, Virginia, both on behalf of the Clean Air Working Groups; Gerald Poje, National Wildlife Federation, and David D. Doniger, Natural Resources Defense Council, both on behalf of the National Clean Air Coalition, and William F. O'Keefe, American Petroleum Institute, all of Washington, DC; Robert P. Miller, Lansing, Michigan, on behalf of the Council of Great Lakes Governors; John Grahm, Harvard School of Public Health, Cambridge, Massachusetts, Walter F. Williams, Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the American Iron and Steel Institute; and Robert P. Miele, Los Angeles, California, on behalf of the California Association of Sanitary Agencies; and

S. 196, to control emissions of air pollutants from municipal waste incineration units and to provide for safe disposal of ash from such units, receiving testimony from Mayor Burton Stallwood, Lincoln, Rhode Island, on behalf of the National League of Cities; Barbara Todd, Pinella County Commissioner, St. Petersburg, Florida; and Roger Etter, Waste Combustion Equipment Institute, Richard Denison, Environmental Defense Fund, Allen Moore, National Solid Wastes Management Association, Allen Hershkowitz, Natural Resources Defense Council, and John Norton, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Christopher H. Phillips, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam, and Paul M. Cleveland, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

ECONOMIC POLICY IN THE THIRD WORLD

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on environmental considerations in shaping economic development policy in the Third World, after receiving testimony from Thomas E. Lovejoy, Assistant Secretary for External Affairs, Smithsonian Institution; John Habernern, Rodale Institute, Emmaus, Pennsylvania; and Robert Repetto, World Resources Institute, and Esther Peterson, International Organization of Consumer Unions, both of Washington, DC.

PACIFIC BASIN FORUM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings on proposals to provide for a Pacific Basin Forum, after receiving testimony from Representative Levine; Richard H. Solomon, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Roger Brooks, Heritage Foundation, and Richard Fairbanks, Paul, Hastings, Janofsky and Walker, both of Washington, DC.

FEDERAL DRUG POLICY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings to examine Federal drug policy programs affecting State and local government, receiving testimony from Ohio Governor Richard F. Celeste, Columbus; Florida Governor Bob Martinez, Tallahassee; Mayor Tom Bradley, Los Angeles, California; Mayor Jim Moran, Alexandria, Virginia; and Councilor Pam Plumb, Portland, Maine.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of Otto G. Obermaier, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York; and

S. 1338, to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States.

Also, committee ordered reported, unfavorably, S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Daphne W. Murray, of Texas, to be Director of the Institute of Museum Services, after the nominee, who was introduced by Representative Archer, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Joan D. Aikens, of Pennsylvania, and John W. McGarry, of Massachusetts, each to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

ENTERPRISE ZONES ON SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings to examine the impact of the enterprise zone program on small business growth and development, after receiving testimony from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Robert Woodson, National Center for Neighborhood Enterprise, Stuart Butler, The Heritage Foundation, and Richard Cowden, American Association of Enterprise Zones, all of Washington, DC.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 3316–3326; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 199 and 200 and H. Res. 244 were introduced.

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NASA Authorization: By a yea-and-nay vote of 398 yeas to 14 nays, Roll No. 238, the House passed H.R. 1759, amended, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management.

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Agreed To:

The Roe en bloc amendment that deletes provisions from the bill pertaining to upgrading historic landmark facilities; and limits rate of pay for the Director of the International Cooperation in Planetary Exploration Commission; and

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The Solomon amendment that requires random drug testing of officers and employees of NASA.

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H. Res. 234, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Quorum Call—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today

and appears on page H5839. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 12:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUTRITION MONITORING

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition, the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture, and the Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology held a joint hearing to review nutrition monitoring. Testimony was heard from J. Michael McGinnis, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Health (Disease Prevention and Health Promotion), Department of Health and Human Services; Ann Chadwick, Acting Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL DRUG-INTERDICTION OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations and the Defense Policy Panel held a joint hearing on the role of the military in international drug-interdiction operations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Gen. Fred F. Woerner, USA, Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command; and Stephen M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs and Defense Department Coordinator for Drug Enforcement Policy and Support.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance concluded oversight hearings on the state of the Bank and Credit Union Insurance Funds. Testimony was heard from Roger W. Jepsen, Chairman, National Credit Union Administration; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on the National Telecommunications and Information Agency authorization for fiscal years 1990 and 1991. Testimony was heard from Janice Obuchowski, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce.

INTERNATIONAL FAMILY PLANNING ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on International Family Planning Act (Effect of the Mexico City Policy on International Family Planning). Testimony was heard from Representatives Atkins, Smith of New Jersey and Green; Richard Bissell, Assistant Administrator, Program Policy Coordination, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

COURAGEOUS PEOPLE OF COLOMBIA; CUBA AND THE U.S.

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 194, to express the support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on Cuba and the United States: The Cuban-American Perspective (Part IV). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue September 27.

EPA'S MANAGEMENT OF THE MARINE SHALE CASE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on EPA's Management of the Marine Shale Case. Testimony was heard from Representative Tauzin; Edward Reich, Acting Assistant Administrator, Enforcement, EPA; Myles Flint, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Land and Natural Resources, Department of Justice; and Elizabeth Megginson, Assistant Secretary, Department of Environmental Quality, State of Louisiana.

AFRICAN-AMERICAN MUSEUM

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Libraries and Memorials held a hearing on a proposed African-American Museum. Testimony was heard from Senator Simon; Representatives Lewis of Georgia and Fauntroy; Robert McCormick Adams, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; Robert E. Gresham, Assistant Executive Director, National Capital Planning Commission; and public witnesses.

ARIZONA WILDERNESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 2570, Arizona Desert Wilderness Act of 1989; and H.R. 2571, Arizona Wildlife Refuge Wilderness Act of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on these measures. Testimony was heard

from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Cy Jamison, Director, Bureau of Land Management; and John Turner, Director, Fish and Wildlife Service.

OIL AND GAS FARMOUT AGREEMENTS/ BANKRUPTCY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R. 3152, to amend title 11 of the United States Code, to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigrations, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 150, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for a procedure for an alien who dies while serving on active duty with the United States Armed Forces during certain periods of hostilities to be considered a citizen of the United States at the time of the alien's death; H.R. 478, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the naturalization of certain aliens through service in the Armed Forces of the United States for at least three years; H.R. 525, to permit the naturalization of certain Filipino war veterans; H.R. 639, Filipino Veterans Fairness Act; H.R. 1286, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for special honorably (or are enlisted to serve) in the Armed Forces of the United States for at least 12 years; H.R. 1306, to authorize the original enlistment of certain aliens in the Armed Forces of the United States and the militias of the several States, to provide permanent resident status to such enlisted members; H.R. 1313, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the entry as immediate relatives of spouses, children, and parents of persons who died a service-connected death while on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States; H.R. 2304, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit aliens who have served in the Armed Forces for at least 4 years after enlistment abroad to enter the United States for permanent residence as special immigrants; and H.R. 2407, Filipino World War II Veterans Naturalization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dymally, Donnelly, Mineta, Pickett, Campbell of California, Gilman and Hunter; Jerome C. Ogden, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Consular Affairs, Department of State; RAdm. Francis R. Donovan, USN, Commander, Naval Military Personnel Command, U.S. Navy, Department of Defense; Capt. Kent M. Ballantyne, Deputy Chief for Training of the Office of Personnel and Training, Coast Guard Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; James A.

Puleo, Assistant Commissioner, Adjudications and Nationality, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

GREAT LAKES SET-ASIDE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 3002, to amend the Merchant Marine Act of 1936, to preserve the percentage of certain agricultural commodities exported from Great Lakes ports. Testimony was heard from Representatives Obey and Oberstar; Robert S. Silberman, Deputy Administrator, Inland Waterways and Great Lakes, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

MAILING OF UNSOLICITED SEXUALLY ORIENTED ADVERTISEMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held a hearing on H.R. 1210, to prevent the mailing of unsolicited sexually oriented advertisements. Testimony was heard from Representative Ridge; Kenneth M. Hearst, Assistant Chief Inspector, Criminal Investigations, Postal Inspection Service, U.S. Postal Service; Ronald K. Noble, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

ADEQUACY OF COMPETITION IN THE AIRLINE INDUSTRY

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings on the Adequacy of Competition in the Airline Industry. Testimony was heard from Representative Dorgan of North Dakota; Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

OMNIBUS BUDGET RECONCILIATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing 6 hours of debate on H.R. 3299, Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989. All points of order are waived against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that after general debate, the Committee of the Whole shall rise without motion. Finally, the rule provides that no amendment to the bill is in order except as subsequently determined by the House. Testimony was heard from Representatives Panetta, Watkins, Udall, Gibbons, Jones of North Carolina, Alexander, Anderson, Oberstar, Clay, Markey, Miller of California, Applegate, Bonior, Kildee, Donnelly, Stenholm, Dorgan of North Dakota, Kennelly, Penny, Visclosky, Levin of Michigan, Jones of Georgia, Carper, Frenzel, Goodling, Gingrich, Conte, Young of Alaska, Hammerschmidt, Clinger, Rinaldo, Archer, Dannemeyer, Petri, Rou-

kema, Shaw, Gekas, Rowland of Connecticut, Hastert, Rhodes, Rohrabacher, Smith of New Jersey and Bartlett.

RENEWABLE ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGY COMPETITIVENESS ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development approved for full Committee action H.R. 1216, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989.

PATENTS IN SPACE ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications approved for full Committee action H.R. 2946, Patents in Space Act.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Robert Kempf, Associate General Counsel, Intellectual Property, NASA; James Denny, Acting Assistant Commissioner, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce; and Susan Biniaz, Legal Advisor, Department of State.

HISPANIC SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Environment and Labor held a hearing to Focus on Hispanic Small Business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENA

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy approved the issuance of a subpoena to Michael Walerstein, Medical Marketing Services, in conjunction with hearings on cosmetic surgery.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment concluded oversight hearings on the Montgomery GI Bill (active), and on H.R. 3199, Veterans Health Professionals Educational Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following Officials of the Department of Defense: Lt. Gen. Allen K. Ono, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, U.S. Army; RAdm. Francis R. Donovan, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel, U.S. Navy; Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, U.S. Air Force; Maj. Gen. Edmund P. Looney, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, for Reserve Affairs, U.S. Marine Corps; RAdm. George D. Passmore, USCG, Chief, Office of Personnel and Training, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; representatives of military associations and veterans organizations.

IMPACT OF THE BETTS DECISION; WORKER BENEFITS PROTECTION ACT

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities and the Subcommittee on Labor-Management of the Committee on Education and Labor held a joint hearing on Age Discrimination in Employee Benefit Plans: The Impact of the Betts Decision, and on H.R. 3200, Older Workers Benefit Protection Act. Testimony was heard from the following Officials of the EEOC: Rosalie Gaull Silberman, Vice Chairman; and Charles A. Shanor, General Counsel; and public witnesses.

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Friday, September 22, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21371-21399

Measures Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1659-1662, and S. Con. Res. 71.

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Measures Passed:

Energy Efficiency Technology: Senate passed S. 488, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and an additional amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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Mitchell (for Metzenbaum) Amendment No. 842, to prohibit immunity from civil or criminal liability under any antitrust law.

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Nomination Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

Otto G. Obermaier, of New York, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

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Nomination Received: Senate received the following nomination:

David Jameison Smith, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief Negotiator for Defense and Space.

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 4:03 p.m., until 1 p.m., on Monday, September 25, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 21398.)

Committee Meetings

PESTICIDES

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development held hearings to review the Subcommittee's report on the need for reform in the Federal Government's regulation of pesticides on food, and to examine the potential threat of the fungicide EBDC to human health, receiving testimony from Linda J. Fisher, Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency; Texas State Commissioner of Agriculture Jim Hightower, Austin; and Robert M. Goodman and Charles M. Benbrook, both of the National Research Council, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Luigi R. Einaudi, of Maryland, to be the Permanent Representative of the U.S. to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador, and Thomas F. Stroock, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John E. Frohnmayer, of Oregon, to be Chairperson, National Endowment for the Arts, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Hatfield and Packwood, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded joint hearings with the Committee on Labor and Human Resources on the nomination of Thomas E. Collins III, of Mississippi, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veterans Employment and Training, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Cochran, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Rauol L. Carroll, of the District of Columbia, to be the General Counsel of the Department of Veterans Affairs, Edward T. Timperlake, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Congressional and Public Affairs, Allen B. Clark, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Veterans Liaison and Program Coordination, and S. Anthony McCann, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Finance and Planning, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

House of Representatives

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Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 3327-3329; 1 private bill, H.R. 3330; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 245 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 245, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-248).

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Commodity Credit Corporation: Message wherein he transmits the report of the Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1986—referred to the Committee on Agriculture; and

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UN activities in 1988: Message wherein he transmits a report on the activities of the United States Government in the United Nations and its affiliated agencies during calendar year 1988—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

Committee Meeting

UNDERREPRESENTATION OF WOMEN AND MINORITIES IN THE FOREIGN SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on the under-

representation of women and minorities in the Foreign Service. Testimony was heard from Joseph Kelley, Director, Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of State: Mary Lee Garrison, Deputy Division Chief, Developing Countries and Trade Organizations; and Charles Hughes, Deputy Executive Director, Office of the Executive Secretariat; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees met in closed session to continue to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Monday, September 25, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21413–21453

Measures Introduced: Six bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1663–1668, S. Res. 183–185, S.J. Res. 204, and S. Con. Res. 72 and 73.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1364, to establish a Joint Federal Commission on Policies and Programs Affecting Alaska Natives, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–139)

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Measures Passed:

Commemorating the ILGWU Health Center: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 72, commemorating the 75th anniversary of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union Health Center.

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Federal Flood and Crime Insurance Programs: Senate passed H.R. 2771, to reauthorize the National Flood Insurance Program and the Federal Crime Insurance Program through September 30, 1991, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Riegle) Amendment No. 850, in the nature of a substitute.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments (with certain exceptions), and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Inouye Amendment No. 845, of a technical nature.

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(2) Inouye Amendment No. 846, of a technical nature.

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(3) Inouye Amendment No. 847, to modify the use of accounts for sales of properties by agencies of the United States.

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(4) Inouye (for Conrad/Burdick) Amendment No. 848, to provide for maintenance and repair of equipment and facilities and for tooling at the William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant.

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(5) Inouye (for Pryor) Amendment No. 849, to restrict the amount of funds obligated or expended for the procurement of advisory or assistance services by the Department of Defense.

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Pending:

(1) Inouye Amendment No. 825, to provide funds for conventional force improvements.

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(2) Nunn Amendment No. 844 (to committee amendment on page 18, beginning on line 10), to strike certain restrictions on the obligation of funds from the Defense Closure Account.

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A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for consideration of Nunn amendment No. 844, listed above, with a vote to occur in relation thereto, on Tuesday, September 26.

Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto, on Tuesday, September 26.

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Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m. and recessed at 6:18 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Tuesday, September 26, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 21453.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 3331-3339; 1 private bill, H.R. 3340; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 407-409, and H. Res. 246 and 247 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-249);

S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia (H. Rept. 101-250);

H.R. 967, to establish the Amistad National Recreation Area in the State of Texas, amended (H. Rept. 101-251);

H.R. 1606, to adjust the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park, amended (H. Rept. 101-252);

H. Res. 246, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-253); and

Conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-254).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 230 yeas to 80 nays, Roll No. 239, the House approved the Journal of Friday, September 22.

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Continuing Appropriations: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request that it be in order tomorrow, or any day thereafter, to consider in the House, any rule of the House to the contrary notwithstanding, H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990; that debate be limited to 1 hour; and that the previous question be considered as ordered on the resolution to final passage without intervening motion.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Harpers Ferry National Park: S. 85, to authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia—clearing the measure for the President. Subsequent-

ly, the House agreed to S. Con. Res. 59, correcting the enrollment of S. 85—clearing the measure;

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Amistad National Recreation Area: H.R. 967, amended, to establish the Amistad National Recreation Area in the State of Texas;

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Rocky Mountain National Park: H.R. 1606, amended, to adjust the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and S. 737, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title;

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Telephone operator service consumer protection: H.R. 971, amended, to require the Federal Communications Commission to prescribe rules to protect consumers from unfair practices in the provision of operator services;

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International securities enforcement cooperation: H.R. 1396, amended, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to facilitate cooperation between the United States and foreign countries in securities law enforcement;

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Rail Passenger Service Act: H.R. 2364, amended, to amend the Rail Passenger Service Act to authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 296 yeas to 93 nays, Roll No. 241); and

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Airport security improvement: H.R. 2365, amended, to improve airport security by providing additional funding for research on, and evaluation of, explosives detection equipment (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 390 yeas with 1 voting present, Roll No. 242).

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Legislative Branch Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Fazio, Yates, Obey, Murtha, Traxler, Boggs, Whitten, Lewis of California, Conte, Myers of Indiana, and Porter.

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Agreed to the Conte motion to instruct House conferees to agree to Senate amendment numbered 41 (transfer of unsolicited mass mailing franking funds to anti-drug programs) (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 245 yeas to 137 nays, Roll No. 240).

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight to file a conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative

Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on pages H5855, H5887, H5888, H5889, H5890. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 5 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

FAA AND THE PAN AM FLIGHT 103 BOMBING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on the FAA and the Bombing last December of Pan Am Flight 103, in which 270 lives were lost. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FAA, Department of Transportation: Ray Salazar, Director, Office of Civil Aviation Security; and Monte Belger, Associate Administrator, Aviation Standards; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for consideration in the House of H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990. All points of order against the joint resolution and against its consideration are hereby waived. Debate on the joint resolution shall continue not to exceed 1 hour, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten and Representative Conte.

HISPANIC CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES: A KEY TO OUR NATION'S FUTURE

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Hispanic Children and Their Families: A Key To Our Nation's Future". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Conferees: Agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3014, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Legislative Branch.

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Tuesday, September 26, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21592–21743

Measures Introduced: Eight bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1669–1676, S. Res. 186, and S.J. Res. 205–207.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 874, to establish national voter registration procedures for Presidential and Congressional elections, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–140)

S. 577, to clarify the congressional intent concerning, and to codify, certain requirements of the Communications Act of 1934 that ensure that broadcasts afford reasonable opportunity for the discussion of conflicting views on issues of public importance, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–141)

S. 1672, to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950. (S. Rept. No. 101–142)

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Measures Passed:

Gateway National Recreation Area: Senate passed H.R. 2835, to provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, New Jersey.

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Children With Disabilities Temporary Care: Senate passed H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1454, Senate companion measure.

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S. 1454 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

Foreign Operations Appropriations, 1990: By 89 yeas to 11 nays (Vote No. 204), Senate passed H.R.

2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as amended.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Leahy, Inouye, Johnston, DeConcini, Lautenberg, Harkin, Mikulski, Byrd, Kasten, Hatfield, D'Amato, Rudman, Specter, Nickles, and Stevens.

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Labor, HHS, Education, Appropriations, 1990: By 81 yeas to 19 nays (Vote No. 205), Senate passed H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as amended.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Harkin, Byrd, Hollings, Burdick, Inouye, Bumpers, Reid, Adams, Specter, Hatfield, Stevens, Rudman, McClure, Cochran, and Gramm.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with remaining excepted committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 21599, 21619, 21665

Adopted:

(1) By 84 yeas to 16 nays (Vote No. 201), Nunn Amendment No. 844 (to committee amendment on page 18, beginning on line 10), to strike certain restrictions on the obligation of funds from the Defense Base Closure Account, to implement the closure and realignment of certain military bases.

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(2) D'Amato Amendment No. 854, to express the sense of the Congress regarding the joint Department of Defense and NASA management of the National Aerospace Plane program.

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(3) Hollings Amendment No. 857, to provide for replacement and repair to U.S. military facilities damaged by hurricane Hugo.

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(4) Inouye Amendment No. 856, to make available funds for Jordan to maintain previously purchased U.S.-origin defense articles.

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(5) Johnston Amendment No. 858, to provide for the transfer of funds to atomic energy defense activities of the Department of Defense.

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(6) Inouye Amendment No. 825, to provide funds for conventional force improvements.

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(7) By 65 yeas to 34 nays (Vote No. 206), Stevens Amendment No. 861 (to Amendment No. 860), to express the sense of the Congress on the common defense relationship between the United States and the Republic of Korea.

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(8) Bumpers Amendment No. 860, to require a reduction in the number of United States military personnel assigned to permanent duty ashore in the Republic of Korea.

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(9) Inouye (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 862, to provide for a study of alternative B-2 aircraft force structures.

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(10) Inouye (for Graham) Amendment No. 863, to require the Secretary of Defense to design a comprehensive strategy to involve civilian and military employees of the Department in partnership programs with elementary and secondary schools.

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(11) Inouye (for Lautenberg) Amendment No. 864, to release certain revisionary rights of the United States on certain lands previously conveyed within the Caven Point Terminal and Ammunition Loading Pier, New Jersey, to the New Jersey Turnpike Authority.

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(12) Inouye (for Reid) Amendment No. 865, expressing the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of Defense should halt continued land and airspace withdrawals in the State of Nevada pending submission of the Special Nevada Report.

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(13) Inouye (for Helms) Amendment No. 866, expressing the sense of the Congress that the Secretary of Defense should give priority to the Bureau of Prisons for receipt of property or a facility scheduled for closure under the Base Closure and Realignment Act.

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Rejected:

(1) By 34 yeas to 66 nays (Vote No. 202), Wallop (for Warner) Amendment No. 855 (to Inouye Amendment No. 825, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) By 29 yeas to 71 nays (Vote No. 203), Leahy Amendment No. 859, to limit the use of funds for the B-2 advanced technology bomber aircraft program.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill and amendments to be proposed thereto upon disposition of H.R. 3015, Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990.

Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Pending:

Byrd Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment on page 5, beginning on line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, a proposed modification to the pending amendment, and additional amendments to be proposed thereto, on Wednesday, September 27.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Pearl Bailey, of Arizona, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Catalina Vasquez Villalpando, of Texas, to be Treasurer of the United States.

Edwin G. Foulke, Jr., of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.

Routine lists in the Air Force and Marine Corps.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the "Comprehensive Campaign Finance Reform Act of 1989", which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (PM-62)

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—206)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and recessed at 11:29 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, September 27, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks

of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 21743.)

Committee Meetings

U.S./PALAU COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on H.J. Res. 175, to authorize the entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and Palau and provides for certain agreements with and assistance to the insular territories, after receiving testimony from Don Yellman, Acting Director, Office of Freely Associated State Affairs, Department of State; Stella Guerra, Assistant Secretary for Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Phillip E. Berringer, Director, Foreign Military Rights Affairs, International Security Affairs, Department of Defense.

NATURAL GAS SUPPLY AND DELIVERABILITY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Mineral Resources Development and Production concluded oversight hearings to explore the supply and demand relationship for natural gas in the 1990's, after receiving testimony from W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary of Energy; John C. Sawhill, McKinsey and Company, Inc., and Nicholas J. Bush, Natural Gas Supply Association, both of Washington, DC; Danny H. Conklin, Philcon Development, Amarillo, Texas on behalf of the Independent Petroleum Association of America; Kenneth L. Lay, Enron Corporation, Houston, Texas; Arlon R. Tussing, Arlon R. Tussing and Associates, Inc., Seattle, Washington; and George H. Lawrence, American Gas Association, Arlington, Virginia.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen certain air quality standards, including S. 1630, receiving testimony from William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency.

Subcommittee will meet again on tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Kenneth L. Brown, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, William L. Jacobsen, Jr., of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, and Penne Percy Korth, of Texas, to be Am-

bassador to Mauritius, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Korth was introduced by Senators Bentsen and Gramm.

U.S. ANDEAN DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the U.S. Government's anti-narcotic activities in the Andean Region of South America, receiving testimony from Senator Specter; William J. Bennett, Director, John P. Walters, Chief of Staff, and Bruce M. Carnes, Director, Office of Planning, Budget and Administration, all of the Office of National Drug Control Policy; and David L. Westrate, Assistant Administrator for Operations, and Richard J. Long, Peruvian Program Coordinator, both of the Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Conrad K. Cyr, of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, Marvin J. Garbis, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, Rebecca B. Smith, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, and Stuart M. Gerson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Cyr was introduced by Senators Mitchell and Cohen, Mr. Garbis was introduced by Senators Sarbanes and Mikulski and Representative Bentley, Ms. Smith was introduced by Senators Warner and Robb, and Mr. Gerson was introduced by Senators Specter and Heinz.

DRUG CRISIS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee resumed hearings to examine State and local treatment and prevention programs relating to the drug crisis, receiving testimony from Mayor Lee Robinson, Macon, Georgia; June Milam, Drug Research and Education in Mississippi, Jackson; Jeffrey A. Miller, W.R. Thomas Middle School, and Christian Toledo, Southwest Senior High School, both of Miami, Florida; Mary Ann Pentz, University of South California School of Medicine, Pasadena; and Robert E. Hignite, Emmerich Manual High School, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3341-3350; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 201 and 202, and H. Res. 248 and 249 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 88, to direct the Secretary of the Army to set aside an appropriate area within Arlington National Cemetery for the unmarked burial of cremated remains (H. Rept. 101-255);

H.R. 2594, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located at 1900 Mason Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida, as the "William V. Chappell, Jr., Veterans' Outpatient Clinic" (H. Rept. 101-256);

H.R. 2807, to provide for the establishment of a memorial on Federal land within the District of Columbia to honor members of the Armed Forces who served in World War II, and to express the sense of Congress concerning the United States participation in that conflict (H. Rept. 101-257);

H.R. 2983, to name the new Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic in Mount Vernon, Missouri, as the "Gene Taylor Veterans' Outpatient Clinic" (H. Rept. 101-258);

H.R. 2987, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Leavenworth, Kansas, as the "Dwight D. Eisenhower Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center" (H. Rept. 101-259);

H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage, amended (H. Rept. 101-260); and

H. Res. 249, providing for the further consideration of H.R. 3299, Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989 (H. Rept. 101-261).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 295 yeas to 119 nays, Roll No. 244, the House approved the Journal of Monday, September 25.

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Continuing Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 274 yeas to 152 nays, Roll No. 245, the House passed H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

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H. Res. 246, the rule under which the resolution was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Budget Reconciliation: House concluded all general debate on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990, but came

to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will begin on Wednesday, September 27.

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H. Res. 245, the rule providing for consideration of general debate on the bill, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 316 yeas to 109 nays, Roll No. 246.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Presidential Message—Campaign Financing: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits his legislative proposal on campaign finance reform—referred to the Committees on House Administration, Post Office and Civil Service, and Judiciary.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 21517, 21529, 21532. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REVIEW STATE AND PRIVATE FORESTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review state and private forestry. Testimony was heard from Allan J. West, Deputy Chief, State and Private Forestry, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

GRAIN RESERVE POLICY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review grain reserve policy in preparation of 1990 Farm bill. Testimony was heard from Richard Hancock, Director, Basic Food Service, Commodities and Trade Division, Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS REAUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the tied aid credit fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such fund during such fiscal year.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, Supervision, Regulation and Insurance held an oversight hearing on the European Community's 1992 Program. Testimony was heard from Manual H. Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors' Federal Reserve System; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; and Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF WORLD BANK LENDING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade and the Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a joint hearing on the Environmental Impact of World Bank Lending. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD HOUSING PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD housing programs. In failing to respond to Subcommittee questions, Samuel R. Pierce, Jr., former Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, invoked constitutional privileges.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAA AND PAN AM FLIGHT 103 BOMBING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation continued hearings on the FAA and the bombing last December of Pan Am Flight 103, in which 270 lives were lost. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FAA, Department of Transportation: Monte Belger, Associate Administrator, Aviation Security; Ray Salazar, Director, Office of Civil Aviation Security; Bill Wall, Manager, Aviation Security Branch, Tech Center; and Lyle Malotky, Office of Civil Aviation Security; and public witnesses.

LUMBEE RECOGNITION ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 2335, Lumbee Recognition Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Rose; Patrick A. Hayes, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs (Operations), Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Lonnie Revels, Board

Chairman, Commission on Indian Affairs, State of North Carolina; and public witnesses.

CALUMET NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 1241, to establish the Calumet National Historical Park in the State of Michigan. Testimony was heard from Senator Levin; Representatives Kildee and Davis; Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, Cultural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1404, to provide for the sale by the Secretary of the Interior of the Sly Park Unit of the Central Valley Project to the El Dorado Irrigation District, Placer-ville, El Dorado County, California; H.R. 1462, to provide for the transfer of the Platoro Reservoir to the Conejos Water Conservancy District of the State of Colorado and for the protection of fish and wild-life habitat on the Conejos River; and H.R. 1611, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for prepayment of indebtedness on the Solano Project and to execute an agreement for the transfer of title to specified water supply facilities of the Solano Project with an organization composed of the users of water from the Solano Project. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fazio, Herger, Bosco, Shumway and Campbell of Colorado; Joe Hall, Deputy Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; J. William McDonald, Director, Water Conservation Board, State of Colorado; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 3133, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the vessel *Jamal*; H.R. 2587, North American Wetlands Conservation Act; H.R. 3332, Global Environment Research and Policy Act of 1989; H.R. 897, NOAA Fleet Modernization Act; H.R. 1347, Panama Canal Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 3237, to amend title 10, United States Code, and the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, to provide authorization for the officer of the Department of Defense designated by the Secretary of Defense as a member of the Board of the Panama Canal Commission to nominate individuals for appointment to the U.S. service academies.

TRANS-ALASKA PIPELINE SYSTEM REFORM ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 3277, to improve Federal laws relating to the trans-Alaska pipeline system. Testimony was heard from Representative Miller of California; Capt. Charles Corbett, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Thomas S. Neubig, Director, Office of Tax Analysis, Department of the Treasury; Cy Jamison, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Timothy Fields, Jr., Director, Emergency Response Division, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and public witnesses.

HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation and Employee Benefits approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1805, to allow Federal annuitants to make contributions for health benefits through direct payments rather than through annuity withholdings if the annuity is insufficient to cover the required withholdings; to eliminate the reinsurance requirement under the Federal employees' life insurance program; and to make a technical correction relating to the life insurance program.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Transportation concluded hearings on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on the following: H.R. 3318, to redesignate the Federal building, known as the Concord Building, located at 1919 Smith Street in Houston, TX, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building"; H.R. 2890, to redesignate the Federal buildings and courthouse in East St. Louis, IL, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse;" an 11(b) resolution; proposed legislation for "least cost" financing mechanisms for Federal buildings; consideration of consolidation of the EPA in Washington, DC; consolidation of the Department of Justice in Washington, DC; tenancy of the planned Federal Triangle complex; and pending lease prospectuses. Testimony was heard from Representatives Brooks and Costello; the following officials of the GSA: Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator; Paul Chistolini, Deputy Regional Administrator, National Capital Region; and David L. Bibb, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Facility Planning,

Public Buildings Service; F. Henry Habicht II, Deputy Administrator, EPA; L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, General Government Division, GAO; Richard Roth, Director, Administration, USIA; Harry H. Flickinger, Assistant Attorney General, Administration, Department of Justice; and Kenneth R. Sparks, Organizing Cultural and Trade Center Commission.

OMNIBUS BUDGET RECONCILIATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a modified open rule providing for further consideration of H.R. 3299, Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989. The rule waives all points of order against the bill except against specified sections of the bill. The amendments printed in section one of the report accompanying this resolution are considered as having been adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. No other amendment to the bill is in order except the amendments printed in section two of the report accompanying this resolution. The amendments are to be considered in the order and manner specified in the report. The amendments are to be offered only by the Member indicated, or his designee. Debate time provided on each amendment as specified in the report is to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed thereto. The amendments are not subject to amendment except as specified in the report and all points of order against the amendments are waived. The rule provides that if more than one of the amendments relating to catastrophic health insurance is adopted, only the last such amendment which is adopted shall be considered to have been finally adopted and reported back to the House. If more than one of the amendments relating to child care is adopted, only the last such amendment which is adopted shall be considered to have been finally adopted and reported back to the House. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit.

MARS AND LUNAR MISSIONS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held a hearing to review the President's request for Mars and Lunar Missions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of NASA: Adm. Richard Truly, Administrator; and David Charles Black, Director, Lunar and Planetary Institute, Resident Scientist in Theoretical Astrophysics, Ames Research Center; and public witnesses.

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Senate

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Measures Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1677-1682, S.J. Res. 208, and S. Con. Res. 74.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 978, to authorize the establishment within the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, to establish a memorial to the American Indian, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-143)

H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-144)

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Measures Passed:

U.S. Congressional Gift of Democracy to Poland: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 74, to establish a U.S. Congressional gift of democracy to Poland in the form of equipment and training for the Polish Sejm and Senate.

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Performance Management and Recognition System Continuation: Senate passed H.R. 3282, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize the continuation of the performance management and recognition system through March 31, 1991, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Inouye (for Pryor) Amendment No. 884, to provide for a temporary continuation of provision relating to the schedule for paying the lump-sum credit to certain annuitants.

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Defense Production Act Amendment: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 3281, to extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950, and the bill was then passed after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1672, Senate companion measure.

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S. 1672 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990: By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 209), Senate passed H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreeing to the excepted committee amendment, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By 97 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 207), Byrd Modified Amendment No. 727 (to committee amendment beginning on page 5, line 22), to provide additional funds for drug programs.

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(2) Kennedy Amendment No. 867, to provide grants for substance abuse treatment for pregnant and post-partum women and their infants.

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(3) Kennedy Amendment No. 868, to provide assistance to social service agencies dealing with abused children by parents who are addicted to drugs.

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(4) Kennedy Amendment No. 869, to provide grants for the training of professionals to assist in the rehabilitation of drug abusers.

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(5) Gramm Amendment No. 870, to require drug-free zones within institutes of higher education.

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(6) Danforth (for Hollings) Amendment No. 871 (to amend No. 870), to provide testing for the use of alcohol or controlled substances by the operators of aircraft, railroads, or commercial vehicles.

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(7) By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 208), Coats Amendment No. 872 (to amendment No. 870), to provide for voluntary random drug testing of students participating in voluntary, extracurricular activities in schools that voluntarily choose to participate in a drug testing program.

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(8) Warner Amendment No. 873, to provide for the transfer of funds to the Special Forfeiture Fund for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, and 1993.

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(9) Warner Amendment No. 874 (to amendment No. 873), relating to the disposition of forfeited property and State law.

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(10) Cranston Amendment No. 875 (to amendment No. 873), to impose restriction on the designation of high-intensity drug trafficking areas.

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(11) Dole Amendment No. 876, to require treatment accountability for State programs or activities relating to drug abuse.

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(12) Dole Amendment No. 877, to waive certain restrictions on international assistance.

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(13) Biden Amendment No. 878, to provide grants for substance abuse and treatment programs.

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(14) Lautenberg (for Cranston) Amendment No. 880, to allow for the purchase of a specified right-of-way in California.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed conferees, as follows: Senators Lautenberg, Byrd, Harkin, Sasser, Mikulski, D'Amato, Kasten, Domenici, Grassley, and Hatfield; for the sole purpose of the drug amendment (Title IV): Senators Byrd, Inouye, and Hatfield, and for all items in Title IV, and the chairman and ranking minority member of each subcommittee for items falling within the jurisdiction of each subcommittee: from the subcommittee on Agriculture and Related Agencies, Senators Burdick and Cochran; from the subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, Senators Hollings and Rudman; from the subcommittee on Defense, Senators Inouye and Stevens; from the subcommittee on the District of Columbia, Senators Adams and Gramm; from the subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, Senators Johnston and Hatfield; from the subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Senators Leahy and Kasten; from the subcommittee on HUD and Independent Agencies, Senators Mikulski and Garn; from the subcommittee on Interior, Senators Byrd and McClure; from the subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Senators Harkin and Specter; from the subcommittee on Legislative Branch, Senators Reid and Nickles; from the subcommittee on Military Construction, Senators Sasser and Grassley; from the subcommittee on Transportation, Senators Lautenberg and D'Amato; and from the subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government, Senators DeConcini and Domenici.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with remaining excepted committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

Lautenberg (for Pryor) Amendment No. 881, to limit the use of appropriated funds for the procurement of the Airborne Self-Protection Jammer (ASPJ).

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Pending:

Specter Amendment No. 882, to make funds available for multilateral anti-narcotics efforts.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill and amendments to be proposed thereto, on Thursday, September 28, with a vote to occur on the pending amendment at 10 a.m.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Bruce L. Gardner, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

E. Donald Elliott, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Bernard E. DeLury, of New Jersey, to be Federal Mediation and Conciliation Director.

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Appointment:

International Conference on Global Environmental Issues: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendation of the Republican Leader, pursuant to Senate Resolution 171 (101st Congress, 1st session), appointed the following Senators as Republican party members of the special delegation of Members of the Senate that shall host an International Conference on Global Environmental Issues: Senators Boschwitz, Chafee, and Heinz.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—209)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and recessed at 6:56 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 28, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 22142.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee began hearings on the nomination of James E. Cason, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Natural Resources and the Environment, where the nominee, who was introduced by

Senator Hatfield and Representative Robert Smith, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings will continue on Tuesday, October 3.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE/JUSTICE/STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, H.R. 2991, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

FHA

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs resumed oversight hearings to assess General Accounting Office audits of the Federal Housing Administration, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, John M. Ols, Jr., Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, and Dennis J. Duquette, Director, Agency Financial Audits, all of the General Accounting Office; C. Austin Fitts, Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Thomas Craren, Price Waterhouse, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S. TOURISM INDUSTRY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism held hearings on the state of the U.S. Tourism industry, receiving testimony from Jonathan Linen, American Express, and Preston R. Tisch, Loews Corporation, both of New York, New York; Ted Kleisner, The Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia; Phil Bryan, Peppermill Hotel/Casino, Reno, Nevada; Gerald Pettit, Quality Inns International Inc., Silver Spring, Maryland; Noel Irwin-Hentschel, Americantours International Inc., Honolulu, Hawaii; and Voit Gilmore, American Society of Travel Agents, Alexandria, Virginia.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 26.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, S. 724, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, water, and natural resources within the park.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 371, to designate certain National Forest System lands in the State of Idaho for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation System, to prescribe certain management formulae for certain National Forest System lands, and to release other forest lands for multiple-use management, but did not complete

action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, October 4.

CLEAN AIR AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection continued hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen certain air quality standards, focusing on ozone and carbon monoxide nonattainment issues, receiving testimony from Senators Cranston, Wilson, and Wirth; Vermont Governor Madeline M. Kunin, Montpelier, and Utah Governor Norman H. Bangerter, Salt Lake City, both representing the National Governors Association; Mayor Federico Pena, Denver, Colorado, representing the National League of Cities and the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Missouri Representative Patrick Dougherty, Jefferson City, representing the National Conference of State Legislators; County Commissioner Randall Franke, Marion County, Oregon, representing the National Association of Counties; Donald Theiler, State and Territorial Air Pollution Program Administrators and the Association of Local Air Pollution Control Officials, Richard E. Ayres, National Clean Air Coalition, Harvey Alter, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, and Ralph Engel, Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association, representing the Consumer Products Coalition, all of Washington, DC; Anthony J. McMahon, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Trenton, representing the Northeast States for Coordinated Air Use Management; Len Bruckman, Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection, Hartford; William Wallace, Santa Barbara Air Pollution Control District, Santa Barbara, California; W. Bruce Chiles, Chiles Oil Company, Pulaski, Tennessee, representing the Petroleum Marketers Association of America; Dwaine H. Smith, ARCO Products Company, Los Angeles, California, representing the Clean Air Working Group; Hank Wedaa and Carolyn Green, both representing the South Coast Air Quality Management District Board, Yorba Linda, California; and Larry Feldcamp and Allison Pierce, both representing the Texas Ozone Task Force, Houston.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Stephen R. Hanmer, Jr., of Virginia to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, Gordon K. Durnil, of Indiana, to be Commissioner on the part of the U.S. on the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada, Nicolas M. Salgo, of Florida, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as the Special Negotiator for Property Issues, and Elizabeth M. Tamposi, of New Hampshire, to be Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs, after the

nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Tamposi was introduced by Senator Rudman.

INTERNATIONAL MONEY LAUNDERING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations concluded hearings to examine international money laundering activities, focusing on law enforcement and foreign policy, after receiving testimony from Terrence M. Burke, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Operations Division, and David G. Wilson, Chief, Financial Operations Section, both of the Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice; Donald F. Reid, Wells Fargo Bank, San Francisco, California, representing the Bank Secrecy Act/Large Currency Report Committee of the Bank Administration Institute; Earl B. Hadlow, Barnett Banks, Inc., Jacksonville, Florida, representing the Money Laundering Task Force of the American Bankers Association; and Carl T. Solberg, Citicorp, New York, New York.

U.S. ANDEAN DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the U.S. Government's antinarcotic activities in the Andean Region of South America, receiving testimony from Colombia Ambassador Victor Mosquera Chaus; Peru Ambassador Cesar Atala Nazal; Bolivia Ambassador Carlos Delius; Colombia Ambassador to Czechoslovakia Enrique Parejo Gonzalez, Prague; Osvaldo Antezana Vaca Diez, Bolivian Ministry of Agriculture, La Paz; and Jose Gonzales, Lima, Peru.

Hearings continue on Friday, September 29.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on proposed legislation to establish certain criteria for the imposition of the death penalty for Federal crimes, focusing on the scope, procedures, and impact on Native Americans, receiving testimony from Paul Cassell, Assistant U.S. Attorney, Department of Justice; Tova Indritz, Federal Public Defender, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Sterling Epps, Federal Law Enforcement Officers' Association, Burke, Virginia; Missouri Assistant Public Defender Nancy McKerrow, Columbia; Michael Mello, University of Vermont School of Law, Burlington; Jim Ellis, American University, on behalf of the American Association on Mental Retardation, Paul Kamenar, Washington Legal Foundation, and Faith Roessel, Native American Rights Fund, all of Washington, DC; Tom Tso, Navajo Nation, Window Rock, Arizona; and Edward Lone Fight, Three Affiliated Tribes, Ft. Berthold Reservation, North Dakota.

Hearings continue on Monday, October 2.

RIGHTS FOR OLDER WORKERS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Labor concluded joint hearings with the Special Committee on Aging on S. 1511 and S. 1293, bills to clarify the protections given to older individuals in regard to employee benefit plans, after receiving testimony from R. Gaull Silberman, Vice Chairman, and Charles Shanor, General Counsel, both of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Carolyn Betts, Brownstein, Zeidman & Schomer, Horace B. Deets, American Association of Retired Persons, Burt Fretz, National Senior Citizens Law Center, Chris Mackaronis, Bell, Boyd & Lloyd, Fred Rumak, Association of Private Pension and Welfare Plans, James D. Short, ERISA Industry Committee, and Douglas S. McDowell, McGuiness & Williams, all of Washington, DC; Kevin McCarthy, UNUM Life Insurance Company, Portland, Maine; Mark Dichter, Morgan, Lewis & Brockius, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Harry Sousa, Bristol, Rhode Island.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Joan D. Aikens, of Pennsylvania, and John W. McGarry, of Massachusetts, each to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission;

H.R. 2358, to authorize funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in honor of the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

S.J. Res. 199, to provide for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S.J. Res. 200, to provide for the reappointment of Jeannine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S.J. Res. 202, to provide for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr., of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S.J. Res. 203, to provide for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal of Michigan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

S. 1521, to authorize the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution to fix the per annum rates of basic pay of positions on the police force of the National Zoological Park of the Smithsonian Institution;

S. Res. 99, to require the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the Senate;

S. Con. Res. 68, to authorize a concert by the American Soviet Youth Orchestra on Capitol grounds;

An original resolution to correct the citation referred to in title 39, U.S. Code, relating to mass mailings during the 60 days prior to an election;

An original resolution to authorize the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for the use of the One Hundred First Congress; and

S. Res. 181, to authorize the printing of the Regulations Governing the Use of the Mailing Frank.

Also, the committee ordered reported, without recommendation, S. Res. 185, to provide a temporary Standing Order of the Senate for the remainder of the 1st Session of the 101st Congress requiring that no amendment may be offered to any measure after a fifteen-minute lapse following disposition of an amendment to or conclusion of debate on the measure, and to provide that upon expiration of the time period, the Chair would direct the Clerk to read for the third time any pending bill or joint resolution or to declare a simple or concurrent resolution no longer amendable.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 3351-3359; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 410 and 411, H. Con. Res. 203, and H. Res. 250 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1335, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase rates of compensation and disability and dependency compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and survivors of such veterans, amended (H. Rept. 101-262); and

H.R. 3275, to implement the steel trade liberalization program, amended (H. Rept. 101-263).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 304 yeas to 117 nays, Roll No. 247, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, September 26.

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Domestic Volunteer Service Act: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1312, to revise and extend the programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Hawkins, Owens of New York, Kildee, Martinez, Sawyer, Payne of New Jersey, Unsoeld, Goodling, Tauke, Bartlett, and Grandy.

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Budget Reconciliation: House began consideration of amendments on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of further amendments will continue on Thursday, September 28.

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Agreed to:

The Roukema amendment that deletes provisions that require trustee boards that administer single-employer pension plans to consist of equal representation of employees and employers (agreed to by a recorded vote of 250 ayes to 173 noes, Roll No. 249);

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The Dorgan amendment that deletes the provision which denies favorable tax treatment to certain employee health benefit plans that discriminate in favor of owners and executives (agreed to by a recorded vote of 390 ayes to 36 noes, Roll No. 250); and

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The Anderson amendment that strikes provisions requiring a portion of the aviation user taxes collected each year to be placed in the Treasury, instead of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund as required by current law (agreed to by a recorded vote of 305 ayes to 116 noes, Roll No. 251).

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H. Res. 249, the rule providing for the further consideration of the bill, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 371 yeas to 49 nays, Roll No. 248.

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Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law of the Committee on the Judiciary received permission to sit tomorrow, September 28, during the proceedings of the House.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 21763, 21779, 22032, 22044, 22053. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARMER MAC

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing to review the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation (Farmer Mac). Testimony was heard from Henry Edelman, President and Chief Executive Officer, Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation; John Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture

Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; Donald G. Coonley, Chief, National Bank Examiner, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued oversight hearings on the European Community's 1992 Program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearings on youth camp safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue October 4.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. POLICY TOWARD POLITICAL NEGOTIATIONS IN ANGOLA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on U.S. Policy Toward Political Negotiations in Angola. Testimony was heard from Representative Henry; Warren Clark, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

CUBA AND THE U.S.

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade concluded joint hearings on Cuba and the United States—(Part V): The U.S. Trade Embargo Against Cuba. Testimony was heard from Representative Alexander; and public witnesses.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD housing programs. Testimony was heard from the following former officials of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: Alexander Naclerio, Director of Housing, New York Office; Dick Eudaley, former Regional Administrator; and Walter Serier, former Deputy Regional Administrator, both with the Fort Worth Office; and Donald Marron, Chief, Executive Office, Paine Webber.

In failing to respond to Subcommittee questions, Lance Wilson, former Executive Assistant to Samuel R. Pierce, Jr., former Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, invoked constitutional privileges.

DRAFT REPORT; OVERSIGHT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security approved for full Committee action the following draft report entitled: "Department of Defense Automated Systems Experience Runaway Costs and Years of Schedule Delays While Providing Little Capability".

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on implementation of International Government Procurement Agreements and the Buy American Act of 1988. Testimony was heard from Allan I. Mendolowitz, Senior Associate Director, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Ambassador W. Douglas Newkirk, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative, General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) Affairs; Alfred Volkman, Director, Foreign Contracting, Department of Defense; Marjory E. Searing, Director, Office of Multilateral Affairs, Department of Commerce; and a public witness.

OVERCROWDING IN THE FEDERAL PRISON SYSTEM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice concluded hearings on overcrowding in the Federal Prison System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 672, Legal Immigration Reform Act of 1989; H.R. 2448, Immigration Legal Numerical Limitation and Preference Amendments of 1989; H.R. 2646, Special Immigration Protection Act of 1989, and S. 358, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to change the level, and preference system for admission of immigrants to the United States, and to provide for administrative naturalization; followed by an oversight hearing on nonimmigrant work visas. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on the Coastal Zone Management Act reauthorization for fiscal year 1991. Testimony was heard from John A. Knauss, Under Secretary, Oceans and Atmosphere, NOAA, Department of Commerce.

ASSURING THE SAFETY OF THE AGING AIRLINE FLEET

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Assuring the Safety of the Aging Airline Fleet. Testimony was heard from Anthony J. Broderick, Acting Executive Director, Regulatory Standards and Compliance, FAA, Department of Transportation; James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

INDOOR AIR QUALITY ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 1530, Indoor Air Quality Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from F. Henry Habicht II, Deputy Administrator, EPA; Thomas Walker, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Real Property Development, GSA; Philip Bierbaum, Director, Division of Physical Sciences and Engineering, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Department of Health and Human Services; Sandra Eberle, Program Manager, Chemical Hazards Division, Consumer Product Safety Commission; and public witnesses.

VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension and Insurance held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2546, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the amount of mortgage life insurance available to veterans who qualify for specially adapted housing grants; H.R. 2819, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend from 1 year to 2 years the period during which veterans with service-connected disabilities may apply for national service life insurance; H.R. 2826, to amend title 38, United States Code, to permit certain eligible veterans to purchase up to \$20,000 of national service life insurance; and H.R. 2832, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide mortgage protection life insurance to certain veterans unable to acquire commercial mortgage protection life insurance because of service-connected disabilities. Testimony was heard from Robert W. Carey, Director, Regional Office/Insurance Center, Department of Veterans Affairs; and representatives of veterans organizations.

STEEL TRADE LIBERALIZATION PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3275, Steel Trade Liberalization Program Implementation Act.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT TO WEAPONS ACQUISITION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Intelligence Support to Weapons Acquisition. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Department of Defense.

Joint Meetings

INTERNATIONAL ADJUSTMENT PROCESS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the international adjustment process to reduce imbalances among the major surplus and deficit nations, focusing on recent trends in, and projections for, the large current account and trade imbalances in the United States, Germany, Japan, Taiwan, and Korea, after receiving testimony from John Williamson, Institute for International Economics, Ed Lincoln, Brookings Institution, and Gary Hufbauer, Georgetown University, all of Washington, DC.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2788, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

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Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Seventeen bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1683–1699, S. Res. 187 and 188, and S.J. Res. 209 and 210.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1521, to amend Public Law 91–34 relating to the police force of the National Zoological Park of the Smithsonian Institution. (S. Rept. No. 101–145)

S.J. Res. 199, providing for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. (S. Rept. No. 101–146)

S.J. Res. 200, providing for the reappointment of Jeannine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. (S. Rept. No. 101–147)

S.J. Res. 202, providing for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr. of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. (S. Rept. No. 101–148)

S.J. Res. 203, providing for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal of Michigan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. (S. Rept. No. 101–149)

H.R. 2358, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives. (S. Rept. No. 101–150)

S. Res. 99, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the Senate.

S. Res. 181, to authorize printing of the Regulations Governing the Use of the Mailing Frank.

S. Res. 185, relative to reading of a measure for the third time.

S. Res. 187, to amend Rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate to correct the citation referring to Title 39, U.S. Code.

S. Res. 188, authorizing the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for the use of the One Hundred First Congress.

S. Con. Res. 68, authorizing a concert by the American Soviet Youth Orchestra on Capitol grounds.

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Measures Passed:

Continuing Appropriations, 1990: By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 211), Senate passed H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Byrd Amendment No. 885, to provide an additional \$1.1 billion for fiscal year 1989 to carry out the functions of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act.

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VA/HUD Appropriations, 1990: By 96 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 212), Senate passed H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as amended.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Mikulski, Leahy, Johnston, Lautenberg, Fowler, Kerrey, Byrd, Garn, D'Amato, Grassley, Nickles, Gramm, and Hatfield.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990: By 96 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 217), Senate passed H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to further excepted committee amendments, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) By 95 yeas to 5 nays (Vote No. 210). Specter Amendment No. 882, to make funds available for multilateral anti-narcotics efforts.

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(2) By 53 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 213), Stevens (for Heflin) Amendment No. 886 (to committee amendment on page 36, beginning on line 22), of a technical nature.

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(3) Kerry Modified Amendment No. 887 (to committee amendment on page 83, beginning on line 1 through line 5), in the nature of a substitute.

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(4) McCain (for Warner) Amendment No. 888, to provide for a feasibility study of a land transfer to the State of Virginia for use as a correctional facility.

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(5) Hatfield Amendment No. 892, to make a technical change to the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act.

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Rejected:

(1) By 25 yeas to 75 nays (Vote No. 215), Metz-enbaum Amendment No. 889, to reduce the number of U.S. troops in Europe.

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(2) By 23 yeas to 76 nays (Vote No. 214), Conrad Amendment No. 890 (to amendment No. 889), of a perfecting nature.

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 891 (to modified committee amendment on page 107, beginning on line 12), expressing the sense of the Senate that the conferees on H.R. 2788, Department of the Interior Appropriations, 1990, should insist on amendment number 7, to prohibit the use of appropriated funds for the dissemination, promotion or production of obscene or indecent materials or materials denigrating a particular religion. (By 62 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 216), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Inouye, Hollings, Johnston, Byrd, Leahy, Sasser, DeConcini, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Harkin, Reid, Stevens, Garn, McClure, Kasten, D'Amato, Rudman, Cochran, Specter, and Hatfield.

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Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—217)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and recessed on Friday, September 29, at 12:56 a.m., to reconvene at 10 a.m., the same day. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record, on page 22368.)

Committee Meetings

HUD—MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to review the implementation of HUD's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program, to provide affordable hous-

ing for low-income families and to rehabilitate deteriorating properties and revitalize neighborhoods, focusing on coinsurance programs, receiving testimony from Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Chris Greer, Assistant Inspector General for Audit, and Peter Monroe, Consultant, all of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; Walter Sevier, Texas Department of Housing and Urban Development, Fort Worth; and Gaye G. Beasley, Partician Mortgage Company, Washington, DC, on behalf of the Mortgage Bankers Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space held hearings on national science and technology policy, focusing on national needs and major policy choices for the 1990's, receiving testimony from Christopher T. Hill, Senior Specialist in Science and Technology Policy, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Lewis M. Branscomb, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Donald N. Langenberg, University of Illinois, Chicago, on behalf of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; Robert B. Costello, Hudson Institute, Indianapolis, Indiana; Richard A. Anthes, University Corporation for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, Colorado; Joseph Bordogna, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and Daniel F. Burton, Jr., Council on Competitiveness, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Dennis B. Underwood, of California, to be Commissioner of the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, John M. Sayre, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Science, David C. O'Neal, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Land and Mineral Management, and Curtis V. McVee, of Alaska, to be Federal Cochairman of the Alaska Land Use Council, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Underwood was introduced by Senators Cranston and Wilson, Mr. Sayre was introduced by Senators Armstrong and Wirth, Mr. O'Neal was introduced by Senators Dixon and Simon, and Mr. McVee was introduced by Senators Stevens and Murkowski.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC REGULATION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded oversight hearings to review the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's implementation of the Electric Consumers Protection Act (P.L. 99-495), and the future

role of hydropower in our nation's energy supply, after receiving testimony from Martha O. Hesse, Chairman, and Jerry J. Langdon, Elizabeth A. Moler, Charles G. Stalon, and Charles A. Trabandt, all Commissioners, all of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy; Conley L. Moffett, Deputy Assistant Director, United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Nancy Foster, Director, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; James R. Colquhoun, New York Department of Environmental Conservation, Albany; Fred Ayer, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company, Bangor, Maine; Gail A. Greeley, Pacific Hydro Consulting Group, Alameda, California; Garth Jackson, Tacoma City Light, Tacoma, Washington; Nick Lenssen, Worldwatch Institute, John Echeverria, American Rivers, and David R. Conrad, National Wildlife Federation, all of Washington, DC; and Kerry E. Adams, Georgia Power Company, Atlanta.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on S. 1630 and S. 1490, bills to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, focusing on ozone and carbon monoxide nonattainment issues, receiving testimony from Senator Levin; Samuel A. Leonard, General Motors Corporation, Warren, Michigan; Donald R. Buist, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan; Ronald R. Boltz, Chrysler Corporation, Detroit, Michigan; Thomas Cackette, California Air Resources Board, Charles Imbrecht, California Energy Commission, and Roger Dickenson, Sacramento Regional Transit District, all of Sacramento, California; Jed R. Mandel, Engine Manufacturers of America, and Emmett Barker, Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute, both of Chicago, Illinois; Donald A. Randall, Automotive Service Association, Inc., Bedford, Texas; Don Beckett, Quality Muffler and Brake Shop, Vineland, New Jersey, representing the Automotive Service Industry Association and the Motor and Equipment Manufacturers Association; Ross Sandler, New York City Commissioner of Transportation, and Ethan Geto, Coalition for Improved Transportation and Air Quality, both of New York, New York; Regina McLaurin, McLaurin Parking, Raleigh, North Carolina, on behalf of the National Parking Association; Thomas C. DeLoach, Mobil Oil Company, Fairfax, Virginia, representing the American Petroleum Institute; William A. Gibbeaut, Columbia Gas Distribution Company, Columbus, Ohio, representing the American Gas Association and the National Gas Vehicle Coalition; Bruce I. Bertelson, Manufacturers of Emission Controls

Association, Eric Vaughn, Renewable Fuels Association, and Michael P. Walsh, all of Washington, DC; and Wayne D. Kuhn, ARCO Chemical Americas, New Town Square, Pennsylvania.

ELECTION ASSISTANCE IN NICARAGUA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on a proposal to provide assistance to the internal opposition for the election process in Nicaragua through the National Endowment for Democracy, receiving testimony from Bernard Aronson, Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of InterAmerican Affairs; Joseph Sullivan, Director, Office of Central American Affairs, Department of State; and Carl Gershman, Director, National Endowment for Democracy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Glen A. Holden, of California, to be Ambassador to Jamaica, Joy A. Silverman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Barbados, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Commonwealth of Dominica, Ambassador to Saint Lucia, and Ambassador to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, and Alvin P. Adams, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti, James D. Berg, of Kentucky, to be Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, and Reginald J. Brown, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator for Program and Policy Coordination, Robert R. Randlett, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator for Legislative Affairs, both of the Agency for International Development, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Holden was introduced by Senator Wilson and Representative Dreier, and Ms. Silverman was introduced by Senator D'Amato.

INSPECTOR GENERAL ACT

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the implementation of the Inspector General Act, receiving testimony from June Gibbs Brown, Inspector General, Derek J. Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General, both of the Department of Defense; John C. Layton, Inspector General, Department of Energy; Bill D. Colvin, Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Department of Commerce; and Sherman M. Funk, Inspector General, Department of State.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, October 3.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Stanley E. Morris,

of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director for Supply Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy, and Margaret P. Currin, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of John E. Frohnmyer, of Oregon, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts.

INDIAN RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1124, to provide a means to ensure that the management of Federal lands does not undermine and frustrate traditional Native American religious practices, after receiving testimony from Jerry L. Rogers, Associate Director, Cultural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Allan J. West, Deputy Chief, and Robert Tippeconnic, Tribal Government Program Manager, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Ivan Sidney, Hopi Tribal Council, Kykotsmobi, Arizona; Leonard Haskie, Navajo Tribal Council, Window Rock, Arizona; Rueben Snake, Winnebago Tribe or Nebraska, Winnebago; Will Mayo, Tanana Chiefs Conference, Fairbanks; Walt Lara, Yurok Tribe, Trinidad, California; Michael Woodruff, Christian Legal Society, Merrifield, Virginia; Mahealani Ing, Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation, Honolulu, Hawaii; Reid Chambers, Sonosky, Chambers & Sachse, Washington, DC; and Scott Matheson, Parsons, Behle, & Latimer, Salt Lake City, Utah.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 3360-3384; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 412-413 and H. Con. Res. 204-205 were introduced.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 283 yeas to 91 nays, Roll No. 252, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, September 27.

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Student Financial Assistance: The Speaker reappointed Mr. Stephen C. Biklen of Pittsford, New York, as a member from private life of the Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance on the part of the House.

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Interstate Child Support Commission: The Speaker and the Minority Leader jointly appointed Mrs. Roukema to the Commission on Interstate Child Support on the part of the House, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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Budget Reconciliation: House continued consideration of amendments on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of further amendments will continue on Tuesday, October 3.

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Rejected the Rostenkowski amendment that sought to eliminate the capital gains tax cuts, expand the availability of Individual Retirement Accounts, allow funds to be withdrawn from IRAs without penalty if used to help buy a first home or to pay college costs, extend the current 33 percent tax rate to apply to incomes above the level at which the rate drops from 33 percent to 28 percent under current law, and place the resulting net revenue gain in a special Deficit Reduction Trust Fund (rejected by a recorded vote of 190 ayes to 239 noes, Roll No. 253).

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Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Obey, Roybal, Stokes, Early, Dwyer of New Jersey, Hoyer, Whitten, Conte, Pursell, Porter, Young of Florida, and Weber.

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By a recorded vote of 388 ayes to 18 noes, Roll No. 255, the House agreed to the Conte motion to instruct House conferees to insist on the House position concerning low-income home energy assistance. Agreed to order the previous question on the motion by a yea-and-nay vote of 270 yeas to 148 nays, Roll No. 254.

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Continuing Appropriations: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 407, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

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Military Construction Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Hefner, Alexander, Thomas of Georgia, Coleman of Texas, Beville, Dicks, Dixon, Fazio, Whitten, Lowery of California, Edwards of Oklahoma, Kolbe, DeLay, and Conte.

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Agreed to the Conte motion to instruct House conferees to insist on the House position on Senate amendment numbered 29 with regard to the base closure and realignment accounts.

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Performance Management and Recognition System Continuation: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3282, to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize the continuation of the performance management and recognition system through March 31, 1991—clearing the measure for the President.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations: By a recorded vote of 274 ayes to 137 noes, Roll No. 257, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Rejected the Frenzel motion to recommit the conference report to the committee of conference (rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 137 yeas to 280 nays, Roll No. 256).

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House receded from its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments numbered 2, 3, 12, 18, and 24.

House receded from its disagreement and concurred, with amendments, in Senate amendments numbered 1, 6, 8, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Earlier, a point of order was sustained against a motion to recede and concur, with an amendment, to Senate amendment numbered 6.

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Hunger Committee: The Speaker designated Representative Hall of Ohio as chairman of the Select Committee on Hunger, to fill the existing vacancy.

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World Food Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 138, designating October 16, 1989, and October 16, 1990, as "World Food Day".

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Domestic Violence Awareness Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 133, designating October 1989 as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month".

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Hostage Awareness Day: House passed H.J. Res. 400, designating October 27, 1989, as "National Hostage Awareness Day".

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Agreed to the Oakar amendment that adds language stating that all nations and international agencies should work to secure the prompt, safe, and unconditional release of the hostages by exerting influence, either directly on the hostage-takers, or indirectly on other involved nations.

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Job Skills Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 148, to designate the week of October 8, 1989, through October 14, 1989, as "National Job Skills Week".

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Family Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 117, to designate the week of November 19, 1989, through November 25, 1989, and the week of November 18, 1990, through November 24, 1990, as "National Family Week".

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Health Care Food Service Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 81, to designate the week of October 1 through 7, 1989, as "National Health Care Food Service Week".

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Programs Extensions: House passed H.J. Res. 412, to reauthorize the National Flood Insurance Program, the Federal Crime Insurance Program, and the Defense Production Act of 1950, and to extend certain housing programs.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 22200, 22242, 22244, 22261. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Approved several pending reprogrammings and a Committee resolution.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, Supervision, Regulation and Insurance concluded oversight hearings on the European Community's 1992 Program.

Testimony was heard from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary, International Affairs, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

FHA INSURANCE FUND

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Fiscal Issues held a hearing on Financial Health of the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) Insurance Fund. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, GAO; Paul A. Adams, Inspector General, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and public witnesses.

DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND SELF SUFFICIENCY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities held a hearing on H.R. 3069, Displaced Homemakers Employment Training and Self Sufficiency Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Morella; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Amendments of 1989.

FDA'S PROGRAM TO INSPECT FOOD IMPORTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on FDA's program to inspect imported foodstuffs. Testimony was heard from William L. Schwemer, Assistant Associate Commissioner, Regulatory Affairs, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services.

STOCK MARKET REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1609, Stock Market Reform Act of 1989 and related issues. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs; John Cline, Associate Administrator, Budget and Policy, Urban Mass Transit Administration; and Mark Lindsay, Chief Counsel, Federal Railroad Administration; the following officials of the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board: James Raggio, General Counsel; Dennis Cannon, Accessibilities Specialist; and Lawrence Roffe, Executive Director; Phil Calkins, Presi-

dent's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities; and public witnesses.

U.S. POLICY TOWARD IWC AND MARINE MAMMAL ISSUES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing U.S. Policy Toward IWC and Marine Mammal Issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State: R. Tucker Scully, Director, Office of Oceans and Polar Affairs; and Brian Hallman, Deputy Director, Office of Fisheries; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR DEMOCRACY IN 1990

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on the National Endowment for Democracy in 1990. Testimony was heard from Representative Solarz; and Carl Gershman, President, National Endowment for Democracy.

EXPORT PROMOTION ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on Export Promotion Activities of U.S. Government Agencies. Testimony was heard from Sherman Funk, Inspector General, Department of State.

STATE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS AND FEDERAL FOOD STAMP ALLOCATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture held a hearing on the Relationship Between State Assistance Programs and Federal Food Stamp Allocations. Testimony was heard from G. Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, USDA; Phyllis Carter, Administrator, Department of Human Services, State of West Virginia; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mining and Natural Resources held an oversight hearing on the implementation of the Federal Onshore Oil and Gas Leasing Reform Act of 1987, and the Geothermal Steam Act Amendments of 1988. Testimony was heard from James Duffus III, Director, Natural Resources Management Issues, GAO; Perry R. Hagenstein, Chairman, Committee on Onshore Oil and Gas Leasing, National Research Council, National Academy of Sciences; F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, USDA; Cy Jamison, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

HISTORIC SITES, BUILDINGS AND ANTIQUITIES ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2582, to amend the Historic Sites, Buildings, and Antiquities Act. Testimony was heard from Representative McNulty; Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, Cultural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL TORT CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held a hearing on H.R. 3331, to amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to tort claims against the United States on account of acts or omissions by employees of the House of Representatives. Testimony was heard from Steven Bransdorfer, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Torts Branch, Civil Division, Department of Justice; and Steve R. Ross, General Counsel to the Clerk of the House of Representatives.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law approved for full Committee action following bills: H.R. 3152, to amend title 11 of the United States Code, to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons; and H.R. 3341, Antitrust Criminal Penalties Amendments of 1989.

JOINT PRODUCTION VENTURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law continued hearings on Joint Production Ventures: H.R. 423, Joint Manufacturing Opportunities Act of 1989; H.R. 1024, National Cooperative Innovation and Commercialization Act of 1989; H.R. 1025, National Cooperative Research and Production Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 2264, Cooperative Productivity and Competitiveness Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GAO REPORT ON MANAGING WORK-RELATED INJURIES AT THE POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held an oversight hearing on the GAO report on managing work-related injuries at the Postal Service. Testimony was heard from L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, General Government Division, GAO; Joel S. Trosch, Assistant Postmaster General, Employee Relations Department, U.S. Postal Service; and public witnesses.

AEROSPACE SAFETY ADVISORY PANEL REPORT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee Space, Science and Applications held a hearing to review Annual Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel Report. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel: Joe Sutter, Chairman; and Norman Parmet, Deputy Chairman; and J.R. Thompson, Deputy Administrator, NASA.

THE FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN ENTERPRISE ECONOMY

Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on "The Future of the American Enterprise Economy". Testimony was heard from Erich Bloch, Director, NSF; Donald Johnson, Director, Industrial Technology Services, National Institutes of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; Erich Bretthauer, Acting Administrator, Research and Development, EPA; and public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT SPONSORED ENTERPRISES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on Government Sponsored Enterprises. Testimony was heard from Michael E. Basham, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Federal Finance, Department of the Treasury; James Kirkman, Director, Budget Systems Practices Group, Accounting and Financial Management Division, GAO; Leland C. Brendsel, President and Chief Executive Officer, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; David O. Maxwell, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Federal National Mortgage Association; Brian D. Dittenhafer, President, Federal Home Loan Bank of New York; Gene L. Swackhamer, President and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Bank of Baltimore, Farm Credit Council; Henry D. Edelman, President and Chief Executive Officer, Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation; Edward A. Fox, President and Chief Executive Officer, Student Loan Market Association; Oliver R. Sockwell, President, College Construction Loan Insurance Association; and James D. Davidson, Chairman, National Taxpayers Union.

SSA'S COMPUTER MODERNIZATION PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on the SSA's computer modernization program. Testimony was heard from Michael Zimmerman, Director, Human Resources Information Systems, Information Management and Technology Division, GAO; Herbert R. Doggette, Deputy Commissioner, Operations, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION PROCEDURES ACT

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Legislation met in executive session to continue hearings regarding the Classified Information Procedures Act (Public Law 96-456). Testimony was heard from the General Counsel, CIA; and the former General Counsel, NSA.

Joint Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees continued in closed session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2788, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

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Friday, September 29, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1700-1710, S. Res. 189, and S.J. Res. 211 and 212.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1324, to authorize appropriations for the Fiscal Years 1990 and 1991 for intelligence activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System. (S. Rept. No. 101-151)

Report to accompany S. 1338, to protect the physical integrity of the flag of the United States. (S. Rept. No. 101-152)

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Measures Passed:

Programs Affecting Alaska Natives: Senate passed S. 1364, to establish a Joint Federal-State Commission on Policies and Programs Affecting Alaska Natives, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Washington Centennial Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 209, to designate November 11, 1989 as "Washington Centennial Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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American Association of State Highway/Transportation Officials: Senate agreed to S. Res. 189, to honor the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials on their 75th Anniversary.

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Extensions of Department of Veterans Affairs Health-Care Programs: Senate passed S. 1709, to provide interim extensions of Department of Veterans Affairs programs of respite care for certain veterans, community-based residential care for homeless chronically mentally ill veterans, State Home construction grants, and leave transfers for certain health-care professionals, and of Department of Veterans Affairs home-loan fees.

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Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after agreeing to committee amendments, and taking action of additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted: (1) Adams Amendment No. 893, to express the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of State should take immediate steps to secure an international moratorium on the use of driftnets on the high seas.

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Rejected:

Specter Amendment No. 899, to provide additional funds for construction of facilities for U.S. prisoners in non-Federal institutions. (By 74 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 220), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 74 yeas to 22 nays (Vote No. 219), Senate agreed to a motion to waive section 303(a) of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of committee amendment on page 41, lines 4 through 10, relating to Japanese reparation payments. The amendment was subsequently agreed to.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Hollings, Inouye, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Sasser, Adams, Byrd, Rudman, Stevens, Hatfield, Kasten, Gramm, and McClure.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the Annual Report of the Railroad Retirement Board for Fiscal Year 1988, which was referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources. (PM-63).

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

William Andreas Brown, of New Hampshire, to be Ambassador to Israel.

Margaret P. Currin, of North Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Stanley E. Morris, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director for Supply Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

John E. Frohnmayer, of Oregon, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts.

A routine list in the Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

William Clark, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to India.

Hart T. Mankin, of Delaware, to be an Associate Judge of the United States Court of Veterans Appeals.

Zinora M. Mitchell, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

William H. Young, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Nuclear Energy).

Dennis M. Devaney, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board.

Patrick J. Cleary, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board.

Joshua M. Javits, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—221)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 4:51 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, October 2, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page S12302).

Committee Meetings

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1324, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for activities of the intelligence community; and

185 routine nominations in the Navy.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Richard Schmalensee, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers, Eugene K. Lawson, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and Claire

E. Freeman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and

S. 1091, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the bicentennial of the U.S. Coast Guard.

HUD-MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued oversight hearings to review the implementation of HUD's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program, to provide affordable housing for low-income families and to rehabilitate deteriorating properties and revitalize neighborhoods, focusing on low-income tax credits, receiving testimony from John M. Ols, Jr., Director, Dennis Fricke, Assistant Director, and Richard Greene, Evaluator-in-charge, all of the Housing and Community Development Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, and Margaret L. Armen, Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, all of the General Accounting Office; Benson F. Roberts, Local Initiatives Support Corporation, Washington, DC; and Trudy P. McFall, Maryland Community Development Administration, Annapolis, on behalf of the National Council of State Housing Agencies.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space continued hearings on national science and technology policy, focusing on emerging priorities and major institutions, receiving testimony from Erich Block, Director, National Science Foundation; George A. Keyworth, II, Hudson Institute, Indianapolis, Indiana; Frank Press, President, and H. Guyford Stever, Science Consultant, both of the National Academy of Sciences; and Herbert A. Simon, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COASTAL BARRIER RESOURCES SYSTEM

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection held hearings on the Department of the Interior's report and recommendations to Congress on the Coastal Barrier Resources System, receiving testimony from Senator Glenn; John F. Turner, Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior; Robert C. Sheets, Director, National Hurricane Center, National Weather Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; and David Keating, National Taxpayers Union, and Sharon Newsome, National Wildlife Federation, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IRA's

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation to expand and restore the Individual Retirement Account by making deductible IRA's available to all Americans, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury; Lawrence H. Summers, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Jonathan S. Skinner, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, on behalf of the National Bureau of Economic Research; George R. Shaffer, The Insurance Center, Albuquerque, New Mexico, on behalf of the Independent Insurance Agents of America; and Julianne Still Thrift, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, and Dallas L. Salisbury, Employee Benefit Research Institute, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Evelyn Irene Hoopes Teegen, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Fiji, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Kingdom of Tonga, Ambassador to Tuvalu, and Ambassador to the Republic of Kiribati, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

U.S. ANDEAN DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded hearings to examine the U.S. Government's anti-narcotic activities in the Andean Region of South America, after receiving testimony from Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary of State for International Narcotics Matters; Michael Skol, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for American Republic Affairs; Steven M. Duncan, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs; Gen. Robert T. Herres, Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff; John F. Sopko, Deputy Chief Counsel, and Harold B. Lippman, Investigator, both of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations; Bruce M. Bagley, University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida; and Gustavo Gorriti, Lima, Peru.

HOMELESSNESS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings to examine the health and human service aspects of homelessness, receiving testimony from Freda Mitchem, National Association of Community Health Centers, Inc., Lisa Mihaly, Children's Defense Fund, Renee Johnson, The Green Door, and Scott Crohn, Damien Ministries, all of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS-TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, October 3.

APPROPRIATIONS-INTERIOR

Conferees continued in evening session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2788, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Monday, October 2.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Monday, October 2, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22594-22651

Measures Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1711-1714, and S.J. Res. 213.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:
Reported on Friday, September 29, 1989:

S. 1704, to extend the Tied-Aid Credit Program of the Export Import Bank. (S.Rept. No. 101-153)

S. 1705, to amend section 18 of the Export Administration Act of 1979 to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990. (S.Rept. No. 101-154)

S. 1091, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the bicentennial of the U.S. Coast Guard.

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Reported today:

S. 1712, to amend the Security Exchange Act of 1934 to authorize appropriations for the Securities

and Exchange Commission for fiscal years 1990 through 1991. (S.Rept. No. 101-155).

Special Report entitled "Report of the Impeachment Trial Committee on the Articles Against Judge Alcee L. Hasting". (S.Rept. No. 101-156)

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Measures Passed:

Peninsula Airport Commission: Senate passed H.R. 838, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Nobel Prize for Environment Preservation: Senate passed S.J. Res. 162, to urge the Nobel Commission to consider awarding Nobel Prize recognition for achievements in preservation of the world environment.

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Eliminating Preventable Deaths and Disabling Illness: Senate agreed to S. Res. 122, expressing the sense of the Senate in support of actions to eliminate preventable deaths and disabling illness, especially among children, through intensified international collaboration to attain the United Nations goal of Universal Childhood Immunization by 1990 and Health for All by the Year 2000, and through the convening of a World Summit on Children.

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National Zoological Park Police Force: Senate passed S. 1521, to amend Public Law 91-34 relating to the police force of the National Zoological Park of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Smithsonian Institution Board of Regents: Senate passed S.J. Res. 199, providing for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Smithsonian Institution Board of Regents: Senate passed S.J. Res. 200, providing for the reappointment of Jeannine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Smithsonian Institution Board of Regents: Senate passed S.J. Res. 202, providing for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr., of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Smithsonian Institution Board of Regents: Senate passed S.J. Res. 203, providing for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal of Michigan as a citizen

regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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American Soviet Youth Orchestra: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 68, authorizing a concert by the American Soviet Youth Orchestra on Capitol grounds.

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Voluntary Program for Recycling Paper: Senate agreed to S. Res. 99, requiring the Architect of the Capitol to establish and implement a voluntary program for recycling paper disposed of in the operation of the Senate.

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Regulations Governing the Mailing Frank: Senate agreed to S. Res. 181, to authorize printing of the regulations governing the use of the mailing frank.

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Civic Achievement Award Program: Senate passed H.R. 2358, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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Amending the Standing Rules of the Senate: Senate agreed to S. Res. 187, to amend rule XL of the Standing Rules of the Senate to correct the citation referring to title 39, United States Code.

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Printing of Senate Manual: Senate agreed to S. Res. 188, authorizing the revision and printing of the Senate Manual for the use of the One Hundred First Congress.

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(NOTE: In the Digest of Friday, September 29, final passage of H.R. 2991, Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations, 1990, including certain adopted amendments, was inadvertently omitted, therefore, the disposition of H.R. 2991, in its entirety, is as follows:)

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Rejected:

Specter Amendment No. 899, to provide additional funds for construction of facilities for U.S. prisoners in non-Federal institutions. (By 74 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 220), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 74 yeas to 22 nays (Vote No. 219), Senate agreed to a motion to waive section 303(a) of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of committee amendment on page 22504nes 4 through 10, relating to Japanese reparation payments. The amendment was subsequently agreed to.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Hollings, Inouye, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Sasser, Adams, Byrd, Rudman, Stevens, Hatfield, Kasten, Gramm, and McClure.

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Nomination Considered: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain.

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Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Mr. Zappala on Tuesday, October 3.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Claire E. Freeman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Eugene Kistler Lawson, of the District of Columbia, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Richard Schmalensee, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

John Randolph Hubbard, of California, to be Ambassador to India, which was sent to the Senate on

January 3, 1989. (Withdrawal received after the recess of the Senate on Friday, September 29.)

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting deferrals of certain budget authority, which, pursuant to the order of January 30, 1975, as modified, was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, the Committee on Environment and Public Works, the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on Finance, and the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-64)

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Recess: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and recessed at 6:45 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, October 3, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 22652).

Committee Meetings

CALIFORNIA DESERT PROTECTION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on S. 11, to provide for the protection of the public lands in the California desert, after receiving testimony from Senators Cranston and Wilson; Representatives Jerry Lewis, William M. Thomas, Alfred A. McCandless, and Mel Levine; Cy Jamison, Director, and Ed Hastey, California State Director, both of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Robert A. Stone, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Defense Installations; James Duffus, III, Director, and Robert Robinson, Assistant Director, both for Natural Resource Management Issues, General Accounting Office; Randall Ward, California Department of Conservation, Sacramento; Robert Reveles, California Mining Association, and Doug Scott, Sierra Club, both of San Francisco, California, Martin G. Jaynes, Isaak Walton League of America, California State Division, Hacienda Heights; Brooks B.

Yeager, National Audubon Society, and W. Thomas Goerold, The Wilderness Society, both of Washington, D.C.; Bruce M. Pavlik, Mills College, Oakland, California; Dennis Murphy, Stanford University, Stanford, California; Claude N. Warren, University of Nevada, Las Vegas; George G. Byers, Santa Fe Pacific Minerals Corporation, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Roy Ashburn, Kern County Board of Supervisors, Bakersfield, California; Ed Rothfuss, Death Valley National Monument, Death Valley, California; Dave Fisher, High Desert Cattlemen's Association, Barstow, California; and Patrice Davison, Running Springs, California.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Marion V. Creekmore, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Maldives, Chas. W. Freeman, Jr., of Rhode Island, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Charles W. Hostler, of California, to be Ambassador to the State of Bahrain, and Michael Ussery, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Freeman was introduced by Senator Chafee, and Mr. Hostler was introduced by Senator Wilson.

INDOCHINA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs held hearings to examine U.S. policy toward Indochina, receiving testimony from Senator Kerrey; David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Dith Pran, New York Times, New York, New York; Ken Conboy, The Heritage Foundation, Richard Childress, Asian Investment Strategies, and Frederick Z. Brown, all of Washington, D.C.; Haing S. Ngor, Los Angeles, California; and Kassie Neou, McLean, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on proposed legislation to establish certain criteria for the imposition of the death penalty for Federal crimes, focusing on racial discrimination, after receiving testimony from Edward S.G. Dennis, Jr., Acting Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; William B. Hill, Jr., Georgia State Deputy Attorney General, Joseph L. Katz, Georgia State University, and Joseph E. Lowery, Southern Christian Leadership Conference, all of Atlanta, Georgia; Julius L. Chambers, NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc., New York, New York; David C. Baldus, University of Iowa College

of Law, Iowa City; and Ronald J. Tabak, American Bar Association, Althea T. L. Simmons, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and Paul D. Kamenar, Washington Legal Foundation, all of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 3385-3391; 2 private bills, H.R. 3392 and 3393; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 251 and 252 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-264).

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Railroad Retirement Board: Message wherein he transmits the Annual Report of the Railroad Retirement Board for fiscal year 1988—referred to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means; and

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Deferrals: Message wherein he transmits seven deferrals of budget authority affecting the International Security Assistance program, as well as programs of the Departments of Agriculture, Defense, Health and Human Services, State, and Transportation—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-97).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Veterans care extensions: S. 1709, to provide interim extensions of Department of Veterans Affairs programs of respite care for certain veterans, community-based residential care for homeless, chronically mentally ill veterans, State home construction grants, and leave transfers for certain health-care professionals and of Department of Veterans Affairs home-loan fees—clearing the measure for the President;

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Veterans' compensation: H.R. 1335, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase rates of compensation and disability and dependency compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and survivors of such veterans. Agreed to amend the title;

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Arlington Cemetery burial sites: H.R. 88, to direct the Secretary of the Army to set aside an appropriate area within Arlington National Cemetery for the unmarked burial of cremated remains;

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William V. Chappell, Jr., clinic: H.R. 2594, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located at 1900 Mason Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida, as the "William V. Chappell, Jr., Veterans' Outpatient Clinic";

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Dwight D. Eisenhower medical center: H.R. 2987, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Leavenworth, Kansas, as the "Dwight D. Eisenhower Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center";

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Gene Taylor outpatient clinic: H.R. 2983, to name the new Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic in Mount Vernon, Missouri, as the "Gene Taylor Veterans' Outpatient Clinic";

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Montgomery GI bill: H.R. 1358, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to the Montgomery GI Bill;

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Steel trade liberalization: H.R. 3275, amended, to implement the steel trade liberalization program (passed by a ye-and-nay vote of 354 yeas to 10 nays, Roll No. 258); and

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Torture victim protection: H.R. 1662, amended, to amend the United Nations Participation Act of 1945 to carry out obligations of the United States under the United Nations Charter and other international agreements pertaining to the protection of human rights by providing a civil action for recovery from persons engaging in torture (passed by a ye-and-nay vote of 362 yeas to 4 nays, Roll No. 259). Agreed to amend the title.

Pages 22713, 22725

District of Columbia Bonds: House passed H.R. 3287, to waive the period of congressional review for certain District of Columbia acts authorizing the issuance of District of Columbia revenue bonds.

Page 22704

Judge Walter L. Nixon Impeachment: By a ye-and-nay vote of 370 yeas, Roll No. 260, the House agreed en bloc to two resolutions relating to the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon:

H. Res. 251, amending the articles of impeachment impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, of high crimes and misdemeanors; and

H. Res. 252, providing that a message be sent to the Senate informing the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted amendments to the arti-

cles of impeachment exhibited against Walter L. Nixon, Jr., a judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi.

Pages 22718, 22726

Maritime Administration Authorizations: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1486, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration—clearing the measure for the President.

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Recess: House recessed at 3:05 p.m. and reconvened at 4:35 p.m.

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Interior Appropriations: It was made in order to consider the conference report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, on Tuesday, October 3, or any day thereafter.

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three ye-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 22725, 22726. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOVIET PSYCHIATRIC PRACTICES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on Soviet Psychiatric Practices: Has Reform Reached Victims of Psychiatric Abuse. Testimony was heard from Nancy Ely-Raphel, Deputy Assistance Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs, Department of State; the following officials of the National Institute of Mental Health, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Lewis L. Judd, Director; and Dr. Darryl Regier, Director, Division of Clinical Research; Dr. Walter Reich, Senior Research Associate, the Woodrow Wilson Center for International Scholars; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD housing programs. Testimony was heard from Paul Manafort; Laurance Gay; and Richard Davis, of Black, Manafort, Stone and Kelly; and Victor Cruse, CFM Development Corporation.

Hearings continue October 13.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees on Friday, September 29, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2788, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of the Interior and related agencies.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.
The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

(January 3 through September 30, 1989)

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	101	111	..
Time in session	700 hrs., 46'	519 hrs., 30'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	12,303	6,363	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	3,222	..
Public bills enacted into law	42	57	99
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	..	16	..
Measures passed, total	374	373	747
Senate bills	64	10	..
House bills	61	139	..
Senate joint resolutions	77	42	..
House joint resolutions	29	36	..
Senate concurrent resolutions ..	27	18	..
House concurrent resolutions ..	11	16	..
Simple resolutions	105	112	..
Measures reported, total	*269	*242	511
Senate bills	124	1	..
House bills	30	184	..
Senate joint resolutions	63	1	..
House joint resolutions	3	4	..
Senate concurrent resolutions ..	8	..	..
House concurrent resolutions ..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions	41	51	..
Special reports	14	13	..
Conference reports .....	..	8	..
Measures pending on calendar	89	53	..
Measures introduced, total	2,185	4,252	6,437
Bills	1,710	3,384	..
Joint resolutions	212	413	..
Concurrent resolutions	74	205	..
Simple resolutions	189	250	..
Quorum calls	5	10	..
Yea-and-nay votes	221	132	..
Recorded votes .....	..	115	..
Bills vetoed	1	2	..
Vetoed overridden .....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 154 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 263 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

(January 3 through September 30, 1989)

Civilian nominations, totaling 479, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	230
Unconfirmed	216
Withdrawn	29
Rejected	1
Failed	3
Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 2,243, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,191
Unconfirmed	52
Air Force nominations, totaling 10,368, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	10,349
Unconfirmed	19
Army nominations, totaling 16,135, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	15,145
Unconfirmed	990
Navy nominations, totaling 12,691, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	12,689
Unconfirmed	2
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,775, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,579
Unconfirmed	196
<i>Summary</i>	
Total nominations received this session	44,691
Total confirmed	43,183
Total unconfirmed	1,475
Total withdrawn	29
Total rejected	1
Total failed of confirmation at Aug.-Sept. adjournment	3

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1715-1722, and S. Res. 190.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 916, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management, and for other purposes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-157)

S. 1062, to amend the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977 to improve the Federal effort to reduce earthquake hazards, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-158)

S. 1191, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Commerce's Technology Administration, to speed the development and application of economically strategic technologies, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-159)

S. 747, to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, regarding assault weapons, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-160)

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Measures Passed:

National Museum of the American Indian: Senate passed S. 978, to authorize the establishment within the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, to establish a memorial to the American Indian, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Inouye Amendment No. 911, in the nature of a substitute.

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Bicentennial of the U.S. Coast Guard: Senate passed S. 1091, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the bicentennial of the United States Coast Guard.

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Tied-Aid Credit Program: Senate passed S. 1704, to extend the Tied-Aid Credit Program of the Export Import Bank.

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Export Administration Authorizations: Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2653, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 to carry out the Export Administration Act of 1979, and the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the text of S. 1705, Senate companion measure.

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S. 1705 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Veterans' Health-Care Programs Amendments, 1989: Committee on Veterans' Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 901, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve programs for the recruitment and retention of health-care personnel of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and to extend certain expiring programs of that Department, and the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 13, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and after adopting the following amendments proposed thereto:

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(1) Biden (for Cranston/Murkowski) Amendment No. 947, to provide for an evaluation of private assistive monkey placement programs, for recovery of the cost of VA health care and services from third parties, for educational assistance for flight training, for an extension of authority for reciprocity in approval of housing subdivisions among Federal agencies, and for the expansion of selection commissions.

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(2) Biden (for Daschle) Amendment No. 948, to provide for the establishment of presumptions of service-connection between certain diseases experienced by veterans who served in Vietnam and exposure to certain toxic herbicide agents used in Vietnam, to provide for interim benefits for veterans of such service who have certain diseases, and to improve the reporting requirements relating to the "Ranch Hand Study".

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S. 13 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Nobel Prize for Environment Preservation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 190, to urge the Nobel Commission to consider awarding Nobel Prize recognition for achievements in preservation of the world environment.

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National Drug Strategy Initiative: Senate began consideration of S. 1711, to implement the Presi-

dent's 1989 National Drug Control Strategy, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Rudman Amendment No. 913, to provide for a State impact study of implementing drug testing programs.

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(2) Rudman Amendment No. 914, to eliminate the provision subjecting State and local government drug testing plans to periodic review by the Attorney General.

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(3) Burns Amendment No. 915, to allow the Attorney General to take into account the regular legislative sessions of each State to meet the requirements of this Act.

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(4) Wirth Modified Amendment No. 916, to develop a coordinated policy in conjunction with State and local governments to counteract youth gang involvement in the distribution, sale and use of illegal drugs.

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(5) Biden Amendment No. 917, to authorize additional funding for Federal law enforcement agencies and courts.

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(6) Bond Amendment No. 918, to establish a Federal drug testing demonstration program to ensure reliability and accuracy of drug test results.

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(7) Moynihan Modified Amendment No. 919, to provide for substance abuse treatment services on request for individuals desiring to rid themselves of substance abuse problems.

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(8) Heinz Amendment No. 920, to amend the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 by excluding from the lease and grievance procedure for any eviction or termination of tenancy for criminal activity, and by requiring notification by a public housing agency to the U.S. Postal Service of tenants eviction from public housing for drug-related criminal activities.

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(9) Nunn Modified Amendment No. 921, to provide economic anti-drug assistance to the Andean region.

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(10) Simon Amendment No. 922, relating to mandatory detention for offenders convicted of serious crimes.

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(11) Biden Modified Amendment 923, to authorize funds for the purchase of firearms and other personal safety equipment for Federal investigative and enforcement personnel, and by increasing the effectiveness of administrative forfeitures.

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(12) Adams Amendment No. 925, to implement programs for latchkey children involving school and community activities.

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(13) Biden Amendment No. 926, relating to Federal jurisdictions in public corruption of the services of a public official.

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(14) Stevens Amendment No. 927, to make clear the penalties for and to facilitate the detection of the use of the mails to send controlled substances.

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(15) Simpson Amendment No. 928, to instruct the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to waive certain provisions relating to ADAMHA block grants.

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(16) Hatch Amendment No. 929, to eliminate syringes and needles which are capable of being used more than once by intravenous drug users.

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(17) Domenici Amendment No. 930, to promote the development of alternative schools for youths with drug problems.

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(18) Thurmond Amendment No. 931, to provide Federal debt collection procedures.

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(19) Kennedy Amendment No. 932, to provide grants for the training of professionals to assist in the rehabilitation of drug abusers, for substance abuse treatment for pregnant and post-partum women and their infants, for rural substance abuse treatment and education, to provide assistance to social services agencies dealing with abused children by parents who are addicted to drugs, to provide primary pediatric care for disadvantaged children, and to provide for a program to identify those drug treatment and prevention programs that are effective.

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(20) Kennedy Modified Amendment No. 933, to modify the requirements regarding drug-free zones within institutes of higher education.

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(21) DeConcini Amendment No. 936, to broaden the use of the Customs Forfeiture Fund to benefit State and local law enforcement agencies providing assistance in enforcement activities.

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(22) DeConcini Amendment No. 937, to limit the retention of seized assets for administrative expenses.

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(23) Bingaman Amendment No. 938, to promote education regarding the harmful effects of alcohol abuse.

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(24) DeConcini Amendment No. 939, to require Department of Defense consultation with State and local law enforcement officials prior to and during any drug enforcement operation by Armed Forces or other Department of Defense personnel which might affect the law enforcement activities or jurisdiction of such officials.

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(25) Graham Amendment No. 940, relating to the issuance of drug war bonds.

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(26) Coats Amendment No. 941, to enable the Bureau of Justice Administration to provide demonstration set up State-run boot camp programs.

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(27) Wilson Amendment No. 942, to provide for the establishment of a demonstration program to provide grants to provide drug abuse resistance education to students grades kindergarten through six.

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(28) Kerry Amendment No. 943, to establish an Electronic Scanning Task Force for the purposes of making recommendations concerning methods of making certain U.S. currency notes traceable by electronic scanning.

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(29) Jeffords Amendment No. 944, to provide for a study concerning the relationship between an individual's consumption of legal drugs and the consumption or abuse by the individual of illegal drugs.

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(30) Graham Amendment No. 945, to determine the status of United States' efforts to convene a hemisphere conference on drug trafficking and drug abuse.

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(31) Biden Amendment No. 946, of a technical nature.

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Withdrawn:

Rudman (for Dole) Amendment No. 910, to allow the Attorney General to take into account the ability to pay for drug test results by State and local governments.

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Pending:

(1) Biden Amendment No. 924, to provide for civil enforcement procedures in the eviction from places maintained for manufacturing, distributing, or using controlled substances.

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(2) Kennedy Amendment No. 934, to provide for substance abuse prevention and treatment programs.

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 935 (to amendment No. 924), to provide authority for the President to use the armed forces of the United States to secure the removal of General Manuel Noriega from the illegal control of the Republic of Panama.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, with pending amendments proposed thereto.

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Eastern Airlines—Collective Bargaining Units:

By 61 yeas to 36 nays (Vote No. 222), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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Passage Vitiating: Senate vitiated passage of the following measure:

Nobel Prize for Environment Preservation: S.J. Res. 162, to urge the Nobel Commission to consider awarding Nobel Prize recognition for achievements in preservation of the world environment.

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S.J. Res. 162 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 79 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 223), Joseph Zappala, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Spain.

Pages 22900, 22913, 23092

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Smith Hempstone, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya.

Keith Leveret Wauchope, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe.

Ann Christine Petersen, of Illinois, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force.

Leon Snead, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Agriculture.

Gordon H. Mansfield, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing of Urban Development.

J. Thomas Ratchford, of Virginia, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

James B. Wyngaarden, of North Carolina, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

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Authority to Appoint Committee: The President of the Senate was authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to

escort Carlos Salinas de Gortari, President of the United Mexican States, into the House Chamber for a joint meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 4, 1989.

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Appointments:

North Atlantic Assembly Meeting: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a-1928d, as amended, appointed the following as members of the Senate Delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly Meeting during the First Session of the 101st Congress, to be held in Rome, Italy, October 6-10, 1989: Senators Pell, Moynihan, Wirth, and Robb.

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—223)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 11:57 p.m., until 10:40 a.m., on Wednesday, October 4, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 23092.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Bruce L. Gardner, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Economics, Catherine A. Bertini, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Food and Consumer, and Harold B. Steele, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Farm Credit Administration Board, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Bertini was introduced by Senator Dixon, and Mr. Steele was introduced by Senator Dixon and Representative Madigan.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to further discuss strategic programs as con-

tained in H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act, F.Y. 1990/1991, and other related conference issues.

Committee recessed subject to call.

INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities held oversight hearings to examine the impact of institutional investors on corporate governance, takeovers, and capital markets, receiving testimony from Connecticut State Treasurer Francisco L. Borges, Hartford, on behalf of the Council for Institutional Investors; New York State Comptroller Edward V. Regan, Albany; Bevis Longstreth, Debevoise and Plimpton, former Commissioner of the Securities and Exchange Commission, New York, New York; Robert A.G. Monks, Institutional Shareholder Services, Inc., Washington, DC, former Administrator of Pension and Welfare Benefit Programs, Department of Labor; Andrew C. Sigler, Champion International Corporation, Stamford, Connecticut; Robert G. Kirby, Capital Guardian Trust Company, Los Angeles, California; and David P. Feldman, AT&T, Berkeley Heights, New Jersey, on behalf of the Committee on Investment of Employee Benefit Assets, Financial Executives Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection resumed hearings on S. 1490, to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, focusing on acid deposition, receiving testimony from Senators Heinz, Coats, Wirth, Dixon, and Glenn; Richard Trumka, United Mine Workers of America, Dave Hawkins, National Clean Air Coalition, Richard Lawson, National Coal Association, Ben Yamagata, Clean Coal Technology Coalition, and Jeff Smith, Industrial Gas Cleaning Institute, all of Washington, DC; Harry Storey, Alliance for Clean Energy, Rosslyn, Virginia; Roy D. Alper, Independent Power Corporation, Oakland, California; and Donald Peoples, Montana Technology Companies, Inc., Butte.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Finance: Committee continued in evening session to consider recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget with respect to spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. Government for the fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

SOUTH AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on U.S. policy options toward South Africa, after receiving testimony from Senator Kennedy; Herman J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; Jim Martin, Congress on Racial Equality, Gretchen Eick, IMPACT, and Pauline Baker, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, all of Washington, DC; and Neil Upmeyer, The Gallup Organization, Inc., Princeton, New Jersey.

INSPECTOR GENERAL ACT

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee resumed hearings on the implementation of the Inspector General Act (P.L. 95-452), focusing on management activities within the Departments of Health and Human Services and Labor, and the Environmental Protection Agency, receiving testimony from Richard P. Kusserow, Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services; Raymond Maria, Acting Inspector General, Department of Labor; and John C. Martin, Inspector General, Environmental Protection Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Gene McNary, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, Department of Justice, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Danforth and Bond, and Representative Gephardt, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from Cecilia Munoz, National Council of La Raza, Arnoldo S. Torres, League of United Latin American Citizens, Mario Moreno, Mexican-American Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Michael Zamba, National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, Melinda C. Yee, Organization of Chinese Americans, and Daniel A. Stein, Federation for American Immigration Reform, all of Washington, DC; and Cheryl Epps, International Association of Chiefs of Police, Gaithersburg, Maryland.

INTERNATIONAL SUPPLY OF DRUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on the national drug control strategy, focusing on the international supply of drugs, receiving testimony from Donald J. Atwood, Deputy Secretary of Defense; William S. Sessions, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and John C. Lawn, Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, both of the Department of Justice; Billy Allsbrook, Washington, DC, on behalf of the National Alliance of State Drug Enforcement Agencies; and Robert W. Burgreen, San Diego, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL MATTERS (NIXON)

Senate Impeachment Trial Committee: Committee met in closed session to consider pending committee business, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 3394-3400; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 414, H. Con. Res. 206-207, and H. Res. 253, 257-258 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua (H. Rept. 101-265);

H. Res. 254, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence related activities of the United States Government, for the Intelligence Community Staff, for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System (H. Rept. 101-266);

H. Res. 255, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency (H. Rept. 101-267); and

H. Res. 256, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua (H. Rept. 101-268).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 301 yeas to 98 nays, Roll No. 261, the House approved the Journal of Monday, October 2.

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Bills Re-Referred: H.R. 2434 and S. 1016, to change the name of "Marion Lake", located northwest of Marion, Kansas, to "Marion Reservoir", originally referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, were re-referred to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

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Interior Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 381 yeas to 41 nays, Roll No. 262, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded from its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments numbered 12, 21, 22, 25, 44, 47, 48, 49, 58, 95, 100, 106, 112, and 149.

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House receded from its disagreement and concurred, with amendments, in Senate amendments numbered 13, 15, 18, 23, 26, 28, 34, 39, 43, 50, 55, 61, 62, 63, 70, 71, 72, 76, 81, 86, 87, 88, 93, 94, 96, 102, 104, 105, 107, 110, 111, 114, 121, 124, 133, 135, 139, 140, 143, 150, 152, 153, 164, 165, 166, 167, and 168—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Budget Reconciliation: House continued consideration of amendments on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of further amendments will continue on Wednesday, October 4.

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Rejected the Oxley amendment that sought to delete the provisions that enact the "fairness doctrine" into law and that permit the FCC to fine broadcasters for violation of the doctrine (rejected by a recorded vote of 162 ayes to 261 noes, Roll No. 263).

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DC Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference.

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Agreed to the Green motion, as amended by the Dannemeyer amendment (amendment agreed to by a recorded vote of 262 ayes to 154 noes, Roll No. 265), to instruct House conferees to agree to Senate amendments numbered 2 and 22 regarding funds for treatment of infants exposed to maternal substance abuse during pregnancy, and protection of religious liberty and academic freedom (agreed to by a recorded vote of 329 ayes to 74 noes, Roll No. 266).

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Earlier, by a yea-and-nay vote of 198 yeas to 222 nays, Roll No. 264, the House failed to order the previous question on the Green motion to instruct conferees.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight Thursday, October 5, to file a conference report on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Down Syndrome Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 122, to designate October 1989 and 1990 as "National Down Syndrome Month".

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Italian-American Heritage Month: House passed H.J. Res. 392, designating October 1989 as "Italian-American Heritage and Culture Month".

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Country Music Month: House passed H.J. Res. 401, to designate the month of October 1989 as "Country Music Month".

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Call—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 22769, 22826, 22859, 22862, 22867. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

IN OBSERVANCE OF NATIONAL CHILDREN'S DAY

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Human Resources and the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families held a joint hearing "In Observance of National Children's Day". Testimony was heard from Representative Kennedy; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Developments in Europe. Testimony was heard from Raymond G.H. Seitz, Assistant Secretary, European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State.

GENESEE RIVER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2333, to provide for the protection of the Genesee River in New York State; and S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York. Testimony was heard from Senator Moynihan; Representative Paxon; Tom Reynolds, Assemblyman, State of New York; James W. Stewart,

Acting Associate Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3152, to amend title 11 of the United States Code to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons; H.R. 3341, Antitrust Criminal Penalties Amendments of 1989; H.R. 1622, Copyright Fees and Technical Amendments Act of 1989; H.R. 3045, Copyright Remedy Clarification Act; H.R. 3046, amended, Copyright Royalty Tribunal Reform and Miscellaneous Pay Act of 1989; H.R. 2806, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative amendments; H.R. 3007, Drug and Alcohol Dependent Offenders Treatment Act of 1989; S. 248, Major Fraud Act Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 3259, Immigration Nursing Relief Act of 1989.

MERCHANT MARINERS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 44, Merchant Mariners Fairness and Memorial Act of 1989; and H.R. 668, Merchant Mariner Memorial Act of 1989.

LEVERAGED BUYOUTS AND FOREIGN OWNERSHIP OF U.S. AIRLINES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Leveraged Buyouts and Foreign Ownership of United States Airlines. Testimony was heard from Representatives DeFazio, Carr and Dorgan of North Dakota, and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; PROPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 3318, to redesignate the Federal building known as the Concord building, located at 1919 Smith Street, in Houston, Texas, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building"; H.R. 2890, to redesignate Federal buildings in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse"; and H.R. 2668, National Indian Museum Act; prospectuses.

The Subcommittee also approved for full Committee action 25 lease prospectuses and 1 11(b) resolution.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on pending lease prospectuses. Testimony was heard from David L. Bibb, Assistant Commis-

sioner, Office of Facility Planning, Public Building Services, GSA.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2748, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1990. Sections 302(c) and 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act are waived against consideration of the bill. Clause 5(a) of Rule XXI is waived against the bill. The bill is to be read for amendment by title, instead of by section, with each title considered as having been read. The rule provides that the amendments printed in section 2 of the rule are to be considered as having been adopted and shall become original text for the purpose of further amendment under the five-minute rule. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Representatives Beilenson and Hyde.

ARMS CONTROL AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing one hour of general debate on H.R. 1495, Arms Control Authorization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Chairman Fascell and Representative Broomfield.

NICARAGUAN ELECTIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for consideration in the House of H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua. All points of order against the bill and against its consideration are waived. The rule provides that the amendments recommended by the Committee on Appropriations shall be considered as having been adopted. No other amendment to the bill is in order except the amendment printed in the report accompanying this resolution, to be offered by Representative Durbin of Illinois or his designee. The amendment is debatable for one hour, to be equally divided and controlled by Representative Durbin of Illinois, or his designee, and a Member opposed thereto. The amendment is not subject to amendment. Finally, the rule provides on emotion to recommit, which may only be offered by Representative Michel of Illinois, or his designee. Testimony was heard from Representative Obey, Durbin, Miller of California, Mrazek, and Dreier of California.

FUTURE OF MAGNETIC FUSION ENERGY PROGRAM

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on the future of the magnetic fusion energy program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory: Alexander Glass, Laboratory Associate, Director

of Programs; and John Gilleland, U.S. National Director, ITER Program; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL GROUND WATER RESEARCH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agricultural Research and Environment and the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture of the Committee on Agriculture held a joint hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2734, National Ground Water Research Act of 1989; and H.R. 37, Geological Survey Water Resources Organic Act. Testimony was heard from Harry Mussman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Science and Education, USDA; John N. Fisher, Associate Director, U.S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Rebecca W. Hanmer, Acting Assistant Administrator, Water, EPA; and public witnesses.

HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Technology held a hearing on High Performance Computing. Testimony was heard from D. Allan Bromley, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy; William A. Wuff, Assistant Director, Computer and Information Science and Engineering, NSF; David B. Nelson, Executive Director, Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy; Stephen L. Squires, Chief Scientist, Information Science and Technology Office, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

WOMEN'S BUSINESS EQUITY ACT

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Procurement, Tourism and Rural Development held a hearing on H.R. 2351, Women's Business Equity Act. Testimony was heard from Lindsey Johnson, Director, Office of Women's Business Ownership, SBA; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees continued in closed session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Postal Service, Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

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Measures Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1723–1726.

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Physical Integrity of U.S. Flag: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag, taking action of amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Biden/Thurmond Amendment No. 949, to modify certain provisions regarding expediting judicial review of constitutional issues.

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(2) Dole Amendment No. 950, to include maintaining a flag upon the floor or ground as a criminal act.

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Pending:

(1) Wilson Amendment No. 951, to prevent the defiling of the American flag.

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(2) Dole Amendment No. 952, to require that desecration of the U.S. flag be public in order to be a criminal act.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and

pending amendments proposed thereto, on Thursday, October 5.

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Joint Meeting: Senate met in joint meeting with the House of Representatives and was addressed by Carlos Salinas de Gortari, President of the United Mexican States.

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Message From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the twelfth annual report of the National Institute of Building Sciences for 1988, which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-65)

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Appointments:

North Atlantic Assembly Meeting: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a-1928d, as amended, appointed the following as members of the Senate Delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly Meeting during the First Session of the 101st Congress, to be held in Rome, Italy, October 6-10, 1989: Senators Hatfield, Lott, and Mack.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

J. Michael Davis, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Conservation and Renewable Energy).

Stephen A. Wakefield, of Texas, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

John J. Easton, Jr., of Vermont, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (International Affairs and Energy Emergencies).

Jacqueline Knox Brown, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs).

Richard C. Breeden, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Barry M. Goldwater, Sr., of Arizona, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1992.

Hilda Gay Legg, of Kentucky, to be Alternate Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission.

A routine list in the Foreign Service.

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Messages From the President:

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:40 a.m., and recessed at 9:07 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, October 5, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page 23148).

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed hearings on the nomination of James E. Cason, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Natural Resources and the Environment, where the nominee further testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from Jay Hair, National Wildlife Federation, Max Peterson, International Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies, Patty McDonald, Public Lands Council, M. Rupert Cutler, Defenders of Wildlife, Mark Rey, American Forest Resource Alliance, and George T. Frampton, Jr., Wilderness Society, all of Washington, D.C.; and David Harrison, Council for Energy Resource Tribes, Denver, Colorado.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Richard C. Breeden, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Barbara E. McTurk, of Colorado, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Denver, and John T. Martino, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, both of the Department of the Treasury.

RESOLUTION TRUST CORPORATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the status of the Resolution Trust Corporation, focusing on its organization and management, receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury,

Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Federal Reserve System; L. William Seidman, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and John E. Robson, Deputy Secretary of the Treasury, all on behalf of the Resolution Trust Corporation.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Warren G. Leback, of New Jersey, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation, after the nominee, who was introduced by Representative Lent, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN U.S. AIRLINE INDUSTRY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation concluded hearings to discuss leveraged buyouts and foreign ownership interest in U.S. Airlines, after receiving testimony from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; Timothy Pettee, Merrill Lynch Capital Markets, New York, New York; and Edward R. Beauvais, America West Airlines, Inc., Phoenix, Arizona.

PLUMBING PRODUCTS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 583, to establish performance standards and labeling requirements for plumbing products, after receiving testimony from Senator Fowler; Representative Atkins; Edward R. Osann, National Wildlife Federation; and George Bliss, United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipefitting Industry of the United States and Canada, both of Washington, D.C.; Peter A.A. Berle, National Audubon Society, New York, New York; Amy Vickers, Brown and Caldwell Consulting Engineers, Boston, Massachusetts; Duane Cutler, Volt Energy Systems, Binghamton, New York; Craig Selover, Plumbing Manufacturers Institute, Arlington, Virginia; Robert M. Gants, Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers, Alexandria, Virginia; and Patrick J. Higgins, PJ Higgins and Associates, Inc., Frederick, Maryland.

JAPANESE SPACE INDUSTRY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism held hearings to explore the competitive challenge for American companies in their pursuit of the Japanese space market, focusing on Japanese satellites and satellite launch vehicle trade industry and the implications of their industry for the United States, receiving testimony from J. Michael Farren, Under

Secretary of Commerce for International Trade; S. Linn Williams, Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; Courtney Stadd, Chevy Chase, Maryland, former Director, Office of Commercial Space Transportation, Department of Transportation; and Jeffrey Manber, The Space Foundation, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 371, to designate certain National Forest System lands in the State of Idaho for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation System, to prescribe certain management formulae for certain National Forest System lands, and to release other forest lands for multiple-use management, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 280, to designate a segment of the Niobrara River in Nebraska as as component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S.J. Res. 207, to approve the location of the Memorial to the Women who served in Vietnam; and

The nominations of Curtis V. McVee, of Alaska, to be Federal Cochairman of the Alaska Land Use Council, David C. O'Neal, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Land and Minerals Management, John M. Sayre, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Science, and Dennis B. Underwood, of California, to be Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection resumed hearings on S. 1490, to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, focusing on acid rain deposition, receiving testimony from New York Attorney General Robert Abrams, Albany; Colorado Governor Roy Romer, Denver, representing the Alliance for Acid Rain Control; Glee Murray, Billings, Montana, representing the Western Organization of Resource Councils; W. Paul Schmechel, Montana Power, Butte; Dan Dudek, Environmental Defense Fund, William A. Badger, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, George A. Davidson, Jr., Consolidated Natural Gas Company, representing Interstate Natural Gas Association of America and American Gas Association, William Walbridge, Seminole Electric Cooperative, representing National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Nicholas P. Koskores, The New England Council, Inc., and David Parker, Aluminum Association, Inc., all of

Washington, D.C.; William Cornelius, Union Electric, St. Louis, Missouri, representing Edison Electric Institute; John Arlidge, Nevada Power Company, Las Vegas, representing the Western Regional Council; James M. Freedman, Coalition for Environment-Energy Balance, Columbus, Ohio; and Jon P. Prendergast, LTV Steel Company, Cleveland, Ohio, representing Council of Industrial Boiler Owners.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Finance: Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

U.S.-U.S.S.R. ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIP

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on changes in economic relationships between the United States and the Soviet Union, receiving testimony from James A. Baker III, Secretary of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of David Jameison Smith, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief Negotiator for Defense and Space, William P. Glade, of Texas, to be Associate Director for Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Information Agency, and Henry A. Holmes, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador-at-Large for Burdensharing, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Smith was introduced by Senator Dole.

INTERNATIONAL MONEY LAUNDERING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations resumed hearings to examine international money laundering activities, focusing on law enforcement and foreign policy, receiving testimony from Salvatore R. Martoche, Assistant Secretary for Enforcement, Robert B. Serino, Deputy Chief Counsel (Policy), Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, William Rosenblatt, Assistant Commissioner for Office of Enforcement, and Bryan Bruh, Deputy Commissioner for Criminal Investigations, both of the Internal Revenue Service, all of the Department of the Treasury.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1391, to provide for the establishment of the Foundation for Biomedical Research as a nonprofit, nongovernmental corporation to take certain actions with regard to the National Institutes of Health and the Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration;

S. 1392, to provide grants for the expansion or renovation of biomedical and behavioral research facilities, to establish a National Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research, and to establish a senior biomedical scientific service, with an amendment in the nature a substitute; and

The nominations of David G. Ball, of Connecticut, and Gerard F. Scannell, of New Jersey, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, Jane A. Kenny, of Virginia, to be Director, ACTION, Daphne W. Murray, of Texas, to be Director, Institute of Museum Services, Thomas E. Collins III, of Mississippi, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veterans' Employment and Training, William J. Tattersall, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health, Leonard L. Haynes III, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Education for Postsecondary Education, Christopher T. Cross, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Education for Educational Research and Improvement, Dennis M. DeVaney, of Maryland, Clifford R. Oviatt, of Virginia, and Donald F. Rodgers, of Maryland, each to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board, and Jerry M. Hunter, of Missouri, to be General Counsel, National Labor Relations Board.

Also, the Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, and agreed on recommendations which it will make to the Committee on the Budget thereon.

HOMELESS CHILDREN

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Children, Families, Drugs and Alcoholism held hearings to discuss the homeless situation of children, receiving testimony from Cindy Freidmutter, New York State Office of Mental Health, and Irwin Redlener, New York Childrens Health Project, both of New York, New York; Fulton County Commissioner Nancy Boxhill, Atlanta, Georgia; Jean Ciborowski, Boston Childrens Hospital-School Functions Clinic, Boston, Massachusetts; Eve Dubrow and Broderick Johnson, both of the

Homeless Children's Tutorial Project, Washington, D.C.; John Voight, Los Angeles, California; and certain homeless victims.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee on Veterans Affairs concluded hearings on the nominations of Edward G. Lewis, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Information Resources Management, and Jo Anne K. Webb, of Virginia, to be Director of the National Cemetery Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 3401-3409; 1 private bill, H.R. 3410; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 415-416, and H. Con. Res. 208 were introduced.

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D.C. Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Dixon, Natcher, Stokes, AuCoin, Hoyer, Carr, Whitten, Gallo, Green, Regula, and Conte.

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Defense Authorization: The Speaker specified sections 828 and 829 of the Senate amendment as additional portions for consideration by the additional conferees from the Committee on Government Operations in the conference on H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1990.

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Recess: House recessed at 10:03 a.m. and reconvened at 12:20 p.m.

Address by the President of the United Mexican States: The House and Senate met in a joint meeting to receive an address by the President of the United Mexican States. President Carlos Salinas de Gortari was escorted to and from the House Chamber by Senators Mitchell, Pell, Bentsen, DeConcini, Bradley, Dodd, Bingaman, Dole, Simpson, Domenici, Lugar, Wilson, Gramm, and McCain; and by Representatives Gephardt, Gray, Fascell, Bonior, Hoyer, de la Garza, Michel, Gingrich, Broomfield,

Lewis of California, Edwards of Oklahoma, and Smith of Texas.

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Budget Reconciliation: House continued consideration of amendments to H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of further amendments will continue on Thursday, October 5.

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Agreed to:

The Donnelly amendment that completely repeals the provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Act except for the following Medicaid provisions: returns the Medicare hospital, skilled nursing facility, and physician benefits to the levels available prior to enactment of the Act; eliminates new Medicare coverage for high outpatient prescription drug costs, respite care, and mammograms; and return of Medicare home health and hospice benefits to levels available prior to enactment of the Act (agreed to by a recorded vote of 360 ayes to 66 noes, Roll No. 267); and

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The Panetta amendment to the Donnelly amendment that strikes provisions specifying that the deficit increase resulting from repeal or modification of the Act shall not be counted for purposes of determining compliance with the Gramm-Rudman deficit ceilings.

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Rejected the Stark amendment that sought to repeal the Act's income-based supplemental premium; repeal the catastrophic hospital, skilled nursing facility and physician benefits; retain the increase in the Medicare flat-rate premium; return the new prescription drug, respite care, and mammogram benefits; and retain certain Medicaid provisions also retained in the Donnelly substitute amendment (rejected by a recorded vote of 156 ayes to 269 noes, Roll No. 268).

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Points of order were sustained against the following provisions in the bill:

Language providing for the collection of fees from vessel operators in the cruise trade or operating vessels offering offshore gambling;

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Language providing for an annual oceans protection fee at the rate of \$1.00 per acre to be levied on those holding outer Continental Shelf oil and gas leases;

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Language that provides that when a single-employer, defined benefit plan terminates in a standard termination, it is appropriate to charge a \$200 per participant termination fee in order to make up for

the loss in the premium base engendered by employers who abandon their defined benefit plans; and

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Language that repeals the 150% of current liability full funding limitation for multiemployer pension plans as added under the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1987, and which would have thereby restored the full funding limitation as under prior law.

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Nicaraguan Elections: By a recorded vote of 263 ayes to 156 noes, Roll No. 270, the House passed H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.

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Rejected the Durbin amendment that sought to reduce from \$3,000,000 to \$400,000 funding from remaining unexpended funds allocated to the Agency for International Development, and to make those funds specifically available to the Council for Freely-Elected Heads of Government for the sole purpose of monitoring the election process, while striking language that expresses the sense of Congress that the National Opposition Union's representative on the Supreme Electoral Council will seek to ensure that any funds going to that Council be used solely for technical electoral purposes (rejected by a yeand-nay vote of 142 yeas to 278 nays, Roll No. 269).

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H. Res. 256, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Presidential Message—Building Sciences Institute: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the twelfth annual report of the National Institute of Building Sciences for 1988—referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

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Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yeand-nay and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 23234, 23256, 23285. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PECAN PROMOTION AND RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing on H.R. 3387, Pecan Promotion and Research Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from

Daniel D. Haley, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

LONG-TERM ENERGY SECURITY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on long-term energy security, with emphasis on energy efficiency and national security. Testimony was heard from Eric Hirst, Director, Energy Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

RESOLUTION TRUST CORPORATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force held a hearing on the status and activities of the Resolution Trust Corporation and the Oversight Board. Testimony was heard from John Dugan, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Financial Institutions Policy, Department of the Treasury; the following officials of the Resolution Trust Corporation, FDIC: David Cooke, Chief Executive Officer; William Roelle, Director, Resolutions and Operations Division; and Lamar Kelly, Director, Asset and Real Estate Management Division; and the following officials of the Resolution Trust Corporation Oversight Board: John Robson, Acting President and Chief Executive Officer and Deputy Secretary, Department of the Treasury; and William Taylor, Acting Vice President, Finance and Administration.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety concluded oversight hearings on youth camp safety. Testimony was heard from Dr. Vernon N. Houk, Assistant Surgeon General, Center on Environmental Health and Injury Control, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; and Richard Svenson, Director, Bureau of Community, Sanitation and Food Protection, Center for Environmental Health, Department of Health, State of New York.

CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power held a hearing on Clean Air Act reauthorization. Testimony was heard from Representatives Regula, Smith of Nebraska, Bereuter, and Rogers.

Hearings continue October 11.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

Will continue tomorrow.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on the nation's telecommunications infrastructure and the "network of the future". Testimony was heard from Janice Obuchowski, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

U.S. ECONOMIC PROGRAMS FOR POLAND AND HUNGARY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on United States Economic Programs for Poland and Hungary. Testimony was heard from Representative McMillan of North Carolina; Curtis W. Kamman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State; Richard Brown, Director, Egyptian Affairs, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; William E. Barreda, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Trade and Investment Policy, Department of the Treasury; and Christopher Goldthwait, Assistant General Sales Manager, Foreign Agriculture Service, USDA.

PACE OF DEMOCRATIC REFORMS AND STATUS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing on the Pace of Democratic Reforms and Status of Human Rights in Eastern Europe. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF WORLD BANK LENDING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade concluded hearings on the Environmental Impact of World Bank Lending (Part II)—Administration Views. Testimony was heard from John Neihuss, Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Economic Policy, Department of the Treasury; George Laudato, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Program and Policy Coordination, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 2854, to authorize the exercise of State jurisdiction over portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, for certain purposes; and H.R. 1473, to designate certain lands in Los Padres National Forest as wilderness, to designate Sespe Creek and

the Sisquoc River in the state of California as wild and scenic rivers.

PATENTS IN SPACE ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Administration of Justice held a hearing on H.R. 2946, Patents in Space Act. Testimony was heard from Robert F. Kempf, Associate General Counsel, Intellectual Property, NASA; Alan J. Kreczro, Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State; James F. Denny, Acting Assistant Commissioner, Patents, Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

IRCA AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees, and International Law began markup of H.R. 3374, IRCA Amendments of 1989.

MARINE MAMMAL PROTECTION ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on the following: Implementation of the Marine Mammal Protection Act Amendments of 1989; H.R. 2926, to require that tuna products be labeled to indicate the method used to catch the tuna; and H.R. 2948, to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to require disclosure of information regarding the use of tuna fishing methods which directly result in the death of marine mammals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boxer and Levine of California; the following officials of the National Marine Fisheries Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce: James E. Douglas, Acting Assistant Administrator, Fisheries; and E. Charles Fullerton, Director, Southwest Region; and public witnesses.

LEVERAGED BUYOUTS AND FOREIGN OWNERSHIP OF U.S. AIRLINES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation continued hearings on Leveraged Buyouts and Foreign Ownership of United States Airlines. Testimony was heard from Samuel K. Skinner, Secretary of Transportation; and public witnesses.

OIL POLLUTION LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Studds, Tauzin, Anderson, Nowak, Traficant, Cardin, Udall, Miller Richardson, Levine of California, Owens of Utah, Scheuer, Torricelli, Sikorski, Pelosi, McDermott, Davis, Saxton, Hammerschmidt, Stangeland, Young of Alaska, Schneider, Henry, Rinaldo, Chandler and Gallo, but no action was

taken on H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Liability and Compensation Act of 1989.

FUTURE OF THE MAGNETIC FUSION ENERGY PROGRAM

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight continued hearings on the future of the magnetic fusion energy program. Testimony was heard from John Sheffield, Director, Fusion Energy Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VOYAGER II FLYBY OF NEPTUNE

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications held a hearing on Voyager II Flyby of Neptune. Testimony was heard from Lennard Fisk, Associate Administrator, Office of Space Science and Applications, NASA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 1216, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989; and H.R. 2581, Aviation Research Grant Act of 1989.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE U.S.-CANADA FREE TRADE AGREEMENT

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on Implementation of the U.S.-Canada Free Trade Agreement. Testimony was heard from Charles Roh, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative, Canada and Mexico; Ann Hughes, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Western Hemisphere, Department of Commerce; John Simpson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Regulatory, Tariff and Trade Enforcement, Department of the Treasury; and a public witness.

UTILITY CUSTOMER REFUND ACT; UTILITY RATEPAYER REFUND ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2493, The Utility Customer Refund Act of 1989; and H.R. 1150, Utility Ratepayer Refund Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senator Wilson; John G. Wilkins, Senior Advisor, Economics, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3026, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Nine bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1727-1735, S. Res. 191, and S. Con. Res. 75.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and the other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-161)

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Measures Passed: *Physical Integrity of U.S. Flag:* By 91 yeas to 9 nays (Vote No. 227), Senate passed H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag, after taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 23420-23422

Adopted:

By 76 yeas to 24 nays (Vote No. 225), Wilson Amendment No. 951, to prevent the defiling of the American flag. (By 31 yeas to 69 nays (Vote No. 224), Senate earlier failed to table the amendment.)

Pages 23400-23422

Rejected:

Dole Amendment No. 952, to require that desecration of the U.S. flag be public in order to be a

criminal act. (By 53 yeas to 47 nays (Vote 226), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Anti-Drug Abuse Appropriations: Senate passed S. 1735, to provide authorizations for anti-drug abuse appropriations.

Pages 23521-23528

Head Start Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 1300, to amend the Head Start Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1990.

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Congratulating the Dalai Lama: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 75, to congratulate His Holiness the XIV Dalai Lama of Tibet for being awarded the 1989 Nobel Peace Prize.

Pages 23422, 23623

Italian-American Heritage and Culture Month: Senate passed H.J. Res. 392, designating October 1989 as "Italian-American Heritage and Culture Month".

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National Morgan Horse Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 191, to recognize the Bicentennial of the American Morgan Horse and to designate the period commencing October 9, 1989, and ending October 15, 1989, as "National Morgan Horse Week".

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National Hostage Awareness Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 400, designating October 27, 1989, as "National Hostage Awareness Day".

Pages 23624-23625

National Drug Control Strategy Initiative: By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 232), Senate passed of S. 1711, to implement the President's 1989 National Drug Control Strategy, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 23422, 23423, 23424, 23446, 23464, 23481, 23491, 23528-23536

Adopted:

(1) By 99 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 229), Nunn Amendment No. 954 (to amendment No. 924), to express the sense of the Congress regarding efforts to restore constitutional government to Panama.

Pages 23452-23461

(2) Biden Amendment No. 924, to provide for civil enforcement procedures in the eviction from places maintained for manufacturing, distributing, or using controlled substances.

Pages 23422, 23461

(3) Gramm Amendment No. 955, to increase the mandatory minimum sentences for adults who involve juveniles in drug offenses.

Pages 23462, 23464-23472

(4) Kennedy Modified Amendment No. 934, to provide for substance abuse prevention and treatment programs.

Pages 23473-23474

(5) Biden Amendment No. 958, to authorize additional Federal drug enforcement assistance to rural States.

Pages 23492-23494

(6) Hatch Modified Amendment No. 959, to authorize additional judicial positions for the Courts of Appeals and District Courts of the United States.

Pages 23495-23501

(7) Biden Amendment No. 960 (to modified amendment No. 959), of a perfecting nature.

Pages 23497-23501

(8) Thurmond Amendment No. 962, to recognize the organization known as the 82nd Airborne Division Association, Inc.

Pages 23503-23504

(9) Cranston Amendment No. 961, to provide for comprehensive community substance abuse prevention programs.

Pages 23502, 23504, 23509

(10) Hatch Amendment No. 963 (to amendment No. 961), in the nature of a substitute.

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(11) Hatch (for Stevens) Amendment No. 964, to make technical corrections.

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(12) Hatch Amendment No. 965, to establish a military interdiction education program.

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(13) Hatch (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 966, to establish policies regarding the distribution on campus of institutions of higher education of promotional material that encourages consumption of alcoholic beverages. (Senate subsequently vitiated passage and the amendment was withdrawn).

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(14) Hatch (for D'Amato) Amendment No. 967, to require the Director of the National Drug Control Policy to evaluate the feasibility of a Civil-Military Youth Leadership Program.

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(15) Hatch (for Kohl) Amendment No. 968, to provide drug treatment for female prisoners.

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(16) Hatch (for Simon) Amendment No. 969, to require that each Federal prisoner released on parole be subject to drug testing.

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(17) Hatch (for Kohl) Amendment No. 970, to exempt certain activities from provisions of the anti-trust laws.

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(18) Hatch (for Kohl) Amendment No. 971, to require a study of family assistance, child welfare, and youth social service programs administered by the Department of Health and Human Services.

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(19) Hatch (for Graham) Amendment No. 972, to direct the United States Sentencing Commission to establish penalties that constitute a meaningful deterrence to deported aggravated felons reentering the United States.

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(20) Hatch (for Graham) Amendment No. 973, regarding the treatment of aliens who have committed aggravated felonies.

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(21) Hatch (for Biden) Amendment No. 974, of a technical nature.

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(22) Hatch (for Kohl) Amendment No. 975, to establish policies regarding the distribution on campus of institutions of higher education of promotional material that encourages consumption of alcoholic beverages.

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(23) Hatch (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 976, to make clarifying, correcting, and conforming amendments.

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(24) Hatch (for Wilson) Amendment No. 977, to direct the U.S. Sentencing Commission to consider proposing that fines imposed upon conviction of drug offenses be set at a level that is a percentage of an individual's annual income.

Pages 23519-23520

(25) Hatch Amendment No. 978, to require a report on drug-related research and development.

Pages 23520-23521

(26) Chafee Amendment No. 979, to provide funds for comprehensive drug treatment and rehabilitation programs in State prisons.

Pages 23521-23528

(27) Hatch (for Wilson) Amendment No. 980, to express the sense of the Senate regarding education to prevent the use of drugs and beverage alcohol during pregnancy.

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(28) Hatch (for Wilson) Amendment No. 981, to provide for a study of infants born drug-exposed due to maternal substance abuse during pregnancy.

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(29) Hatch (for Wilson) Amendment No. 982, to declare that the United States should initiate discussions with the Government of Mexico to develop and implement a bilateral agreement to monitor, pursue, and capture airborne smugglers of illicit narcotics.

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(30) Hatch (for Kohl) Amendment No. 983, to require a study of family assistance, child welfare, and youth social service programs administered by the Department of Health and Human Services.

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(31) Kerry Amendment No. 984, to improve the ability of States and localities impacted by narcotics related crime to monitor, track, and prosecute major

narcotics offenders, money launderers, and youth gangs.

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Rejected:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 935 (to amendment No. 924), to provide authority for the President to use the armed forces of the United States to secure the removal of General Manuel Noriega from the illegal control of the Republic of Panama. (By 74 yeas to 25 nays (Vote No. 228), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) McConnell Amendment No. 956, to provide Federal drug interdiction agencies with the authority to use necessary and appropriate force to compel airborne drug traffickers to land their aircraft. (By 52 yeas to 48 nays (Vote No. 230), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pages 23477-23481, 23492

(3) Wallop Amendment No. 912, to require drug tests for certain individuals applying for or receiving aid to families with dependent children. (By 75 yeas to 24 nays (Vote No. 231), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pages 23505-23509

Catastrophic Insurance Reform—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of S. 1726, to repeal medicare catastrophic coverage provisions effective in years after 1989 and the supplemental medicare premium, and certain amendments to be proposed thereto, on Friday, October 6.

Pages 23536-23539

Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: By unanimous-consent, the message from the House of Representatives amending the articles of impeachment impeaching Walter L. Nixon, Jr., judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi, of high crimes and misdemeanors was ordered to be printed in the Record and in the Senate Journal, and that counsel for Judge Nixon be allowed 3 days to file such responsive pleadings to the amended Articles of Impeachment and that the House Managers be allowed 3 days from the filing of any responsive pleadings to the amended Articles of Impeachment by Judge Nixon to file a replication, and further, that the procedures authorized by sections 3 through 9 of S. Res. 127 shall be utilized with respect to pleadings filed under this agreement.

Pages 23415-23416

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Deborah Kaye Owen, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner.

Gerald F. Scannell, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

Daphne Wood Murray, of Texas, to be Director of the Institute of Museum Services.

John T. Martino, of Pennsylvania, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Philadelphia.

John M. Sayre, of Colorado, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Barbara E. McTurk, of Colorado, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at Denver.

John Warren McGarry, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission.

Joan D. Aikens, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Federal Election Commission.

Leonard L. Haynes III, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

Curtis Virgil McVee, of Alaska, to be Federal Co-chairman of the Alaska Land Use Council.

William James Tattersall, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health.

Christopher T. Cross, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, Department of Education.

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Nine record votes were taken today. (Total—232)

Pages 23421, 23422, 23452, 23461, 23491, 23508-23509, 23535

Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 11:56 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, October 6, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S12815).

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Bruce L. Gardner, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Economics, Catherine A. Bertini, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Food and Consumer, and Harold B. Steele, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Farm Credit Administration Board.

U.S. BANKING SYSTEM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the condition

of the commercial banking industry in the United States, receiving testimony from George G. Kaufman, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois; Robert E. Litan, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.; James J. McDermott, Jr., Keefe, Bruyette and Woods, Inc., New York, New York; and Alex Sheshunoff, Sheshunoff Information Services, Inc., Austin, Texas.

Hearings were recessed subject to the call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1277, to prohibit the acquisition of a controlling interest in an air carrier unless the Secretary of Transportation has made certain determinations concerning the effect of such acquisition on aviation safety, with an amendment;

H.R. 2151, to establish an installation schedule for the collision avoidance system in commercial aircraft, with an amendment;

S. 1022, authorizing funds for the Federal Communications Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$109,831,000 for fiscal year 1990 and \$117,831,000 for fiscal year 1991);

An original bill to promote the intellectual development of children through educational television;

S. 1009, to permit qualified candidates to purchase nonpreemptible broadcasting time at low rates;

S. 1512, authorizing funds for the U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$3,508,300,000 for fiscal year 1990 and \$3,363,500,000 for fiscal year 1991);

H.R. 1668, authorizing funds for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill authorizes \$397,266,000 for fiscal year 1990);

S. 1005, to provide the Interstate Commerce Commission with jurisdiction over the acquisition of control of a Class I railroad carrier by a non-carrier, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 640, to establish guidelines for Federal standards of liability for general aviation accidents;

S. 1382, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *Karlissa*;

S. 1576, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Lazy Jack*;

S. 1615, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Da Warrior*;

S. 1616, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *Crili*;

S. 1665, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the submersible vessel *PC-1501*; and

The nomination of Warren G. Leback, of New Jersey, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration, and a routine list of U.S. Coast Guard nominations.

NUCLEAR SAFETY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings on the Department of Energy's efforts to improve the operation and management of its atomic energy defense activities and its efforts to restore public credibility in the Department's ability to operate its facilities in a safe and environmentally sound manner, including related measures S. 972 and S. 1304, receiving testimony from Senators Glenn and Adams; and James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy.

Hearings continue on Thursday, October 19.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection concluded hearings on S. 1630 and S. 1490, bills to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, focusing on results of the National Acid Precipitation Assessment research program into the causes and effects of acid precipitation, after receiving testimony from William R. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation, Courtney Riordan, Director, Office of Environmental Processes and Effects Research, and Brian McLean, Director, Emerging Programs Staff, Office of Air and Radiation, all of the Environmental Protection Agency; James R. Mahoney, National Acid Precipitation Assessment Program, Washington, D.C.; Milton Russell, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Walter A. Kretser, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Albany; and George M. Hidy, Electric Power Research Institute, Palo Alto, California.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Barbara Zartman, of New York, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps, Charles E. Cobb, Jr., of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Iceland, Alan Green, Jr., of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Romania, Sally J. Novetzke, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta, and John G. Weinmann, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to

the Republic of Finland, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Cobb was introduced by Senators Graham and Mack, Mr. Green was introduced by Senators Hatfield and Packwood, Ms. Novetzke was introduced by Senator Grassley, and Mr. Weinmann was introduced by Senator Johnston.

U.S. GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT PROBLEMS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings on the Office of Management and Budget's response to management problems in the U.S. Government, receiving testimony from Richard G. Darman, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DISPLACED SALVADORANS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee began consideration of S. 458, to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of certain Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, but did not take final action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 3411-3426; 1 private bill, H.R. 3427; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 417-418, H. Con. Res. 209-211, and H. Res. 259 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2587, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and the other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats, amended (H. Rept. 101-269); and

Conference report on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the

fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-270).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Yates to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 292 yeas to 91 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 271, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, October 4.

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Budget Reconciliation: By a recorded vote of 333 ayes to 91 noes, Roll No. 274, the House passed H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990.

Pages 23393-23394

Rejected the Petri motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Budget with instructions to report it back forthwith containing an amendment to strike the "Fairness Doctrine" provisions.

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Rejected:

The Edwards of Oklahoma amendment that sought to eliminate all child care provisions and replace them with an increased Earned Income Tax Credit and a new supplemental tax credit for young children (rejected by a recorded vote of 140 ayes to 285 noes, Roll No. 272); and

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The Stenholm amendment that sought to increase authorization for Head Start and for the Social Services Block Grant, and includes an Earned Income Tax Credit (rejected by a recorded vote of 195 ayes to 230 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 273).

Pages 23359-23360, 23385

A point of order was sustained against provisions of the bill that sought to authorize certain users fees for various reports of employee benefit plans processed by or filed with the Department of Labor.

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The Clerk was authorized to make necessary technical and clerical corrections in the engrossment of the bill.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 259, electing Representative Ros-Lehtinen to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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Late Report: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to have until 6:00 p.m. Friday, October 6, to file three legislative reports.

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Chinese Immigrant Status: House insisted on its amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving

the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Brooks, Morrison of Connecticut, Berman, Smith of Texas, and McCollum.

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Flag Protection Act: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to consider a motion to agree to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight Friday, October 6, to file a conference report on H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Defense Production Act: House agreed to the Senate amendment, with amendments, to H.R. 3281, to extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Late Report: Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs received permission to have until midnight Friday, October 6, to file a late report on H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriations of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the Tied Aid Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year.

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Department of State Authorization: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

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From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of the entire House bill and the entire Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Fascell, Hamilton, Solarz, Wolpe, Crockett, Gejdenson, Dymally, Smith of Florida, Berman, Broomfield, Gilman, Lomax, Leach of Iowa, Roth, and Snowe.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of sections 1016 and 1030 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Mavroules, McCurdy, and McCrery.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 631, 632, 633, 1021, and 1030 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to

conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Fauntroy, Oakar, Wylie, and Bereuter.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of section 134 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Williams, and Gunderson.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of sections 221 through 229 of the House bill and sections 208, 701 through 707, and 1025 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dingell, Markey, and Rinaldo.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, for consideration of section 1041 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Udall, Vento, and Young of Alaska.

As additional conferees from the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of sections 138 and 213 of the House bill and sections 111, 114, 120, 131, 502, 503, 504, 1008, 1037, 1042, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, and 1057 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Brooks, Edwards of California, Morrison of Connecticut, Fish, and Smith of Texas.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, for consideration of sections 1013, 1038, and 1044 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Jones of North Carolina, Studds, Dyson, Davis, and Young of Alaska.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, for consideration of sections 120, 121, 141 through 152, 161 through 164, 1011, and 1051 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ford of Michigan, Ackerman, Sikorski, Horton, and Morella.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, for consideration of sections 116 and 221 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Anderson, Oberstar, Bosco, Hammer-schmidt, and Petri.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Rules, for consideration of sections 1002 and 1036 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Derrick, Beilenson, and Quillen.

As additional conferees from the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of section 1008 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Beilenson, McCurdy, and Livingston.

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Agreed to the Smith of New Jersey motion to instruct House conferees to agree to section 1042 of

the Senate amendment requiring all adjudicators of asylum or refugee status to give fullest possible consideration to applications from nationals of the People's Republic of China who are fleeing coercive population control policies.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 23325-23326, 23359-23360, 23390-23391, 23393-23394.

There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on the Secretary of Defense. Testimony was heard from Dick Cheney, Secretary of Defense.

STATEHOOD CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVE COIN ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage held a hearing on H.R. 1553, Statehood Centennial Commemorative Coin Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Williams and Craig; Donna Pope, Director, of the Mint, Department of the Treasury; T.S. Ary, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior; Putnam Barber, Executive Director, Centennial Commission, State of Washington; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment continued markup of H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on the multiple listing of options, and related issues. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENVIRONMENTAL CRIMES AT NUCLEAR WEAPONS COMPLEX

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on Prosecution of Environmental Crimes at the Department of Energy's Nuclear Weapons Complex. Testimony was heard from the following offi-

cials of the Department of Energy: John Layton, Inspector General; and R. Patrick Whitfield, Associate Director, Environmental Restoration, Office of Defense Waste and Transportation Management, Office of Defense Programs; Richard Stewart, Assistant Attorney General, Land and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; Paul R. Thomson, Jr., Deputy Assistant Administrator, Criminal Enforcement, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Monitoring, EPA; and public witnesses.

SUPPORT OF THE PEOPLE OF COLOMBIA; FOREIGN POLICY EXPORT CONTROLS REPORT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported amended H. Con. Res. 194, to express the support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia.

The Committee also held a hearing to receive a report on Foreign Policy Export Controls. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary; and Dennis Kloske, Under Secretary, Export Administration.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway"; H.R. 2949, amended, to authorize a study of nationally significant places in American Labor History; and H.R. 76, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Marys River in the States of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the wild and scenic rivers system.

SENTENCING OPTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice approved for full Committee action the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 2985, Sentencing Option Act of 1989.

ELECTRIC UTILITY BANKRUPTCY CLARIFICATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R. 681, Electric Utility Bankruptcy Clarification Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Douglas and Smith of New Hampshire; Larry M. Smukler, Senior Assistant Attorney General, State of New Hampshire; and public witnesses.

MAGNUSON FISHERY CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT ACT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2061, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act through fiscal year 1992.

FEDERAL PERSONNEL SECURITY CLEARANCE SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service and the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Law of the Committee on the Judiciary held a joint hearing to examine the Federal personnel security clearance system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOOD/CHEMICAL BACKHAULING ON TANKER TRUCKS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing to examine the industry practice of hauling fruit juices and other food products in tanker trucks which also carry chemical products. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FUTURE OF THE MAGNETIC FUSION ENERGY PROGRAM

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight continued hearings on the future of the magnetic fusion energy program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Robert O. Hunter, Jr., Director, Office of Energy Research; and N. Anne Davies, Acting Assistant Director, Office of Fusion Energy.

TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on Technology Transfer. Testimony was heard from D. Allan Bromley, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy; Philip S. Chen, Jr., Associate Director, Intramural Affairs and Chairman, Patent Policy Board, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; Lee Mercer, Deputy Under Secretary, Technology Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed

versions of H.R. 3026, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Colombia.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR/HHS/ EDUCATION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, rural development, and related agencies, but did not complete action thereon, and

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Agriculture, rural development, and related agencies.

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Friday, October 6, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1736–1746, S. Res. 192, and S.J. Res. 214.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. Con. Res. 71, congratulating Malta on the 25th Anniversary of its Independence.

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Report to accompany S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States. (S. Rept. No. 101–162)

Measures Passed:

World Population Awareness Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 158, designating October 22 through 28, 1989, as "World Population Awareness Week", and the resolution was then passed.

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National Women Veterans of World War II Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 204, designating October 28, 1989, as "National Women Veterans of World War II Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 213, to designate October 22 through October 29, 1989, as "National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America", and the resolution was then passed.

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Country Music Month: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 401, to designate the month of October 1989 as "Country Music Month", and the resolution was then passed.

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Subsequently, the Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 196, Senate companion measure, and the joint resolution was indefinitely postponed.

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Bowling Green, Kentucky—Urbanized Area: Senate passed S. 1443, to designate Bowling Green, Kentucky, as an urbanized area.

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Authorizing Testimony: Senate agreed to S. Res. 192, authorizing the testimony and representation of Senate employees in the case of *United States v. Jorge Artalego* (D.C. Superior Court).

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Catastrophic Insurance Reform: By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 240), Senate passed S. 1726, to repeal medicare catastrophic coverage provisions effective in years after 1989 and the supplemental medicare premium, as modified, and after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 23746–23820, 23821–23832

Adopted:

Bradley Amendment No. 990, to provide benefits for respite care.

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Rejected:

(1) By 35 yeas to 64 nays (Vote No. 234) Kennedy Amendment No. 985, in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) By 25 yeas to 74 nays (Vote No. 235), Graham Amendment No. 986, in the nature of a substitute, to provide a modified benefit package for individuals having private insurance.

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(3) By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 237), Durenberger Amendment No. 987, in the nature of a substitute, to modify various provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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(4) By 41 yeas to 58 nays (Vote No. 238), Riegle Amendment No. 988, in the nature of a substitute, to repeal, eliminate, or make adjustments to certain provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 (P.L. 100-360).

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(5) By 26 yeas to 73 nays (Vote No. 239), Roth Amendment No. 989, to repeal benefit provisions of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 (P.L. 100-360) retroactive to January 1, 1989.

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During consideration of this bill today, the following action also occurred:

By 96 yeas to 3 nays (Vote No. 233), Senate agreed to a motion to waive the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of the bill and amendments to be proposed thereto.

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By 12 yeas to 87 nays (Vote No. 236), Senate rejected a motion to commit the bill to the committee on Finance with instructions.

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Interior Appropriations Conference Report—

Agreement: A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, on Saturday, October 7.

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Passage of Amendment Vitiating: By unanimous consent, Senate vitiated passage of Amendment No. 983, to require a study of family assistance, child welfare, and youth social service programs administered by the Department of Health and Human Services, proposed to S. 1711, National Drug Control Strategy Initiative, which Senate had agreed to on Thursday, October 5, 1989.

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Appointments:

U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 100-204, appointed the following individual from the private sector to the U.S. Commission on Improving the Effectiveness of the United Nations: Thomas F. Eagleton, of Missouri.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Edward T. Timperlake, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Congressional and Public Affairs).

Raoul Lord Carroll, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel, Department of Veterans Affairs.

S. Anthony McCann, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Finance and Planning).

Thomas E. Collins III, of Mississippi, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Veterans Employment and Training.

Thomas F. Stroock, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala.

Allen B. Clark, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Veterans Liaison and Program Coordination).

JoAnn Krukar Webb, of Virginia, to be Director of the National Cemetery System, Department of Veterans Affairs.

Warren G. Leback, of New Jersey, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration.

Harold B. Steele, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Farm Credit Administration Board, Farm Credit Administration, for the remainder of the term expiring May 21, 1992.

Catherine Ann Bertini, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

David Jameison Smith, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief Negotiator for Defense and Space.

Bruce L. Gardner, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

A routine list in the Coast Guard.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Cresencio S. Arcos, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Honduras.

Francis Terry McNamara, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde.

The following-named persons to be Alternate Representatives of the United States of America to the Forty-fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Barbara Hackman Franklin, of Pennsylvania.

Gary Edward MacDougall, of Illinois

Michael Bruce Donley, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Jean Paul Bradshaw, of Missouri, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri.

Joyce J. George, of Ohio, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Ohio.

Robert R. McMillan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of the Panama Canal Commission.

Philip Lawrence Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Barbara Everitt Bryant, of Michigan, to be Director of the Census.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Philip Lawrence Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Communications:

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Petitions:

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Additional Statements: Pages 23867-23870

Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—240) Pages 23759, 23766

Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 9:39 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Saturday, October 7, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S12947).

Committee Meetings

PANAMA

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded joint hearings, in closed session, with the Select Committee on Intelligence on the situation in Panama, receiving testimony from Richard B. Cheney, Secretary of Defense; and Gen. Colin L. Powell, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of James R. Locher III, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict, and Terrence O'Donnell, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 195, to require the imposition of specified sanctions against any foreign country which uses chemical or biological weapons in violation of international law or against its own citizens, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. Con. Res. 71, congratulating Malta on the 25th anniversary of its independence;

An original bill, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and

The nominations of Christopher H. Phillips, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam, Paul M. Cleveland, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia, Thomas F. Stroock, of Wyoming, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala, Stephen R. Hanmer, Jr., of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, Kenneth L. Brown, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire, William L. Jacobsen, Jr., of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, Penne P. Korth, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Mauritius, Gordon K. Durnil, of Indiana, to be a Commissioner on the part of the U.S. on the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada, Nicolas M. Salgo, of Florida, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as the Special Negotiator for Property Issues, Elizabeth M. Tamposi, of New Hampshire, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Consular Affairs, Glen A. Holden, of California, to be Ambassador to Jamaica, Alvin P. Adams, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti, James D. Berg, of Kentucky, to be Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, Robert R. Randlett, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator for Legislative Affairs of the Agency for International Development, Evelyn Irene Hoopes Teegen, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Fiji, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Kingdom of Tonga, Ambassador to Tuvalu, and Ambassador to the Republic of Kiribati, Charles W. Hostler, of California, to be Ambassador to the State of Bahrain, Marion V. Creekmore, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Republic of Maldives, Michael Ussery, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco, David J. Smith, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Chief Negotiator for Defense and Space, William P. Glade, of Texas, to be Associate Director for Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Information Agency, Henry A. Holmes, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador-at-Large for Burdensharing, Barbara Zartman, of New York, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps, Charles E. Cobb, Jr., of Florida, to be Am-

bassador to the Republic of Iceland, Alan Green, Jr., of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Romania, Sally J. Novetzke, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta, and John G. Weinmann, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland.

PANAMA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs met in closed session to receive a briefing on the situation in Panama from Michael Kozak, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

RAILROAD REORGANIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1631, to clarify certain provisions relating to rail reorganization as contained in the Bankruptcy Code of 1978, after receiving testimony from Patricia A. Hahn, Associate General Counsel, Interstate Commerce Commission; Merrill L. Travis, Illinois Department of Transportation, Springfield; William Bradford Reynolds, Washington, D.C., and Robert W. Kleinman, Chicago, Illinois, both of Ross and Hardies; Anthony J. Kruglinski, Railroad Financial Corp., Princeton, New Jersey; Daniel R. Murray, Missouri and Western Railway Company, Chicago, Illinois; Mayor Jesse R. Smart, Bloomington, Illinois; and Ross Kapon, National Association of Railroad Passengers, James J. Kennedy, Jr., Railway Labor Executives Association, and Roger Whelan, American Bankruptcy Conference, all of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 3428-3430 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the Tied Aid Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year, amended (H. Rept. 101-271);

H.R. 3007, to amend the Contract Services for Drug Dependent Federal Offenders Act of 1978 to provide additional authorizations for appropriations (H. Rept. 101-272);

S. 248, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide increased penalties for certain

major frauds against the United States (H. Rept. 101-273); and

Conference report on H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. (H. Rept. 101-274).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 11:22 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meeting

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for September, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Saturday, October 7, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23885-23946

Measures Introduced: Two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. Res. 193 and 194.

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Measures Passed:

Authorizing the Appointment of Senate Delegation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 194, authorizing the appointment of a special Senate delegation to host a delegation of members of the Supreme Soviet of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

Pages 23934, 23945

Interior Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: By yeas to 6 nays (Vote No. 241) Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2788, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to Senate amendments numbered 13, 15, 18, 23, 26, 28, 34, 39, 43, 50, 55, 61, 62, 63, 70, 71, 72, 76, 81, 87, 88, 93, 94, 96, 102, 104, 105, 107, 110, 111, 114, 121, 124, 133, 135, 139, 140, 143, 150, 152, 164, 165, 166, 167, and 168.

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By 62 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 242), Senate tabled Helms Amendment No. 991, (to House amendment to Senate amendment numbered 153). To prohibit the use of funds to promote, disseminate, or produce materials that are obscene or depict, in an offensive way, sexual or excretory activities or organs.

Pages 23903, 23920-23924

Subsequently, Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to Senate amendment numbered 153.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Melvin F. Sembler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Australia and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Nauru.

Della M. Newman, of Washington, to be Ambassador to New Zealand and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Western Samoa.

Richard Wood Boehm, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman.

Michael Ussery, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Morocco, to which position he was appointed during the recess of the Senate from October 22, 1988, to January 3, 1989.

Warren A. Lavorel, of California, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the United States Coordinator for Multilateral Trade Negotiations.

Evelyn Irene Hoopes Teegen, of Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Fiji, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Kingdom of Tonga, to Tuvalu, and to the Republic of Kiribati.

Johnny Young, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone.

Lannon Walker, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Nigeria.

Glen A. Holden, of California, to be Ambassador to Jamaica.

Sally J. Novetzke, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta.

Nicolas Miklos Salgo, of Florida, for the rank of Ambassador in his capacity as the Special Negotiator for Property Issues.

Mark Gregory Hambley, of Idaho, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar.

Charles Warren Hostler, of California, to be Ambassador to the State of Bahrain.

Gordon K. Durnil, of Indiana, to be a Commissioner on the part of the United States on the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada.

Robert R. Randlett, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Paul Matthews Cleveland, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia.

James Richard Cheek, of Arkansas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sudan.

Stephen Read Hanmer, Jr., of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Christopher H. Phillips, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam.

William Ludwig Jacobsen, Jr., of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea-Bissau.

Penne Percy Korth, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Mauritius.

Elizabeth M. Tamposi, of New Hampshire, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Consular Affairs.

James David Berg, of Kentucky, to be Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Kenneth L. Brown, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire.

Charles E. Cobb, Jr., of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Iceland.

John Giffen Weinmann, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland.

Marion V. Creekmore, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Maldives.

Henry Allen Holmes, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador at Large for Burdensharing.

Alan Green, Jr., of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the Socialist Republic of Romania.

Barbara Zartman, of New York, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps.

William P. Glade, of Texas, to be an Associate Director of the United States Information Agency.

Alvin P. Adams, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Haiti.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total-242)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 6 p.m., until 12 noon, on Wednesday, October 11, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held at noon on Tuesday, October 10.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Tuesday, October 10, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Wednesday, October 11, at 12 noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 3431-3432; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 260-261 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gray to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Environmental quality authorization: H.R. 1113, amended, to authorize appropriations for the Office of Environmental Quality for fiscal years 1989 and 1990; and to ensure consideration of the impact of major Federal actions on the global environment. Agreed to amend the title;

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Wetlands conservation: H.R. 2587, amended, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and wa-

terfowl and the other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats;

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Drug dependent Federal offenders: H.R. 3007, to amend the Contract Services for Drug Dependent Federal Offenders Act of 1978 to provide additional authorizations for appropriations;

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Major Fraud Act: S. 248, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States—clearing the measure for the President; and

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Child nutrition and WIC reauthorization: H. Res. 260, to agree to the Senate amendment, with an amendment, to H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to revise and extend certain authorities contained in such Act—returning H.R. 24 to the Senate.

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Referrals: Six Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 2:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ALASKA NATIVES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 2960, to establish a joint Federal-State Commission on Policies and Programs Affecting Alaska Natives. Testimony was heard from Eddie Brown, Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; James E. Torgerson, Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

TRANSFER OF CERTAIN LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2809, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the State of California. Testimony was heard from George Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and a public witness.

ASSURING THE SAFETY OF THE AGING AIRLINE FLEET

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee Aviation concluded hearings on Assuring the Safety of the Aging Airline Fleet. Testimony was heard from Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Trans-

portation Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO.

FLAG PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for the consideration in the House of a motion to take H.R. 2978, Flag Protection Act of 1989, from the Speaker's table with the Senate amendments thereto, and to concur in the Senate amendments. There is 1 hour of debate on the motion, and the previous question is considered as ordered on the motion to final adoption without intervening motion. Testimony was heard from Representative Edwards of California.

U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE SEIZED-PROPERTY PROGRAM AND FORFEITURE FUND

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing to examine the U.S. Customs Service Seized-Property Program and Forfeiture Fund. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, GAO; Michael Lane, Acting Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and Howard Safir, Associate Director, Operations, U.S. Marshals Service, Department of Justice.

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Wednesday, October 11, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24004-24026

Measures Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1747-1749.

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Measures Passed:

25th Anniversary of Malta's Independence: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 71, congratulating Malta on the twenty-fifth anniversary of its independence.

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: The Chair submits to the Senate for printing in the Senate Journal and in the Congressional Record the answer by Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., to the amended articles of impeachment against Judge Nixon, pursuant to S. Res. 127, 101st Congress, First Session, and the unanimous consent agreement obtained October 5, 1989, which answer was received by the Secretary of the Senate on October 11, 1989.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations: Received on Tuesday, October 10, during the recess:

R. James Woolsey, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Representative to the Negotiation on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE).

Received today:

Ruth V. Washington, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of The Gambia.

Robert C. McCormack, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

Betsy Brand, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Vocational and Adult Education, Department of Education.

Richard G. Austin, of Illinois, to be Administrator of General Services.

A routine list in the Foreign Service.

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Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 8:24 p.m., until 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 12, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24026.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 3433-3449; 1 private bill, H.R. 3450; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 419, H. Con. Res. 212, and H. Res. 262 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 262, providing for a motion to dispose of the Senate amendments to H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag (H. Rept. 101-275);

Conference report on H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the

President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-276);

H.R. 2854, to authorize the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Commanche County, Oklahoma, for certain purposes, amended (H. Rept. 101-277); and

H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform (H. Rept. 101-278).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 284 yeas to 109 nays, Roll No. 275, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, October 10.

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Child Abuse Prevention Challenge Grants: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2087, to transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act—clearing the measure for the President.

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Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2088, to revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986—clearing the measure for the President.

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Labor/HHS Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 364 yeas to 56 nays, Roll No. 276, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 12, 34, 62, 63, 79, 82, 92, and 109.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with an amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 26, 27, 28, 29, 33, 36, 37, 44, 51, 57, 59, 64, 71, 75, 76, 77, 78, 84, 87, 90 (agreed to recede by a yea-and-nay vote of 216 yeas to 206 nays, Roll No. 277; and agreed to concur, with an amendment, by a yea-and-nay vote of 212 yeas to 207 nays, Roll No. 278), 91, 93, 94, 101, 104, 108, 111, 114, 119, 123, 128, 129, 132, 139, 141, 156, 172, and 176—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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D.C. Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 232 yeas to 186 nays, Roll No. 279, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or

in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 2, 3, 4, 8, 14, 21, and 22.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 5, 7, 11, 15, 16, 18, and 19 clearing the measure for Senate action.

Earlier, a point of order was sustained against the Dixon motion to recede and concur, with amendment, to Senate amendment No. 15; and

On a division of the question, the House agreed to recede from its disagreement; and failed to concur, with an amendment, in Senate amendment No. 22 (failed by a yea-and-nay vote of 170 yeas to 252 nays, Roll No. 280).

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Transportation Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to conference. Appointed as conferees:

For consideration of Senate amendments Nos. 1 through 135 and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Lehman of Florida, Gray, Carr, Durbin, Mrazek, Sabo, Whitten, Coughlin, Conte, Wolf, and DeLay.

As additional conferees solely for consideration of Senate amendments numbered 136 through 144 and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Yates, Obey, Roybal, Bevill, Murtha, Traxler, Lehman of Florida, Dixon, Fazio, Hefner, Conte, McDade, Coughlin, Regula, Edwards of Oklahoma, Green, Rogers, and Skeen.

Pages 24098, 24114

Agreed to the Coughlin motion to instruct conferees to agree to Senate amendments numbered 9, 17, 18, 142, 143, and section 405 (a) and (b) of Senate amendment 140, and section 407 of Senate amendment 141 (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 402 yeas to 15 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 281).

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Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Smith of Iowa, Alexander, Early, Dwyer of New Jersey, Carr, Molloyhan, Whitten, Rogers, Regula, Kolbe, and Conte.

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Agreed to the Conte motion to instruct the managers on the part of the House to agree to the amendment of the Senate numbered 189 (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 399 yeas with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 283). Agreed to order the previous question on the motion to instruct by a yea-and-nay vote of 232 yeas to 184 nays, Roll No. 282.

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FDR Commission: The Speaker appointed on the part of the House Representative Ray to the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission, to fill an existing vacancy thereon.

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Law Enforcement Commission: The Minority Leader appointed Representative Oxley to the National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement, to fill an existing vacancy thereon.

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Congratulations to Dalai Lama: House passed S. Con. Res. 75, to congratulate His Holiness the XIV Dalai Lama of Tibet for being awarded the 1989 Nobel Peace Prize—clearing the measure.

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Red Ribbon Drug-Free America: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 213, to designate October 22 through October 29, 1989, as "National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Nine yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 24025, 24046, 24062, 24073, 24098, 24100, 24112, 24113.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFECTIVE FASTENERS AND BOLTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on readiness met in executive session to receive a classified briefing on the problems being experienced throughout the Department of Defense because of defective fasteners and bolts. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the Department of Defense: James Reay, Director, Supply Management Policy, Office of the Secretary; and Brig. Gen. Michael J. Pepe, USA, Executive Director, Quality Assurance, Defense Logistics Agency.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing to examine the impact of FIRREA on the Federal Home Loan Bank System. Testimony was heard from Thurman Connell, President, Federal Home Loan Bank of Des Moines; and public witnesses.

BASIC HEALTH BENEFITS FOR ALL AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on "the Growing Crisis in Health Care: The Basic Health Benefits for All Americans Act (H.R. 1845) and other National Health Care Policy options". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2964, amended, to extend time limitations on certain projects; H.R. 2642, granting consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact; and H.R. 3021, to extend the deadlines under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Washington.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on Clean Air Act reauthorization. Testimony was heard from William G. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator, Air and Radiation, EPA; Richard L. Schmalensee, member, Council of Economic Advisors; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue October 18.

CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3030, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1989.

WASTE REDUCTION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation, and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amendment H.R. 1457, Waste Reduction Act.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 3402, amended, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform; H.R. 91, amended, Anti-Terrorism and Arms Export Amendments Act of 1989; H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. H.R. 3294, to authorize distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland"; H. Con. Res. 185, in support of basic human rights and de-

mocracy in Burma; and H.R. 3361, Arms Control Authorization Act of 1989.

PACE OF DEMOCRATIC REFORMS AND STATUS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations continued hearings on the Pace of Democratic Reforms and Status of Human Rights in Eastern Europe. Testimony was heard from Representative Hoyer; the following officials of the Department of State: Richard Schifter, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs; and Curtis Kamman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European and Canadian Affairs; and Dorin Tudoran, East Europe Program, Voice of America, USIA.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported following bills: H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway"; H.R. 76, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Marys River in the States of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the wild and scenic rivers system; and H.R. 2949, amended, to authorize a study of nationally significant places in American Labor History.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Law continued hearings on H.R. 2273, Americans With Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL SEABED HARD MINERALS ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a hearing on H.R. 2440, National Seabed Hard Minerals Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Edward Cassidy, Deputy Director, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior; Virginia Tippi, Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

EXPORT FINANCING

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Exports, Tax Policy and Special Problems held a hearing to examine the problems facing small businesses in obtaining export financing. Testimony was heard from Arthur Obestar, Senior Marketing Officer, Export-Import Bank of the United States; Allan Mandell, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Financial Assistance Division, SBA; and public witnesses.

DVA RESEARCH

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on the impact of DVA research on the delivery of medical care services and the status of the DVA research program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Daniel H. Winship, Associate Deputy Chief Medical Director, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

DEMOCRACY IN POLAND AND HUNGARY; UTILITY CUSTOMER REFUND ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform.

The Committee failed to report H.R. 2493, Utility Customer Refund Act of 1989.

Joint Meeting

JAPANESE MARKET

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the openness of the Japanese market, focusing on recent economic data on exports, imports and prices, after receiving testimony from Ray Ahearn, Trade Relations Specialist, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and Robert Lawrence, Brookings Institution, and Clyde Prestowitz, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, both of Washington, DC.

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Thursday, October 12, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24478-24529

Measures Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1750-1753.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 604, to amend title 31 of the United States Code to increase settlement authority and expand coverage relating to claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-163)

S. 1750, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1990. (S. Rept. No. 101-164)

H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.

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Measures Passed:

Eisenhower VA Medical Center: Committee on Veterans' Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2987, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Leavenworth, Kansas, as the "Dwight D. Eisenhower Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center", and the bill was then passed.

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Library Services and Construction Act: Senate passed H.R. 2742, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act, after striking all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1291, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to committee amendments, and agreeing to amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Page 24525

(1) Chafee (for Helms) Amendment No. 993, to prevent libraries which receive financial assistance under the Library Services and Construction Act from discrimination in providing space for public meetings.

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(2) Chafee (for Helms) Amendment No. 994, to amend the provisions regarding licensing and certification of child-care providers and child-care centers.

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S. 1291 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Nicaraguan Election Assistance: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the Act and, by unanimous consent, a vote on the cloture motion will occur immediately following the vote on passage of H.R. 3299, Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989.

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Budget Reconciliation: Senate began consideration of S. 1750, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992, taking action of amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 24261, 24478-24491, 24492-24503

Adopted:

(1) Bentsen Amendment No. 992, to make certain modifications.

Pages 24481-24483

Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments to be proposed thereto, on Friday, October 13.

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations: David George Ball, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Harry F. Manbeck, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

David E. Lewis, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Acquisition and Facilities).

Jacqueline Jones-Smith, of Maryland, to be a Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

Jacqueline Jones-Smith, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

A routine list in the Coast Guard.

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 7:41 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Friday, October 13, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24499.)

Committee Meetings

NICARAGUAN ELECTION ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.

OMNIBUS BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on the Budget: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill (S. 1750) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 3451-3467; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 420, H. Con. Res. 213, and H. Res. 263-264 were introduced.

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Journal: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 297 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 284, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, October 11.

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Flag Protection: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 371 yeas to 43 nays, Roll No. 286, the House agreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 2978, to amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages 24180, 24182

H. Res. 262, the rule providing for the motion to agree to the Senate amendments, was agreed to earlier by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 413 yeas, Roll No. 285.

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Late Report: Committee on the Judiciary received permission to have until 6 p.m. Friday, October 13, to file 8 legislative reports.

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Arms Control Agency Authorization: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 400 yeas to 11 nays, Roll No. 287, the House passed H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Pages 24189, 24191

Agreed to the Fascell amendment in the nature of a substitute (text of H.R. 3361), as amended by the Traficant amendment, that authorizes the Directors of ACDA and OSIA to award a domestic firm a contract that would be awarded to a foreign firm under the competitive bidding procedures, if certain criteria is met.

Pages 24194, 24195

H. Res. 255, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight October 13, to file a conference report on H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Intelligence Authorization: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 369 yeas to 31 nays, Roll No. 288, the House passed H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government,

for the Intelligence Community Staff, and for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.

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Agreed To:

The Solomon amendment that requires random drug testing of CIA officers and employees; and

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The Traficant amendment that authorizes the Director of the CIA to award to a domestic firm a contract that would be awarded to a foreign firm under the competitive bidding procedures, if certain criteria is met.

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The Richardson amendment that sought to prohibit any military or paramilitary assistance to the non-communist Cambodian rebels if the rebels provide military aid to, or conduct military exercises, was offered but subsequently withdrawn.

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H. Res. 254, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five ye-a-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 24176, 24181, 24188, 24190, 24226. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned 4:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GRAIN RESERVE POLICY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans, and Feed Grains held a hearing to review grain reserve policy in preparation for 1990 Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Approved the issuance of subpoenas in connection with its investigation into Lincoln Savings and Loan Association.

ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATIONS TO REFORM HUD

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development held a hearing on the Administration's recommendations to reform HUD. Testimony was heard from Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs and Health held a hearing on H.R. 3293, to amend the District of Columbia Self-Gov-

ernment and Governmental Reorganization Act to establish a predictable and equitable method for determining the amount of the annual Federal payment to the District of Columbia, to provide authority for the District government to budget and appropriate locally raised revenues, to simplify congressional review of District acts. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Marion S. Barry, Jr., Mayor; and David A. Clarke, Chairman, City Council.

BASIC HEALTH BENEFITS FOR ALL AMERICANS ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations concluded hearings on "The Growing Crisis in Health Care: The Basic Health Benefits for All Americans Act (H.R. 1845) and other National Health Care Policy options". Testimony was heard from Frank Swain, Chief Counsel, Advocacy, SBA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 3265, amended, Federal Communications Commission Authorization Act of 1989; H.R. 3310, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; and as amended Title V of H.R. 2273, Americans With Disabilities Act of 1989.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations and the Subcommittee on Civil Service of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service held a joint hearing on The Department of State in the Twenty-First Century, Part I: Management. Testimony was heard from Ivan Selin, Under Secretary, Management, Department of State; Graeme Bannerman, representing the Thomas Commission; and Hume Horan, representing the Bremer Commission.

Hearings continue October 17.

BRING THE INFORMATION AGE TO RURAL AMERICA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture continued hearings on bringing the Information Age to Rural America, Part 2. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boucher, Coleman of Missouri, Cooper, Gunderson, Skelton, and Thomas of Wyoming; the following officials of the USDA: Jonathan I. Kislak, Deputy Under Secretary, Office of Small Community and Rural Development; Jack Van Mark, Acting Administrator, Rural Electrification

Administration; and Neal Sox Johnson, Acting Administrator, Farmers Home Administration.

BUDGETARY TREATMENT OF FEDERAL TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on Budgetary Treatment of Federal Trust Funds. Testimony was heard from Representatives Panetta, Alexander, Derrick and Frenzel; Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General, GAO; Robert D. Reischauer, Director, CBO; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Office Systems met to consider pending business.

PRINTING RESOLUTION: COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing printing of the brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made."

The Subcommittee also considered other pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing on the actions of the NRC's Office of Inspector and Auditor in its investigation of Roger Fortuna, Deputy Director of the Office of Investigations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NRC; Roger Fortuna, Deputy Director, Office of Investigations; Victor Stello, Executive Director, Operations, and Assistant Secretary Designate, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; William Parler, General Counsel; and Martin Malsch, Acting Inspector General; and public witnesses.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Held a hearing on H.R. 2273, Americans With Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Richard Thornburgh, Attorney General of the United States.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights concluded hearings on H.R. 2273, Americans With Disabilities Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

STATE POWER TO TAX INTERSTATE NATURAL GAS PIPELINES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law held a hearing on H.R.

2378, to amend title 28, United States Code, to permit the district courts of the United States to enjoin, suspend, or restrain certain State ad valorem property taxes on interstate gas transmission property. Testimony was heard from Representatives Tauzin and Smith of Nebraska; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Personnel and Modernization held an oversight hearing on the transportation of biological toxins and etiologic agents through the mail. Testimony was heard from Frank R. Heselton, Assistant Postmaster General, Rates and Classification Department, U.S. Postal Service; Dr. John McVicar, Director, Office of Biosafety, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; LEASE RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1727, Everglades National Park Protection and Expansion Act of 1989; H.R. 2668, National Indian Museum Act; H.R. 2890, to redesignate Federal buildings in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse"; H.R. 3318, to redesignate the Federal building known as the Concord building, located at 1919 Smith Street, in Houston, Texas, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building"; and H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform.

The Committee also approved an 11(b) resolution, 26 lease resolutions, and 1 lease alteration resolution.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVES IN POLAND AND HUNGARY; SUPPORT FOR EASTERN EUROPE DEMOCRACY ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on Science and Technology Initiatives in Poland and Hungary. Testimony was heard from Ambassador Peter Jon de Vos, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; Jack Siegel, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Coal Technology, Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; Ian Baird, Director, Office of Export Licensing, Bureau of Export Administration, Department of Commerce; Gary Waxmonsky, Acting Director, Bilateral Branch, Office of International Activities, EPA; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION POLICY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on Federal Science and Technology Information Policy. Testimony was heard from Eleanor Chelimsky, Assistant Comptroller General, Program Evaluation and Methodology Division, GAO; Fred B. Wood, Project Director, Communications and Information Technologies Program, Office of Technology Assessment; Joseph G. Coyne, President of CENDI and Manager, Office of Scientific and Technical Information, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

MEDICAL LIABILITY AND THE DELIVERY OF OBSTETRICAL CARE

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy held a hearing on Medical Liability and the Delivery of Obstetrical Care. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 3199, Veterans Health Professionals Education Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 3390, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to certain veterans education programs.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE ISSUES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures held a hearing on miscellaneous revenue issues. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gray, Jacobs, Ford of Tennessee, Stallings, Williams and Studds; Kenneth Gideon, Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITY—RESTRICTIVE BROADCASTING DIRECTIVE

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action amended H. Res. 257, denouncing the adoption by the European Community of a restrictive broadcasting directive.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies,

but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, October 16.

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Friday, October 13, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24553-24651

Measures Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1754 and 1755.

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Measures Passed:

Budget Reconciliation: By 87 yeas to 7 nays (Vote No. 243), Senate passed H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1750, Senate companion measure, as previously amended, and after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 24553, 24563-24565, 24568-24569, 24581, 24584-24606

Mitchell Amendment No. 1004, to strike provisions which would decrease revenues or increase outlays.

Pages 24585-24593

S. 1750 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Nicaraguan Election Assistance: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.

Pages 24606-24608

By 52 yeas to 42 nays (Vote No. 244), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to agree to close further debate on the Act.

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A second motion was entered to close further debate on the Act, and by unanimous consent, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Tuesday, October 17, at 2:15 p.m.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the Act, and certain amendments to be proposed thereto, on Tuesday, October 17, regardless of the outcome of the cloture vote.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

David Courtland O'Neal, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert W. Sweet, Jr., of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Coast Guard.

Pages 24650-24651

Messages From the House:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Authority for Committees:

Pages 24640-24641

Additional Statements:

Pages 24641-24649

Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total-244)

Pages 24605, 24606

Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and recessed at 11:56 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, October 16, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24650.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 3468-3469 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1622, to amend title 17, United States Code, to change the fee schedule of the Copyright Office, and to make certain technical amendments (H. Rept. 101-279);

H.R. 2138, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the application of employer sanctions to longshore work, amended (H. Rept. 101-280);

H.R. 2806, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative amendments (H. Rept. 101-281);

H.R. 3045, to amend chapters 5 and 9 of title 17, United States Code, to clarify that States, instrumentalities of States, and officers and employees of States acting in their official capacity, are subject to suit in Federal court by any person for infringement of copyright and infringement of exclusive rights in

mask works, and that all remedies can be obtained in such suit that can be obtained in a suit against a private person or against other public entities (H. Rept. 101-282); and

H.R. 3152, to amend title 11 of the United States Code to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons (H. Rept. 101-283).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:35 a.m.

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Monday, October 16, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24662-24712

Measures Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1756-1761, S.J. Res. 215, and S. Con. Res. 76.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Report of the Impeachment Trial Committee on the Articles Against Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr." (S. Rept. No. 101-164)

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Measures Passed:

Welcoming Canadian Parliament: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 76, welcoming members of the Canadian Parliament on their visit to the Capitol.

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District of Columbia Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 24707-24711

Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 5, 7, 11, 16, 18, and 19.

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Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 15, with a Mitchell (for Mikulski) Amendment No. 1011, to establish policies regarding application for employment and promotions and reductions in force for career service employees.

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Desecration of the U.S. Flag—Constitutional Amendment: Senate began consideration of S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

Pages 24665-24681

Senate will continue consideration of the resolution on Tuesday, October 17.

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Messages From the House:

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Communications:

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Petitions:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Text of S. 1711 as Previously Passed:

Pages 23536-23573

Recess: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and recessed at 6:24 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, October 17, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24713.)

Committee Meeting

NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Sidney L. Jones, of Utah, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Economic Policy, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Six public bills, H.R. 3470-3475; two private bills, H.R. 3476-3477; and one resolution, H. Res. 265 were introduced.

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Reports Filed:

H.R. 76, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Marys River in the States of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the wild and scenic rivers system, amended (H. Rept. 101-284);

H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway" (H. Rept. 101-285);

H.R. 1473, to designate certain lands in Los Padres National Forest as wilderness, to designate Sespe Creek and the Sisquoc River in the State of California as wild and scenic rivers, amended (H. Rept. 101-286);

H.R. 3341, to amend the Sherman Act to increase the fines that may be imposed for a violation of such Act (H. Rept. 101-287); and

H.R. 3259, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers (H. Rept. 101-288).

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Consent Calendar: Agreed to dispense with business on the Consent Calendar for today.

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Committee Resignations: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Gephardt wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Ways and Means; and Representative Cardin wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 265, electing Members to the following standing committees: Representative Condit to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Government Operations; Representative Gephardt to the Committee on the Budget, to rank after Representative Panetta, Chairman; Representative Manton to the Committee on House Administration; Representative Johnson of South Dakota to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; Representative Hayes of Illinois to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, Representative Geren to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation; and Representative Cardin to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Mickey Leland film: H.R. 3294, to authorize distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland";

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Support for Colombian people: H. Con. Res. 194, amended, to express the support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 348 yeas, Roll No. 289);

Pages 24717, 24732

Los Padres National Forest: H.R. 1473, amended, to designate certain lands in Los Padres National Forest as wilderness, to designate Sespe Creek and

the Sisquoc River in the State of California as wild and scenic rivers;

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Clara Barton Parkway: H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway" (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 353 yeas, Roll No. 290);

Pages 24724, 24733

St. Mary's River: H.R. 76, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to study the eligibility of the St. Mary's River in the State of Florida and Georgia for potential addition to the wild and scenic rivers system;

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Copyright Office fees: H.R. 1622, amended, to amend title 17, United States Code, to change the fee schedule of the Copyright Office, and to make certain technical amendments; and

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Copyright remedy clarification: H.R. 3045, to amend chapters 5 and 9 of title 17, United States Code, to clarify that States, instrumentalities of States, and officers and employees of States acting in their official capacity, are subject to suit in Federal court by any person for infringement of copyright and infringement of exclusive rights in mask works, and that all the remedies can be obtained in such suit that can be obtained in a suit against a private person or against other public entities.

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Recess: House recessed at 1:46 p.m. and reconvened at 4:31 p.m.

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Veterans Affairs/HUD Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Traxler, Stokes, Boggs, Molloy, Chapman, Atkins, Whitten, Green, Coughlin, Lewis of California, and Conte.

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Patient Account Management Day: House passed H.J. Res. 380, designating October 4, 1989, as "Patient Account Management Day".

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Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that changes the day of designation from October 4, 1989 to October 18, 1989.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 24732, 24733. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on small business health insurance market. Testimony was heard from Mark V. Nadel, Associate Director, National and Public Health Issues, GAO; and public witnesses.

VOTING SECURITIES OF AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Inhofe, Young of Alaska, Frost, and Bryant; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees continued in evening session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

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Tuesday, October 17, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24816–24910

Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1762–1766, and S. Res. 195.

Pages 24881–24882

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 135, to amend title 5, United States Code, to restore to Federal civilian employees their right to participate voluntarily, as private citizens, in the political processes of the Nation, to protect such em-

ployees from improper political solicitations. (S. Rept. No. 101–165)

S. 195, entitled the “Chemical and Biological Weapons Control Act of 1989”, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–166)

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Measures Passed:

Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building: Committee on Environment and Public Works was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 801, to designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, Georgia, as the “Elbert E. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building”, and the bill was then passed.

Pages 24910–24911

Nicaraguan Election Assistance: By 64 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 250), Senate passed H.R. 3385, to provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 24837–24856, 24858–24866, 24868–24877

Rejected:

(1) Harkin Amendment No. 1027 (to Amendment No. 1005), to prohibit the availability of funds directly or indirectly to the Government of Nicaragua. (By 59 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 246), Senate tabled the amendment.

Pages 24837–24852

(2) By 25 yeas to 74 nays (Vote No. 247), Adams Amendment No. 1005, to provide additional funding for the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 and to implement programs for latchkey children.

Pages 24836, 24853–24854

(3) By 33 yeas to 64 nays (Vote No. 248), Harkin Amendment No. 1010, to reduce the amount and restrict the use of funds for election support and monitoring.

Pages 24854–24857

(4) By 32 yeas to 66 nays (Vote No. 249), Dodd Amendment No. 1001, to prohibit the National Endowment for Democracy from financing the campaigns of candidates for public office.

Pages 24858–24867

By 74 yeas to 25 nays (Vote No. 245), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on the Act.

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Desecration of the U.S. Flag—Constitutional Amendment: Senate continued consideration of S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

Pages 24818–24835

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for a vote to occur on final passage of the resolution on Thursday, October 19, at 11 a.m.

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Senate will continue consideration of the resolution on Wednesday, October 18, at 12 noon.

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Eastern Airlines—Collective-Bargaining Units: By unanimous consent, Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective-bargaining units.

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By unanimous-consent, Senate will resume consideration of the bill on Monday, October 23.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Daniel Howard Simpson, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic.

The following-named Career Members of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period:

Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia.

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands.

The following-named persons to be Representatives of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Sam Gejdenson, of Connecticut.

Christopher H. Smith, of New Jersey.

Martin Lewis Allday, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for the remainder of the term expiring September 20, 1990.

Don R. Clay, of Maryland, to be Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste, Environmental Protection Agency.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

A routine list in the Foreign Service.

Pages 24911-24912

Authority to Appoint Committee: The President of the Senate was authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort Roh Tae Woo, President of the Republic of Korea, into the House Chamber for a joint meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 18, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Measures Placed on Calendar: Pages 24880-24881

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Executive Reports of Committees: Page 24881

Statements on Introduced Bills: Pages 24881-24892

Additional Cosponsors: Pages 24892-24893

Amendments Submitted: Pages 24893-24895

Authority for Committees: Page 24896

Additional Statements: Pages 24896-24910

Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—250)

Pages 24836, 24853, 24854, 24857, 24867, 24877

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 8:29 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, October 18, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24911.)

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATION—COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 1729, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, receiving testimony from former Senator Thomas F. Eagleton, St. Louis, Missouri; Wendy L. Gramm, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission; Karsten Mahlmann, Chicago Board of Trade, and Leo Melamed, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, both of Chicago, Illinois; and Z. Lou Guttman, New York Mercantile Exchange, and Robert E. Fink, Commodity Exchange, Inc., both of New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of James R. Locher, III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, Terrence O'Donnell, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense, Edson G. Case, of Maryland, John W. Crawford, Jr., of Maryland, Herbert Kouts, of New York, A.J. Eggenberger, of Montana, and John T. Conway, of New York, each to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, and 37 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Messrs. Case, Crawford, Kouts, Eggenberger, and Conway, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

PANAMA

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded closed hearings on recent events in Panama, after receiving testimony from Gen. Maxwell R. Thurman, USA, Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command.

BANKING INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the condition of the banking system in the United States, focusing on the condition of State chartered banks, receiving testimony from California State Superintendent of Banks James E. Gilleran, San Francisco; Connecticut State Banking Commissioner Howard B. Brown, Hartford; Florida State Comptroller Gerald Lewis, Tallahassee; and Texas State Banking Commissioner Kenneth W. Littlefield, Austin.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, October 25.

ADVANCED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on the development of high speed rail and magnetically levitated (maglev) transportation systems in the United States, after receiving testimony from Senator Reid; Gilbert E. Carmichael, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; Paul Reistrup, Monongahela Railway Company, Brownsville, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the High Speed Rail Association; Richard Katz, California-Nevada Super Speed Train Commission, Playa Del Ray, California; and Richard A. Uher, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

METHANOL

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings on the role of methanol as a potential alternative fuel in our future energy policy, receiving testimony from William G. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation, Richard D. Wilson, Director, Office of Mobile Sources, and Charles L. Gray, Jr., Director, Emission Control Technology Division (Ann Arbor, Michigan), all of the Environmental Protection Agency; Linda G. Stuntz, Deputy Under Secretary for Policy, Planning and Analysis, and Carmen DiFiglio, Acting Director, Policy Integration, both of the Department of Energy; Robert M. Friedman, Senior Associate, Oceans and Environment Program, and Steven E. Plotkin, Senior Associate, Energy Materials Program, both of the Office of Technology Assessment; Donald R. Buist, Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan; Theodore R. Eck, Amoco Corporation, Chicago, Illinois; and James MacKenzie, World Resources Institute, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HIGHWAY FATALITIES

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation, and Infrastructure concluded hearings on S. 1007, to examine the reduction of apportionment of Federal-aid highway funds to certain states, relating to highway fatality and injury reduction, after receiving testimony from Virginia State Senator Charles L. Waddell, Sterling, representing the National Conference of State Legislatures; Susan P. Baker, Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health, Baltimore, Maryland, representing the American Public Health Association and Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety; B.J. Campbell, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Carl P. Valenziano, Bay State Medical Center, Springfield, Massachusetts, representing the American Trauma Society and the American College of Surgeons; Robert K. Anzinger, Good Samaritan Hospital, Downers Grove, Illinois, representing the American College of Emergency Physicians; Brian O'Neill, Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, Arlington, Virginia; David C. Viano, Association for the Advancement of Automotive Medicine, Des Plaines, Illinois, representing the National Head Injury Foundation; Ralph Hingson, Boston University School of Public Health, Boston, Massachusetts; Robert Ford, Massachusetts Freedom First, Swampscott; Robert Rasor, American Motorcyclist Association, Westerville, Ohio; Michael Williams Farabaugh, Granger, Indiana, representing the Motorcycle Riders Foundation, Inc.; James V. Ouellet, University of South California, Los Angeles; Paul Jones, Raleigh, North Carolina, representing the National Association of Governors' Highway Safety Representatives; and Charles L. Spilman, Traffic Safety Now, Inc., Detroit, Michigan.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Conrad K. Cyr, of Maine, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit Court of Appeals, Rebecca Beach Smith, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, Marvin J. Garbis, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, Stuart M. Gerson, of Maryland, to be Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice, Gene McNary, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, Department of Justice, Jeffrey R. Howard, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Hampshire, Robert W. Genzman, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida, Michael D. McKay, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington, and Herbert M. Rutherford III, to

be United States Marshal for the District of Columbia; and

S.J. Res. 159, to designate April 22, 1990 as Earth Day, and to set aside the day for public activities promoting preservation of the global environment;

S.J. Res. 164, to designate the year 1990, as the "International Year of Bible Reading";

S.J. Res. 177, to designate October 29, 1989, as "Fire Safety at Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day";

S.J. Res. 181, to establish calendar year 1992 as the "Year of Clean Water";

S.J. Res. 184, to designate the periods commencing on November 26, 1989 and ending on December 2, 1989, and commencing on November 28, 1990 and ending on December 2, 1990, as "National Home Care Week", with amendments;

S.J. Res. 186, to designate the week of March 1-7, 1990 as "National Quarter Horse Week";

S.J. Res. 194, to designate November 12-18, 1989 as "National Glaucoma Awareness Week"; and

S.J. Res. 212, to designate April 24, 1989, as "National Day of Remembrance of the Seventy-Fifty Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide of 1915-1923".

Also, the committee ordered reported, without recommendation, S. 32, to establish constitutional procedures for the imposition of the sentence of death, with amendments.

SMALL BUSINESS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings on the Regulatory Flexibility Act (P.L. 96-354) and its impact on small business, after receiving testimony from Representatives Sisisky, Upton and Ireland; Frank S. Swain, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration; Sally L. Douglas, National Federation of Independent Business, and John S. Satagaj, Small Business Legislative Council, both of Washington, DC; John H. Vandel, Vandel Drugs, Torrington, Wyoming, representing the National Association of Retail Drug-gists; Glen Cahilly, Lancaster Laboratories, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; and Bernard S. Browning, General Business Services, Germantown, Maryland, representing the National Small Business United.

AUTHORIZATION—INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, S. 1324, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the intelligence community.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 6 public bills, H.R. 3478-3483 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs entitled, "Report of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs pursuant to section 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974" (H. Rept. 101-289); and

H. Res. 257, denouncing the adoption of the European Community of a restrictive broadcasting directive, amended (H. Rept. 101-290).

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Johnson of South Dakota wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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Canadian Parliamentary Welcome: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 76, welcoming members of the Canadian Parliament on their visit to the Capitol—clearing the measure.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Anti-trust criminal penalties: H.R. 3341, amended, to amend the Sherman Act to increase the fines that may be imposed for a violation of such Act;

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Oil and gas farmout agreements: H.R. 3152, to amend title 11 of the United States Code to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons;

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Immigration laws regarding longshoremen: H.R. 2138, amended, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the application of employer sanctions to longshore work;

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Immigration law relief for nurses: H.R. 3259, amended, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers;

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Controlled substances: H.R. 2806, amended, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative amendments; and

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Democracy and human rights in Burma: S. Con. Res. 61, amended, in support of human rights and democracy in Burma—clearing the measure.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight on Wednesday, October 18, to file a conference report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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D.C. Appropriations: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment No. 15 to H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the Government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

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Treasury/Postal Service Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 383 yeas to 30 nays, Roll No. 291, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 10, 21, 35, 51, 53, 55, 60, 68, 73, 77, 86, 93, 95, 97, 98, 100, 108, and 109.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 2, 4, 13, 17, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 31, 34, 38, 40, 42, 65, 66, 67, 71, 74, 78, 107, 110, 117, 124, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 138, 143, 148, 167, 168, 172, 175, 177, 185, 191, 194, 201, 202, and 203—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on page 24799. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SEAFOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing to review issues associated with seafood safety and inspection. Testimony was heard from Representatives Glickman and Dorgan of North Dakota; Jo Ann Smith,

Assistant Secretary, Marketing and Inspection Service, USDA; Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; James W. Brennan, Office of the Administrator, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Held a hearing on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC.

Hearings continue October 24.

CONSUMER ACCESS TO BASIC FINANCIAL SERVICES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee Consumer Affairs and Coinage held a hearing to consider consumer access to basic financial services such as government check cashing and low-cost checking services. Testimony was heard from Senator Metzenbaum; John LaWare, member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; William Douglas, Commissioner, Financial Management Services, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations and the Subcommittee on Civil Service of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service continued joint hearings on The Department of State in the Twenty-First Century, Part II, Personnel. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Foreign Service, Department of State: Ambassador Edward J. Perkins, Director General and Director of Personnel; Joanne Thompson, Office of International Programs and Andres Onate, both Foreign Service Officers; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue October 24.

INTERNATIONAL DRUG INTERDICTION ACTIVITIES AND ANDEAN INITIATIVE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security and the Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture held a joint hearing on International Drug Interdiction Activities and Andean Initiative. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Stephen Duncan, Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs and Coordinator for Drug Enforcement Policy and Support; and Gen. Thomas Kelly, Director, Operations, Joint Chiefs of Staff; Michael Lane, Acting Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; Adm.

Paul A. Yost, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Frank Conahan, Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs, GAO; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Personnel and Police met to consider pending business.

NEVADA WILDERNESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2066, Nevada Wilderness Act of 1989; S. 974, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989; H.R. 2320, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 2352, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Senators Reid and Bryan; Representatives Vucanovich and Bilbray; Larry Henson, Associate Deputy Chief, National Forests, Forest Service, USDA; RAdm. Steven R. Briggs, USN, Commander, Light Attack Wing, U.S. Pacific Fleet, Department of Defense; Brian MacKay, Attorney General, State of Nevada; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Population held an oversight hearing on the census adjustment lawsuit settlement agreement. Testimony was heard from Mark Plant, Deputy Under Secretary, Department of Commerce; and the following officials of the Government Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress: Daniel Melnick, Specialist, Federal Statistical Policy; and David C. Huckabee, Analyst, American National Government; and public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE DUE PROCESS AMENDMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service approved for full Committee action H.R. 3086, Civil Service Due Process Amendments.

POLISH AND HUNGARIAN DEMOCRACY INITIATIVE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 3 hours of debate on H.R. 3402, Polish and Hungarian Democracy Initiative of 1989. Clause 2(L)(6) of Rule XI is waived against consideration of the bill. The rule makes it in order to consider the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Foreign Affairs Committee now printed in the bill as original text for the purpose of amendment. The substitute is to be considered by titles instead of by sections, with each title considered as having

been read. The amendment printed in the report accompanying this resolution is considered to have been adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairmen Fascell and Rostenkowski and Representatives Hamilton, Kaptur, Broomfield, Wylie, Tauke, Roberts and Grandy.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND FINANCE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2494, International Development and Finance Act of 1989. The rule makes in order the Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs amendment in the nature of a substitute as original text for the purpose of amendment, to be considered by titles with each title considered as having been read. Clause 7 of Rule XVI is waived against the bill. The rule makes it in order to consider en bloc the amendments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, if offered by Chairman Fauntroy, or his designee. The amendments en bloc are not subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Gonzalez and Representatives Fauntroy, Wylie, Leach of Iowa and Bunning.

CENTRAL AMERICAN STUDIES TEMPORARY RELIEF ACT

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H.R. 45, Central American Studies Relief Act of 1989.

Prior to this action, the Committee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Chairman Brooks and Representatives Glickman, Oakar, and Smith of Texas.

CHINESE TEMPORARY PROTECTED STATUS ACT

Committee on Rules: Testimony was heard from Chairman Brooks and Representatives Glickman, Oakar, Morrison of Connecticut, and Smith of Texas, but no action was taken on H.R. 2929, Chinese Temporary Protected Status Act of 1989.

ENTERPRISE ZONE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the Administration's enterprise zone proposals, including consideration of H.R. 6, Enterprise Zone Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Schulze and Dorgan of North Dakota; Jack Kemp, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Kenneth Gideon, Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Eleanor Chelimsky, Assistant Comptroller General,

Program Evaluation and Methodology Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITY—RESTRICTIVE BROADCASTING DIRECTIVE

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H. Res. 257, denouncing the adoption by the European Community of a restrictive broadcasting directive.

COUNTERNARCOTICS INTELLIGENCE

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Counternarcotics Intelligence. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AGRICULTURE RESEARCH

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry's Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation concluded joint hearings with the House Committee on Agriculture's Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research, and Foreign Agriculture on the national initiative for research on agriculture, food and the environment, after receiving testimony from Bob Thompson, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana; Bob Goodman, Calgene, Inc., Davis, California; Richard Stuckey, National Association of Wheat Growers, Andy Jordan, National Cotton Council, and James Martin, National Cattlemen's Association, all of Washington, DC.

APPROPRIATIONS—VA/HUD

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2916, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and certain independent agencies.

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Wednesday, October 18, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24930–25057

Measures Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1767–1768, and S. Con. Res. 77.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–167)

S. 724, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, water, and natural resources within the park, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–168)

S. 1277, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit the acquisition of a controlling interest in an air carrier unless the Secretary of Transportation has made certain determinations concerning the effect of such acquisition on aviation safety, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101–169)

S.J. Res. 159, to designate April 22, 1990 as Earth Day, and to set aside the day for public activities promoting preservation of the global environment.

S.J. Res. 164, designating 1990 as the "International Year of Bible Reading".

S.J. Res. 177, designating October 29, 1989, as "Fire Safety At Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day".

S.J. Res. 181, to establish calendar year 1992 as the "Year of Clean Water".

S.J. Res. 184, to designate the periods commencing on November 26, 1989, and ending on December 2, 1989, and commencing on November 28, 1990, and ending on December 2, 1990, as "National Home Care Week", with amendments.

S.J. Res. 186, designating the week of March 1 through March 7, 1990 as "National Quarter Horse Week".

S.J. Res. 194, designating November 12–18, 1989 as "National Glaucoma Awareness Week".

S.J. Res. 212, designating April 24, 1990, as "National Day of Remembrance of the Seventy-Fifth Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide of 1915–1923".

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Measures Passed:

California Earthquake: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 77, expressing the sense of the Congress with regard to the major earthquake which occurred in the San Francisco Bay area on October 17, 1989.

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Patient Account Management Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.J. Res. 380, designating October 4, 1989, as "Patient Account Management Day", and the resolution was then passed.

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Desecration of the U.S. Flag—Constitutional Amendment: Senate continued consideration of S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitu-

tion of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

Pages 24941, 24942-24952, 24975-24990

Senate will continue consideration of the resolution on Thursday, October 19, with a vote to occur thereon at 11 a.m.

Impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, resumed consideration of the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, of the Southern District of Florida.

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Senate will continue in closed session, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, the consideration of the impeachment of Judge Hastings, on Thursday, October 19.

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Treasury-Postal Service Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2989, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 2, 4, 13, 17, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 31, 34, 38, 40, 42, 65, 66, 67, 71, 74, 78, 107, 110, 117, 124, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 138, 143, 148, 167, 168, 172, 175, 177, 185, 191, 194, 201, 202, and 203.

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Change of Conferees: Senator Dodd was named as a conferee on H.R. 1487, Foreign Relations Authorizations Act, 1990-1991, in lieu of Senator Biden.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Terrence O'Donnell, of the District of Columbia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense.

The following-named persons to be Members of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board:

Edson G. Case, of Maryland, John W. Crawford, Jr., of Maryland, Herbert Kouts, of New York, A.J. Eggenberger, of Montana, and John T. Conway, of New York.

James R. Locher III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

37 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Messages From the House:

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—6)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:57 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, October 19, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 24975.)

Committee Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1729, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, after receiving testimony from Willis Eken, Minnesota Farmers Union, St. Paul, representing the National Farmers Union; Jack Frick, National Cattlemen's Association, Scott City, Kansas; Harvey J. Sanner, American Agriculture Movement, Des Arc, Arkansas; Charles P. Nastro, Shearson Lehman Hutton, Inc., representing the Coffee, Sugar and Cocoa Exchange, and Donald B. Conlin, New York Cotton Exchange, both of New York, New York; Michael Braude, Kansas City Board of Trade, Kansas City, Missouri; James H. Lindau, Minneapolis Grain Exchange, Minneapolis, Minnesota; John M. Damgard, Futures Industry Association, Robert R. Peterson, National Grain Trade Council, and Neal P. Gillen, American Cotton Shippers Association, all of Washington, DC.

THIRD WORLD DEBT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to examine the impact of the Third World debt problem on U.S. trade with the developing world, after receiving testimony from Robert A. Mosbacher, Secretary of Commerce; Fred R. Jones, Combustion Engineering, Inc., Stamford, Connecticut; B. Mark Kenney, Caterpillar Americas Company, Peoria, Illinois; James S. Cox, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; James Lee Adams, Jr., American Soybean Association, Camilla, Georgia; and Charles McKay, Charles McKay and Associates, Inc., Miami, Florida.

BUDGET REFORM

Committee on the Budget: Committee held joint hearings with the Committee on Governmental Affairs on the following budget reform proposals:

S. 29, to establish a two-year Federal budgeting and appropriations cycle and timetable, receiving testimony from Senators Ford and Roth;

S. 532, to provide that any concurrent resolution on the budget that contains reconciliation directives shall include a directive with respect to the statutory limit on the public debt, and provisions of S. 354, to provide that during a two-year period each item of any bill making appropriations that is agreed to by both Houses of the Congress in the same form shall be enrolled as a separate joint resolution for presentation to the President, and provisions of S.J. Res. 22, proposing an amendment to the Constitution relating to Federal budget procedures, receiving testimony from Senator Exon;

S. 1752, to exclude the Social Security Trust Funds from the deficit calculation and to extend the target date from Gramm-Rudman-Hollings through fiscal year 1997, receiving testimony from Senator Heinz;

Provisions of S. Res. 131, to revise current Senate committee structure and designations, receiving testimony from Senator Kassebaum; and

S. 1553, to grant the power to the President to reduce budget authority, receiving testimony from Senator Coats.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CHILDREN'S TELEVISION PROGRAMMING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings to examine the need to impose commercial time limits for children's television programming on cable, after receiving testimony from Brian L. Wilcox, American Psychological Association, Washington, DC; Geraldine B. Laybourne, Nickelodeon/Nick-at-Night, New York, New York; and John S. Hendricks, The Discovery Channel, Landover, Maryland.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of E. Donald Elliott, of Connecticut, and Lajuana S. Wilcher, of Kentucky, each to be an Assistant Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Elliott was introduced by Senator Lugar, and Mr. Wilcher was introduced by Senator McConnell and former Senator Marlow W. Cook.

OLIVER NORTH'S RETIREMENT PAY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings to review legal issues raised by the termination of Oliver North's retirement pay, after receiving testimony from James Hinchman, General Counsel, General Accounting Office; Lawrence Lamade, General Counsel, and Admiral E.D. Stumbaugh, Judge Advocate General, both of the Department of the Navy; Larry Rivers, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Washington, DC; Peter Shane, Uni-

versity of Iowa, Iowa City; and Eugene Hickok, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3484-3493; and 5 resolutions, H.J. Res. 421, 422, and H. Res. 266-268 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: H. Res. 266, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform (H. Rept. 101-291);

H. Res. 267, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the Tied Act Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to improve for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year (H. Rept. 101-292);

Report from the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct entitled "In the matter of Representative Jim Bates" (H. Rept. 101-293);

H.R. 2095, to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to reauthorize the collection of reclamation fees, amended (H. Rept. 101-294);

H.R. 2949, to authorize a study of nationally significant places in American Labor History, amended (H. Rept. 101-295);

H.R. 91, to prohibit exports of military equipment to countries supporting international terrorism, amended (H. Rept. 101-296); and

Conference report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-297).

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Recess: House recessed at 10:04 a.m. and reconvened at 12:15 p.m.

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Address by the President of the Republic of Korea: The House and Senate met in a joint meeting to receive an address by the President of the Republic of Korea. President Roh Tae Woo was escorted to and from the House Chamber by Senators Mitchell, Pell, Daschle, Metzenbaum, Dole, Simpson, Stevens, Lugar and Murkowski; and by Representatives Gephardt, Fascal, Bonior, Hoyer, Solarz,

Michel, Gingrich, Broomfield, Lewis of California and Solomon.

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International Development and Finance: By a yea-and-nay vote of 280 yeas to 125 nays, Roll No. 293, the House passed H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriations of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the Tied Aid Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Fauntroy amendment that strikes language which eliminates direct oversight by the Treasury Department of Eximbank's Tied-Aid Fund; requirements that the International Monetary Fund add additional staff covering poverty and environmental issues; and permits reimbursement to Eximbank employees for outside services;

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The McCollum amendment, as amended by the Moody amendment, that prohibits the extension of credit by the Eximbank to Angola if the President cannot certify fair and free elections; and limits the restrictive requirements to those imposed on all other countries;

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The Guarini amendment that directs the United States Executive Directors of the Multilateral Development Banks to give preference for loans to those countries which have shown marked improvement in combating drug trafficking and production; and

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The Solarz amendment that strikes language that imposes restrictions on loans to Laos.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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The Clerk was authorized to make necessary technical and clerical corrections in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 267, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Budget Reconciliation: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990; and asked for a conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on the Budget, for consideration of the House bill (except title XI and sections 10181 through 10191), and the Senate amendment (except title VI), and modifications committed to conference, and as exclusive conferees with respect to any proposal to report in total disagreement:

Representatives Panetta, Gephardt, Russo, Leath of Texas, Schumer, Boxer, Slattery, Frenzel, Gradison, Goodling, and Denny Smith.

From the Committee on the Budget, for consideration of title XI and sections 10181 through 10191 of the House bill, and title VI of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Panetta, Gephardt, Russo, Jenkins, Guarini, Frenzel, Gradison, and Thomas of California.

From the Committee on Agriculture, for consideration of title I of the House bill, and title I of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives de la Garza, Glickman, Stenholm, Huckaby, Brown of California, English, Condit, Madigan, Coleman of Missouri, Stangeland, and Schuette.

From the Committee on Agriculture, for consideration of subtitle B of title VI (except section 6131) of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives de la Garza, Huckaby, Volkmer, Olin, Stallings, Harris, Sarpalius, Marlenee, Morrison of Washington, Robert F. Smith, and Herger.

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of title II of the House bill, and title II of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gonzalez, Annunzio, Fauntroy, Garcia, Morrison of Connecticut, Erdreich, Kanjorski, Wylie, Bereuter, Roth, and Paxon.

From the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of sections 3000 through 3009 of the House bill, and subtitle B of title VIII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Williams, Ford of Michigan, Owens of New York, Hayes of Illinois, Perkins, Gaydos, Coleman of Missouri, Gunderson, Henry, and Smith of Vermont.

From the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of sections 3051 through 3201 of the House bill, and subtitle A of title VIII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Clay, Ford of Michigan, Kildee, Miller of California, Hayes of Illinois, Owens of New York, Roukema, Bartlett, Fawell, and Ballenger.

From the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of subtitles D and E of title III of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hawkins, Ford of Michigan, Kildee, Williams, Owens of New York, Sawyer, Lowey of New York, Tauke, Petri, Gunderson, and Grandy.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of subtitles A through E of title IV, subtitle B of title X (except sections

10101-10112, 10171, 10181, and 10182), and sections 10003, 10005, (except subsection (c)), 10077(d), 10226, 10233, and 10248 of the House bill, and sections 4001 through 4013, 5201 through 5401, 5501, and 5601 (insofar as it relates to title XIX of the Social Security Act) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dingell, Waxman, Scheuer, Wyden, Bruce, Rowland of Georgia, Hall of Texas, Lent, Madigan, Dannemeyer, and Whittaker: Provided, That Representative Tauke is appointed in place of Representative Dannemeyer for consideration of sections 4001 and 10123 of the House bill, and Representative Bilirakis is appointed in place of Representative Whittaker for consideration of sections 10183 through 10191 of the House bill, and Representative Neilson of Utah is appointed in place of Representative Whittaker for consideration of subtitles C and D of title IV and sections 10226, 10233, and 10248 of the House bill and section 5501 of the Senate amendment.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of subtitle F of title IV and section 6001 of the House bill, and section 4101 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dingell, Sharp, Walgren, Tauzin, Cooper, Richardson, Bryant, Lent, Moorhead, Dannemeyer, and Fields.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for considerations of subtitles G and H of title IV of the House bill and section 301 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dingell, Markey, Swift, Collins, Eckart, Boucher, Manton, Lent, Rinaldo, Tauke, and Bliley: Provided, That Representatives Ritter and Oxley are appointed in place of Representatives Tauke and Bliley for consideration of subtitle G of title IV of the House bill.

From the Committee on Government Operations, for consideration of title V and section 8001 of the House bill, and section 7001 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Conyers, Collins, Neal of North Carolina, Erdreich, Bustamante, Kleczka, Boxer, Kyl, Shays, Smith of Vermont, and Clinger.

From the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, for consideration of subtitle F of title IV and title VI of the House bill, and section 4101 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Udall, Miller of California, Markey, Murphy, Rahall, Vento, Williams, Young of Alaska, Craig, Hansen, and Vucanovich.

From the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, for consideration of section 4201 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Udall, Miller of California, and Young of Alaska.

From the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, for consideration of title VII of the House bill, and sections 302(b), 303, and 4201 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Jones of North Carolina, Studds, Hughes, Tauzin, Foglietta, Hertel, Dyson, Davis, Young of Alaska, Shumway, and Fields.

From the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, for consideration of titles V and VIII and sections 10004(a) and 10004(b) of the House bill, and title VII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ford of Michigan, Clay, Schroeder, Oakar, Sikorski, McCloskey, Ackerman, Gilman, Horton, Young of Alaska, and Ridge.

From the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, for consideration of sections 302(a), 304, and 4301 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Anderson, Roe, Mineta, Oberstar, Nowak, Rahall, Applegate, Hammerschmidt, Shuster, Stangeland, and Clinger.

From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of title IX and section 11650 (except subsection (a)) of the House bill, and title IX of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Montgomery, Edwards of California, Applegate, Evans, Penny, Staggers, Rowland of Georgia, Stump, Hammerschmidt, Wylie, and McEwen.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of subtitle B of title III and title XI (except sections 11901 through 11903) of the House bill, and title VI and sections 302, 4004 through 4013, and 8001 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Rangel, Stark, Ford of Tennessee, Downey, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane, and Schulze.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of subtitle A of title IV, sections 4101 (insofar as it relates to section 1142 of the Social Security Act), 4111, and 4121 (insofar as it relates to section 1142 of the Social Security Act), and title X (except sections 10181 through 10191) of the House bill, and title V (except section 5501) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Pickle, Rangel, Stark, Jacobs, Downey, Crane, Brown of Colorado, Chandler, and Shaw.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of sections 10181 through 10191 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Stark, Donnelly, Coyne, Pickle, Anthony, Levin of Michigan, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane, and Schulze.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of sections 11901 through 11903 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Downey, Ford of Tennessee, Pease, Matsui, Kennelly, Andrews, Schulze, Shaw, Sundquist, and Johnson of Connecticut.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of section 304 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Downey, and McGrath.

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Rejected the Frenzel motion to instruct conferees to recede from those provisions of the House passed bill which would for either of fiscal years 1990 and 1991 result in a revenue decrease; recede from those provisions of the House passed bill which would result in an increase in obligations of the government over those currently authorized for either of the fiscal years 1990 and 1991; recede from those provisions of the House passed bill which would have no budgetary impact; and to insist on the House passed catastrophic health care provisions and the House passed "Section 8" repeal" provisions (rejected by a ye-and-nay vote of 181 yeas to 228 nays, Roll. No. 292).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two ye-and-nay votes developed in the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 25091, 25111. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on the following development programs: Urban Development Action Grant; Economic Development Administration; and Enterprise Zones. Testimony was heard from Representatives Traficant, Rahall, and Espy; and public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power continued hearings on Clean Air Act reauthorization. Testimony was heard from Senator Coats; Representatives Dorgan of North Dakota and Wise; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EXPORT PROMOTION ACTIVITIES OF U.S. GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a

hearing on Export Promotion Activities of U.S. Government Agencies. Testimony was heard from Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy, and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; J. Michael Farren, Under Secretary, International Trade, Department of Commerce; Eugene J. McAllister, Assistant Secretary, Economic and Business Affairs, Department of State; William Becker, Associate Administrator, Special Programs, SBA; and public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL DRUG INTERDICTION ACTIVITIES AND ANDEAN INITIATIVE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security and the Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture continued joint hearings on International Drug Interdiction Activities and Andean Initiative. Testimony was heard from John Walters, Principal Deputy, Office of National Drug Control Policy; Parker Borg, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotic Matters, Department of State; Terrence Burke, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported the following measures: H. Con. Res. 167, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Women in Congress"; H. Con. Res. 168, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "The U.S. Capitol: A Brief Architectural History"; H. Con. Res. 169, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Origins of the House of Representatives: A Documentary Record"; H. Con. Res. 170, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Black Americans in Congress"; H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing the printing of the brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made"; H.J. Res. 357, for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; H.J. Res. 358, providing for the reappointment of Jeannine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; S. Con. Res. 74, to establish a U.S. Congressional gift of democracy to Poland in the form of equipment and training for the Polish Sejm and Senate; and H.R. 2668, amended, National American Indian Museum Act.

VISUAL ARTISTS RIGHTS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held a hearing on H.R. 2690, Visual Artists Rights Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Markey; Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

MERCHANT MARINE AND DEFENSE ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and the Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials of the Committee on Armed Services held a joint hearing on H.R. 2463, Merchant Marine and Defense Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Warren E. Leback, Administrator, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation; Jack Katzen, Assistant Secretary, Production and Logistics, Department of Defense; former Senator Jeremiah Denton, former Chairman, Commission on Merchant Marine and Defense; and former members of the Commission.

VOTING SECURITIES OF AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers.

**OFFICE OF HISTORIAN OF THE HOUSE;
ACCESS TO PAPERS OF THE HOUSE**

Committee on Rules: Subcommittee on Rules of the House held a hearing on the following: H. Res. 209, amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to transfer the Office of the Historian of the House of Representatives to the Clerk; and on the concerns and issues that have arisen with respect to access to the papers of the House under the newly enacted 30 year rule. Testimony was heard from Representative Boggs; Lewis Bellardo, Director, Center for Legislative Archives, National Archives and Records Administration; from the following officials of the U.S. House of Representatives: Donald K. Anderson, Clerk; and Raymond W. Smock, Historian.

**HYDROGEN RESEARCH AND
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials and the Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a joint hearing on H.R. 2793, to establish a hydrogen research and development program. Testimony was heard from Representative Akaka; Robert San Martin, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Renewable Energy, Department of Energy; Leonard A. Harris, Chief Engineer, NASA; and public witnesses.

**THE FUTURE OF THE AMERICAN
ENTERPRISE ECONOMY**

Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on "The Future of the American Enterprise Economy". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

**IN THE MATTER OF REPRESENTATIVE
JIM BATES**

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and adopted a Report In the Matter of Representative Jim Bates.

VETERANS LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3199, Veterans Health Professionals Educational Amendments of 1989; and H.R. 3390, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to certain veterans education programs.

ENTERPRISE ZONE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on the Administration's enterprise zone proposals, including consideration of H.R. 6, Enterprise Zone Improvement Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Stangeland and Hoagland; and public witnesses.

COUNTERNARCOTICS INTELLIGENCE

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Counternarcotics Intelligence. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, October 19, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine Proceedings, pages 25241-25303

Measures Introduced: Five bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1769-1773, S. Res. 196, and S.J. Res. 216.

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Measure Rejected:

Desecration of the U.S. Flag—Constitutional Amendment: By 51 yeas to 48 nays (Vote No. 251), two-thirds of those Senators duly chosen and voting, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected S.J. Res. 180, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

Pages 25243-25256

Impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, continued consideration, in closed session, of the impeachment of

Judge Alcee L. Hastings, of the Southern District of Florida.

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Senate will continue, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, the consideration of the impeachment of Judge Hastings, on Friday, October 20, with votes to occur on the articles of impeachment.

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Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: By 67 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 252), Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 25259-25273

Senate concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments numbered 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 26, 27, 28, 29, 33, 36, 37, 44, 51, 57, 59, 64, 71, 75, 76, 77, 78, 84, 87, 90, 91, 93, 94, 101, 104, 108, 111, 114, 119, 123, 128, 129, 132, 139, 141, 156, 172, and 176.

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Budget Reconciliation: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990, agreed to a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed conferees, as follows:

From the Committee on the Budget: Senators Sasser, Riegle, Lautenberg, Simon, Sanford, Fowler, Dodd, Domenici, Armstrong, Boschwitz, Grassley, and Kasten.

From the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry: Senators Leahy, Pryor, Boren, Lugar, and Dole.

From the Committee on Armed Services: Senators Nunn, Exon, and Warner.

From the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Senators Riegle, Cranston, Sarbanes, Dodd, Sasser, Garn, Heinz, D'Amato, and Gramm.

From the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Senators Hollings, Inouye, Ford, Danforth, and Packwood.

From the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Senators Johnston, Bumpers, Metzenbaum, Bingaman, Wirth, McClure, Domenici, Wallop, and Murkowski.

From the Committee on Environment and Public Works: Senators Burdick, Moynihan, Baucus, Breaux, Chafee, Simpson, and Durenberger.

From the Committee on Finance: Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Baucus, Mitchell, Riegle, Rockefeller, Packwood, Dole, Roth, Danforth, Chafee, and Heinz.

From the Committee on Governmental Affairs: Senators Glenn, Pryor, Sasser, Roth, and Stevens.

From the Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Senators Kennedy, Pell, Metzenbaum, Dodd, Hatch, Kassebaum, and Jeffords.

From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Senators Cranston, Matsunaga, and Murkowski.

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Subsequently, Senators Bradley and Garn were added as conferees on behalf of the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, in lieu of Senators Bingaman and Domenici.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting an alternative sequester report for the Department of Defense, as recommended by the Secretary of Defense, for Fiscal Year 1990, together with a proposed joint resolution that provides for adoption of the report, which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations, Committee on the Budget, and the Committee on Armed Services. (PM-66)

Pages 25276-25277

Transmitting a report on developments with respect to the national emergency in Panama, which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-67)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

Barry M. Goldwater, Sr., of Arizona, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1992.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Executive Reports of Committees:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—7)

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—252)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 9:35 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Friday, October 20,

1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 25303.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of James E. Cason, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Natural Resources and the Environment.

Also, committee approved a Soil Conservation Service plan for the White Creek Watershed in Mississippi.

CONSUMER OZONE PROTECTION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on S. 870, to label consumer products containing substances that contribute to the depletion of the ozone layer in the upper atmosphere, to regulate the sale, distribution, and use of such substances in consumer products and services in and affecting interstate commerce, and to recapture and recycle such substances, receiving testimony from Robert T. Watson, Chief, Upper Atmosphere, Research, Tropospheric Chemistry Branch, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Oregon State Fire Marshal Olin L. Greene, Salem, on behalf of the National Association of Fire Marshals; Irving Mintzer, University of Maryland, College Park; Liz Cook, Friends of the Earth, Washington, DC; Arthur G. Hobbs, Jr., Mobile Air Conditioning Society, Cockeysville, Maryland; Gerald F. Stofflet, General Motors, Warren, Michigan, on behalf of the Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association; Robert M. Gants, Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers, Alexandria, Virginia; and Hoyt B. Wilder, IG-LO Products, Lexington, Kentucky, on behalf of the Automotive Refrigeration Products Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of E. Donald Elliott, of Connecticut, and LaJuana S. Wilcher, of Kentucky, each to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, S. 816, to control the release of toxic air pollutants and to reduce the threat of catastrophic chemical accidents.

SOUTH KOREAN TRADE PRACTICES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held hearings to examine the relationship between the trade policies of the Korean Government and the existence of the black market in Korea, focusing on the black marketing of U.S. goods which are imported duty-free into South Korea by the Department of Defense for the support of U.S. troops and their dependents stationed there, receiving testimony from Donna M. Heivilin, Director, Logistics Issues, and Dick Helmer, Assistant Director, both of the National Security and International Affairs Division, and Mark Little, Audit Manager, Far East Office, all of the General Accounting Office; Col. William D. Hughes, USA, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff, U.S. Forces, Korea; Col. James B. Donahoe, USAF, Commander, Army and Air Force Exchange Service-Pacific; Sandra Kristoff, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Asia and the Pacific; and Scott Goddin, Director, Korea-Taiwan Division, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 3494-3504; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 214 and H. Res. 269-270 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H. Res. 270, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-298).

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Aid to Poland and Hungary: By a yea-and-nay vote of 345 yeas to 47 nays, Roll No. 295, the House passed H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform.

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Agreed to:

The Leach of Iowa amendment that allows up to \$8 million for Poland and \$2 million for Hungary of the private enterprise funds proposed to be used for developing credit unions in those countries, which funds, if not used for that purpose, would be used for other private sector projects; and

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The Cox en bloc amendments that set forth United States policy objectives towards Poland and Hungary; set requirements regarding the composi-

tion of the board of directors of the nonprofit private enterprise funds (a majority of the funds are required to be United States, Polish, or Hungarian); and specifies that venture capital should be encouraged to match the private enterprise funds.

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Rejected:

The Grandy amendment that sought to waive cargo preference requirements for food assistance to Poland, thus permitting all of the aid to be carried on whichever flag ship is less costly; and

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The Kaptur substitute to the Grandy amendment that sought to reduce the bill's cargo preference requirements from 75% to 50% of the amount of food to be carried on United States flag ships. (Rejected by a recorded vote of 170 ayes to 228 noes, Roll No. 294.)

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The Clerk was authorized to correct sections numbers, cross references, punctuation, and grammatical and spelling errors, to make necessary revisions in the table of contents, and to make such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary.

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H. Res. 266, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight on Friday, October 23, to file a conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Presidential Message—National Emergency Regarding Panama: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits his report on recent developments concerning the national emergency with respect to Panama, since the prior report of April 6—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. No. 101-100).

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Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 25223, 25228. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FIFRA AMENDMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing to review proposals to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PLAN TO MAKE FIRREA AND THE RTC SUCCEED

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force held a hearing on the development of the Oversight Board's Strategic Plan and proposals for the Plan to make FIRREA and the RTC succeed. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CLEAN AIR ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy and Power concluded hearings on Clean Air Act reauthorization. Testimony was heard from Linda G. Stuntz, Deputy Under Secretary, Policy, Planning and Analysis, Department of Energy; William G. Rosenberg, Assistant Administrator, Air and Radiation, EPA; Bob Friedman, Project Director, Energy and Materials Program, OTA; and public witnesses.

MOUSE RESEARCH LABORATORY; NUTRITION LABELING AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended S. 1390, to authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory.

The Subcommittee also began markup of H.R. 3028, Nutrition Labeling and Education Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

FINANCING COASTAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Oceanography and Great Lakes held a joint hearing on Financing Coastal Programs: Title VI of H.R. 2647, Coastal Defense Initiative of 1989; and alternative funding mechanisms. Testimony was heard from David Montgomery, Assistant Director, Natural Resources and Commerce Division, CBO; Paul Levy, Executive Director, Water Resources Authority, State of Massachusetts; Eric Evenson, Director, Division of Water Resources, Department of Environmental Protection, State of New Jersey; Fred Olson, Deputy Director, Department of Ecology, State of Washington; and a public witness.

REAL ESTATE ACQUISITION PROGRAM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the Postal Service Real Estate Acquisition Program. Testimony was heard from L. Nye Stevens, Director, Government Business Operations Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and Stanley W. Smith, Assistant Postmaster General, Facilities Department, U.S. Postal Service.

COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2459, Coast Guard Authorization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Chairman Jones and Representative Tauzin.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; REPORTS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1216, Renewable Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989; and H.R. 2581, Aviation Research Grants Act of 1989.

The Committee also approved the following reports: "Oversight of the National Science Foundation"; and "Setting Priorities in Science and Technology."

URANIUM ENRICHMENT REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on H.R. 2480, Uranium Enrichment Reorganization Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MAPPING THE HUMAN GENOME

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a hearing on International Cooperation in Mapping the Human Genome. Testimony was heard from Dr. James D. Watson, Director, National Center, Human Genome Research, NIH, Department of Health and Human Services; Robert W. Wood, Acting Associate Director, Office of Health and Environmental Research, Department of Energy; and a public witness.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY TAXATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures held a hearing on the Treasury Department's report on Life Insurance Company Taxation. Testimony was heard from Representative Downey; Kenneth Gideon, Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; Jennie S. Stathis, Director, Tax Policy and Administration Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

COUNTERNARCOTICS INTELLIGENCE

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to conclude hearings on Counternarcotics Intelligence. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Meetings**DEREGULATION**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the economic successes and failures of deregulation, receiving testimony from Alfred Kahn, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, former Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Darius Gaskins, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, former Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Lawrence J. White, New York University, New York, New York, former Member, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE/JUSTICE/STATE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2991, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

NATIONALITIES POLICY

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe (Helsinki Commission): Commission concluded hearings to examine recent developments in Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia, and the broader issue of Soviet nationalities policy and implications for Soviet and U.S. policy in the region, after receiving testimony from James F. Dobbins, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs; Stasys Lozoraitis, Jr., Charge d'Affaires, Lithuanian Legation, Anatol Dinbergs, Charge d'Affaires, Latvian Legation, and Ernst Jaakson, Consul General, Estonian Legation, all of Washington, DC; and William J.H. Hough, Walter, Constan, Alexander and Green, New York, New York.

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Friday, October 20, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25328-25381

Measures Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1774-1779, S.J. Res. 217-219.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 32, to establish constitutional procedures for the imposition of the sentence of death, without recommendation, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-170)

H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

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Measures Passed:

Earth Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 159, to designate April 22, 1990, as Earth Day, and to set aside the day for public activities promoting preservation of the global environment.

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International Year of Bible Reading: Senate passed S.J. Res. 164, designating 1990 as the "International Year of Bible Reading".

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Fire Safety at Home: Senate passed S.J. Res. 177, to designate October 29, 1989, as "Fire Safety At Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day".

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Year of Clean Water: Senate passed S.J. Res. 181, to establish calendar year 1992 as the "Year of Clean Water".

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National Home Care Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 184, to designate the periods commencing on November 26, 1989, and ending on December 2, 1989, and commencing on November 28, 1990, and ending on December 2, 1990, as "National Home Care Week", after agreeing to committee amendments.

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National Quarter Horse Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 186, designating the week of March 1 through March 7, 1990, as "National Quarter Horse Week".

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National Glaucoma Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 194, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "National Glaucoma Awareness Week".

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Impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, in the matter of the impeachment of Judge Alcee L. Hastings, of the

Southern District of Florida, took the following action:

Pages 25329-25335

Article I, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings engaged in a corrupt conspiracy to obtain \$150,000 from defendants in *United States v. Romano*. (Vote 254) 69 guilty, 26 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article II, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 255) 68 guilty, 27 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article III, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 256) 69 guilty, 26 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article IV, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 257) 67 guilty, 28 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article V, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 258) 67 guilty, 28 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article VI, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 259) 48 guilty, 47 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present not having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is not guilty as charged in this article.

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Article VII, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 260) 69 guilty, 26 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article VIII, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 261) 68 guilty, 27 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present

having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article IX, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings made false statements in the criminal case against him and produced false documents in the above alleged conspiracy. (Vote 262) 70 guilty, 25 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is guilty as charged in this article.

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Article XVI, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings learned and revealed highly confidential information that he learned as the supervising judge of a wiretap. (Vote 263) 0 guilty, 95 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present not having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is not guilty as charged in this article.

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Article XVII, that Judge Alcee L. Hastings did undermine confidence in the integrity and impartiality of the judiciary and betray the trust of the people of the United States by conducting a corrupt relationship with William Borders of Washington, DC, by repeating false testimony under oath at Judge Hastings' criminal trial, by fabricating false documents which were submitted as evidence at his criminal trial, and by improper disclosure of confidential information acquired by him as a supervisory judge of a wiretap. (Vote 264) 60 guilty, 35 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present not having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Alcee L. Hastings is not guilty as charged in this article.

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The Court of Impeachment adjourned sine die.

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Motion To Request Attendance: During today's proceedings, the following also occurred:

By 93 yeas to 2 nays (Vote No. 253), Senate agreed to a motion to request the attendance of absent Senators.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Lajuana Sue Wilcher, of Kentucky, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

E. Donald Elliott, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

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Messages From the House:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—8)

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Record Votes: Twelve record votes were taken today. (Total—264)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 2:42 p.m., until 2:30 p.m., on Monday, October 23, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 25381.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Forrest J. Remick, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and David C. Williams, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of S. Jay Plager, of Indiana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, George W. Lindberg, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Donald B. Ayer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice, and K. Michael Moore, of Florida, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service, Department of Justice, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Plager was introduced by Senator Lugar, Mr. Lindberg was introduced by Senator Dixon and Representative Michel, and Mr. Ayer was introduced by Representative Wyden. Testimony was also received on the nomination of Mr. Plager from Frederick Ikenson, Customs and International Trade Bar Association, Washington, DC.

INDIAN FORESTS AND WOODLANDS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1289, to improve the management of forests and woodlands and the production of forest resources on Indian land, receiving testimony from Patrick Hayes, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs; Lawrence Waukau, Inter-Tribal Timber Council, and Zane Jackson, Sr., Warm Springs Tribal Council, both of Warm

Springs, Oregon; and Gary Morishima, Quinalt Business Committee, Taholah, Washington.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 423 and 424 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-299).

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Budget Reconciliation: The Speaker made the following supplemental appointments in the conference on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990:

As additional conferees, for consideration of subtitles D and E of title III of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Miller of California and Fawell.

The second panel appointed from the Committee on Education and Labor was appointed also for consideration of sections 11851 through 11894 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference.

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Presidential Message—Defense Sequestration: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits an alternative sequester report for the Department of Defense, together with a proposed joint resolution that provides for adoption of the report—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-101).

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on page 25382.

Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:21 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1780-1782.

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Eastern Airlines-Collective Bargaining Units: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

Pages 25418-25429, 25432

Pending:

Mitchell Amendment No. 1043, in the nature of a substitute.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendment proposed thereto, on Tuesday, October 24.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations: Received on Friday, October 20, during the recess:

Edward S. Walker, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates.

Edward W. Nottingham, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado.

Donald E. Kirkendall, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury.

22 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, and Navy.

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:30 p.m., and recessed at 6:11 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Tuesday, October 24, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on pages 25439-25440.)

Committee Meetings

DISASTER RELIEF

Committee on Environmental and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation and Infrastructure concluded hearings to examine current Federal disaster relief efforts, and S. 1775, to provide highway emergency relief funds for damages resulting from the recent Northern California earthquake, after receiving testimony from Senator Wilson; Brig. Gen. Patrick Kelly, Director of Civil Works, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Thomas D. Larson, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation; Lawrence Zensinger, Chief of Public Assistance Programs, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Ian Buckle, State University of New York, Buffalo; and Jameel Ahmad, Cooper Union College, New York, New York.

EDUCATION REFORM

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation held hearings to examine the availability and quality of information needed to develop and assess national educational goals and standards, receiving testimony from Christopher T. Cross, Assistant Secretary for Education Research and Improvement, Jean Griffith, Acting Director, Cross-Cutting Education Statistics and Analysis Division, and David Sweet, Director, Elementary and Secondary Outcomes Division, all of the Department of Education; Patricia A. Graham, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Chester E. Finn, Jr., Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee; Denis Doyle, Hudson Institute, Chevy Chase, Maryland; and H. Dickson Corbett, Research for Better Schools, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, November 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 4 public bills, H.R. 3505-3508; and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 425, and H. Res. 271 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 271, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-300); and

H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-301).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appoints Representative de la Garza as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

European broadcast directive: H. Res. 257, denouncing the adoption by the European Community of a restrictive broadcasting directive (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 342 yeas, Roll No. 296);

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"Gift of Democracy" for Poland: S. Con. Res. 74, amended, authorizing the "Gift of Democracy" from the United States Congress to the new Senate and Sejm in Poland. This gift is comprised of equipment and training that is determined to be most useful in helping Poland establish an effective parliamentary system. Agreed to amend the title;

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Deep seabed hard mineral resources: H.R. 2120, amended, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the Act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. Agreed to amend the title;

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Abandoned mine reclamation: H.R. 2095, amended, to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to reauthorize fee collection of reclamation fees (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 281 yeas to 63 nays, Roll No. 297); and

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Military export financing: H.R. 91, amended, to prohibit exports of military equipment to countries supporting international terrorism.

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Printing: House agreed to the following resolutions authorizing printing:

H. Con. Res. 167, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Women in Congress" as a House document;

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H. Con. Res. 168, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "The U.S. Capitol: A Brief Architectural History" as a House document;

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H. Con. Res. 169, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Origins of the House of Representatives: A Documentary Record" as a House document;

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H. Con. Res. 170, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Black Americans in Congress" as a House document; and

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H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing the printing of a brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made" as a House document.

Agreed to the Bates amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Recess: House recessed at 2:26 p.m. and reconvened at 5:01 p.m.

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Presidential Veto: Read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-102).

Agreed that consideration of the veto message be postponed until Wednesday, October 25.

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Late Report: Committee on Appropriations received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.J. Res. 423, making continuing further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

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Referrals: Seven Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 25478, 25479. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS;

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

The Committee also approved a revision of the section 302 Budget Allocation Report.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for consideration in the House of H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990. All points of order against the joint resolution and against its consideration are hereby waived. Debate on the joint resolution shall continue not to exceed 1 hour. It shall be in order to consider the amendment printed in section 2 of the resolution, the previous question shall be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten and Representatives Panetta, Fazio and Regula.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1783-1790, and S.J. Res. 220.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S.J. Res. 207, approving the location of the Memorial to the Women who served in Vietnam. (S. Rept. No. 101-171)

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Eastern Airlines-Collective Bargaining Units: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units.

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Pending:

Mitchell Amendment No. 1043, in the nature of a substitute.

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A motion was entered to close further debate on the Mitchell Amendment No. 1043, listed above, and by unanimous consent, a vote will occur on the motion at 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, October 26.

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Defense Production Act Extension: Senate concurred in the House amendments to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3281, to extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950.

Pages 25773-25774

Child Nutrition Act/National School Lunch Act: Senate concurred in the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 24, to amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to revise and extend certain authorities contained in such Acts.

Pages 25774-25790

Human Rights and Democracy in Burma: Senate concurred in the House amendments to S. Con. Res. 61, in support of basic human rights and democracy in Burma.

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Treaties Approved: The following treaties having passed through their various parliamentary stages up to and including presentation of resolutions of ratification, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative, the resolutions of ratification were agreed to:

By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 265), Treaty Doc. No. 100-8, Treaty with the United Kingdom Concerning the Cayman Islands Relating to Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

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By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 266), Treaty Doc. No. 100-13, Mutual Legal Assistance Cooperation Treaty with Mexico.

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By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 267), Treaty Doc. No. 100-14, Treaty with Canada on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

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By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 268), Treaty Doc. No. 100-16, Treaty with Belgium on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

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By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 269), Treaty Doc. No. 100-17, Treaty with The Bahamas on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

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By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 270), Treaty Doc. No. 100-18, Treaty with Thailand on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

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By unanimous-consent, the following amendments having been agreed to earlier, will be applicable to each of the aforementioned resolutions of ratification:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 1044 (in the form of an understanding) to the resolutions of ratification, to state that nothing in this treaty requires or authorizes legislation or other action by the United States of America prohibited by the Constitution of the United States.

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 1045 (in the form of an understanding) to the resolutions of ratification, to prevent the granting of assistance to foreign officials who engage in, encourage, or facilitate the production or distribution of illegal drugs.

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(3) Kerry (for Helms) Amendments Numbered 1046 through 1050 (each in the form of an understanding) to the resolutions of ratification, to prevent the granting of assistance to foreign officials who engage in, encourage, or facilitate the production or distribution of illegal drugs.

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Death Penalty for Terrorists—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of a bill on the subject of death penalty for terrorists, on Thursday, October 26, pursuant to the agreement of July 20, 1989.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Conrad K. Cyr, of Maine, to be the United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit.

Marvin J. Garbis, of Maryland, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland.

Rebecca Beach Smith, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia.

Stuart M. Gerson, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Gene McNary, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization.

Jeffrey R. Howard, of New Hampshire, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Hampshire for the term of four years.

Michael D. McKay, of Washington, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington for the term of four years.

Robert W. Genzman, of Florida, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Florida for the term of four years.

Herbert M. Rutherford III, of the District of Columbia, to be United States Marshal for the District of Columbia for the term of four years.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—270)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:39 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, October 25, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on pages. 25791-25792.)

Committee Meetings

FISH INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on proposals to provide for the establishment of a Federal fish inspection program, including S. 1245, receiving testimony from Senator Mitchell; JoAnn D. Smith, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Marketing and Inspection Services; Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; James W. Brennan, Deputy General Counsel, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; and Ellen Haas,

Public Voice, and Lee Weddig, National Fisheries Institute, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WATER QUALITY

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry: Subcommittee on Conservation and Forestry concluded oversight hearings to examine research, data collection, education, technical assistance, and regulation of ground water quality as it relates to agriculture, after receiving testimony from Senators Kohl and Kerrey; Charles M. Benbrook, Executive Director, Board of Agriculture, National Research Council; Kevin Kessler, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Madison; Gordon Kissel, Nebraska Association of Resources Districts, Lincoln; Terry L. Nipp, National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges, Jay Vroom, National Agricultural Chemical Association, and Maureen Hinkle, National Audubon Society, all of Washington, DC; Edgar W. Duskin, Southern Agricultural Chemical Association, Dawson, Georgia; Ron Rivinius, National Association of Wheat Growers, Elgin, North Dakota; and George W. Wallingford, Potash and Phosphate Institute, Atlanta, Georgia.

HOME MORTGAGE LENDING PRACTICES

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs held oversight hearings to examine discrimination practices in home mortgage lending, receiving testimony from John P. Laware, Member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; C. Austin Fitts, Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Housing; Jonathan Fiechter, Senior Deputy Director of Supervisory Policy, Office of Thrift Supervision, and Robert J. Herrmann, Senior Deputy Comptroller for Bank Supervision Policy, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, both of the Department of the Treasury; John F. Bovenzi, Deputy to the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Allen J. Fishbein, Center for Community Change, and Wade Henderson and Stephen M. Dane, both representing the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, all of Washington, DC; Arthur Johnson and Bernard Parker, both of the Ad Hoc Coalition on Fair Banking Practices, Detroit, Michigan; and Shanna L. Smith, National Fair Housing Alliance and the Toledo Fair Housing Center, Toledo, Ohio.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Jerry R. Curry, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, and Jennifer

Joy Wilson, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Curry was introduced by Senator Warner and Representative Pickett, and Ms. Wilson was introduced by Senators Warner and Robb.

NATIONAL RIVERS AND PARKS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks and Forests concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 1046, to provide for a study of the Merrimack River in New Hampshire for inclusion in the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after receiving testimony from Herbert S. Cables, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Kevin J. Coyle, American Rivers, Inc., Washington, DC; and Stephen D. Blackmer, Concord City Council, Concord, New Hampshire;

S. 1302, to increase the size of the Big Thicket National Preserve in Texas, after receiving testimony from Senator Bentsen; Representative Wilson; Mr. Cables; Maxine Johnston, Big Thicket Conservation Association, Batson, Texas; and Brenda Wright, Citizens to Save Village Creek, Beaumont, Texas;

S. 1524, to provide for a study of segments of the Pemigewasset River in New Hampshire for inclusion in the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after receiving testimony from Senator Humphrey; Mr. Cables; Mr. Coyle; Mr. Blackmer; and Patricia P. Schlesinger, Pemigewasset River Council, New Hampton, New Hampshire;

S. 1559, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania County Battlefields Memorial National Military Park, after receiving testimony from Senator Warner; Representative Slaughter; Gary W. Gallagher, Association for the Preservation of Civil War Sites, University Park, Pennsylvania; and Charles G. McDaniel, Hilldrup Moving and Storage, Fredericksburg, Virginia;

S. 1594, to revise the boundary of Gettysburg National Military Park in Pennsylvania, after receiving testimony from Senators Specter and Heinz; and Mr. Cables; and

H.R. 1472, to establish the Grand Island National Recreation Area in Michigan, after receiving testimony from Larry Henson, Associate Deputy Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

COPYRIGHT MORAL RIGHTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks held oversight hearings on copyright moral rights in films, television and other performing arts, receiving testimony from Ralph Oman, Register of Copyrights, Library of Congress; Peter Nolan, Walt Disney Company, Bur-

bank, California, representing the Motion Picture Association of America; J. Nicholas Counter III, Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers, Sherman Oaks, California; Milos Forman and Glenn Gumpel, both of the Directors Guild of America, Los Angeles, California; George Stevens, Jr., John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and Jan DeMasse, representing the Video Software Dealers Association, both of Washington, DC; Roger L. Mayer, Turner Entertainment Company, Culver City, California; David W. Fleming, American Society of Cinematographers, Hollywood, California; and Jonathan H. Klein, WJZ-TV, Baltimore, Maryland, representing the National Association of Broadcasters and the Association of Independent Television Stations, Inc.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3509–3518; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 426, H. Con. Res. 215–216, and H. Res. 272–274 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of Committee on Appropriations entitled "Revised Allocations of Subdivision of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 1990" (H. Rept. 101–302);

H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers, amended (H. Rept. 101–303);

H. Res. 272, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers (H. Rept. 101–304);

H. Res. 272, providing for the consideration of H.R. 45 to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Nicaraguans and Salvadorans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, and to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of certain Nicaraguans and Salvadorans (H. Rept. 101–305);

H. Res. 274, waiving certain points of order against consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and against certain amendments in disagreement (H. Rept. 101–306); and

Conference report on H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Depart-

ment of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–307).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 296 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 298, the House approved the Journal of Monday, October 23.

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Member Sworn: Representative-elect Taylor presented himself in the Well of the House and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Continuing Appropriations/Disaster Supplemental: By a yea-and-nay vote of 321 yeas to 99 nays, Roll No. 302, the House passed H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

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Rejected a Conte motion to recommit the resolution to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the resolution back forthwith containing an amendment to restrict the use of emergency supplemental funds to responding to the damage caused by Hurricane Hugo and the Loma Prieta earthquake (rejected by a recorded vote of 188 ayes to 232 noes, Roll No. 301).

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Agreed To:

The committee amendment made in order by the rule; and

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The Conte amendment that strikes language that exempts the earthquake and hurricane relief funds from the spending limit provisions of the Budget Act and the Gramm-Rudman Act (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 401 yeas to 18 nays, Roll No. 300).

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H. Res. 271, the rule under which the resolution was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 255 yeas to 147 nays, Roll No. 299.

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Veterans/HUD Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 363 yeas to 53 nays, Roll No. 303, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House began considerations of amendments in disagreement; but came to no resolution thereon.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 6, 13, 15, 20, 21, 26, 27, 30, 32, 41, 42, 45, 53, 56, 60, 79, 89, 100, 103, 106, 112, 114, 117, 119, and 121.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 4, 8, 9, 17, 18, and 19.

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House will resume consideration of amendments in disagreement on Wednesday, October 25.

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Arab-American Day: House passed H.J. Res. 241, designating October 25, 1989, as "National Arab-American Day".

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Adoption Week: House passed H.J. Res. 278, to designate the period commencing on November 20, 1989, and ending on November 26, 1989, as "National Adoption Week".

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Geography Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 120, to designate the period commencing November 12, 1989, and ending November 18, 1989, as "Geography Awareness Week".

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Fire Safety At Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 177, to designate October 29, 1989, as "Fire Safety At Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day".

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Philanthropy Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 86, designating November 17, 1989, as "National Philanthropy Day".

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 25516, 25526, 25539, 25540, 25541, 25552. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at noon and adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 2642, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact; H.R. 3021, amended, to extend the deadlines under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in the

State of Washington; H.R. 1216, amended, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act of 1989; H.R. 1602, amended, Trauma Care Systems Planning and Development Act of 1989; H.R. 3310, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; H.R. 3265, amended, Federal Communications Commission Authorization Act of 1989; and H.R. 1354, amended, Telemarketing Fraud Prevention Act of 1989.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations continued hearings on The Department of State in the Twenty-First Century, Part III, Diplomatic Security and Information. Testimony was heard from Sheldon Kryss, Assistant Secretary, Diplomatic Security, Department of State.

Hearings continue October 31.

CONTRACTOR ACCOUNTABILITY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on Contractor Accountability at Department of Energy Nuclear Facilities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: John C. Layton, Inspector General; and W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary; Keith O. Fultz, Director, Energy Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

NEVADA WILDERNESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness.

OVERTIME DUTY PERFORMED BY A FEDERAL EMPLOYEE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 215, to amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee.

VOTING SECURITIES OF AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1938 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI is waived against consideration of the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman An-

derson and Representatives Oberstar, DeFazio, Dingell, Hammerschmidt, Clinger, and Packard.

CENTRAL AMERICAN STUDIES AND TEMPORARY RELIEF ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing 2 hours of debate on H.R. 45, Central American Studies and Temporary Relief Act of 1989. The rule makes in order the text of H.R. 3506, The Chinese and Central American Temporary Protected Status Act of 1989, as original text for the purpose of amendment, with the substitute to be considered as having been read. Clause 7 of Rule XVI is waived against the substitute. No amendment to the substitute is in order. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit.

CONFERENCE REPORT—COMMERCE, JUSTICE, AND STATE, THE JUDICIARY, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving section 302(f) of the Budget Act against consideration of the conference report to accompany H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule waives section 303(a) of the Budget Act against consideration of the motions to dispose of Senate amendments numbered 43 and 80. The rule waives clause 7 of Rule XVI against the motion to dispose of Senate amendment numbered 187. Testimony was heard from Representatives Smith of Iowa and Frenzel.

SARDAR SAROVAR DAM PROJECT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on the Environmental Effects of the Sardar Sarovar Dam Project in India. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXCELLENCE IN MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE TEACHING

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science Research and Technology held a hearing on Recommendations for improving Science Education from winners of the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TAX POLICY OF BUYOUT ACTIVITIES—AIR TRANSPORTATION INDUSTRY

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the tax policy aspects of recent buyout activity in the air transportation industry. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorgan of North Dakota and Frost; Patrick V. Murphy, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary, Policy and

International Affairs, Department of Transportation; John G. Wilkins, Senior Advisor to the Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; James Lockhart, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; and public witnesses.

FOREIGN TRADE ZONES PROGRAM

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on the operation of the Foreign Trade Zones Program. Testimony was heard from Senator Wallop; Representatives Hutto and Kaptur; Anne Brunsdale, Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission; Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, International Trade, Energy, and Finance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; Eric Garfinkel, Assistant Secretary, Import Administration, Department of Commerce; Samuel Banks, Acting Deputy Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

CARING FOR NEW MOTHERS

Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families: Held a hearing on "Caring For New Mothers: Pressing Problems, New Solutions". Testimony was heard from Dr. James O. Mason, Assistant Secretary and Acting Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

RE-EMERGENCE OF METHAMPHETAMINE

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on "The Re-Emergence of Methamphetamine". Testimony was heard from David Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; Jerome Jaffee, Senior Science Advisor, National Institute on Drug Abuse, Department of Health and Human Services; Daniel Bent, U.S. Attorney, State of Hawaii; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

HEALTH CARE

U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care (The Pepper Commission): Commission concluded hearings to review options in access to health care, after receiving testimony from Representatives Roybal and Walgren; Barbara Matula, North Carolina State Medicaid Director, Raleigh, on behalf of the American Public Welfare Association; Arthur S. Flemming, National Health Care Campaign, Melvin A. Glasser, Committee for National Health Insurance, Lovola Burgess, American Association of Retired Persons, Sara Rosenbaum, Children's Defense Fund, Steven Monson, Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities, Eric Schulman, National Council of

Senior Citizens, Bruce Mueller, Motorola, Inc., on behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers, John J. Motley, National Federation of Independent Business, Thomas R. Burke, A. Foster Higgins and Co., Marvin Kolb, American Academy of Pediatrics, Vivian W. Pinn-Wiggins, National Medical Association, Kathleen M. Higgins, American College of Nurse-Midwives, Paul Rettig, American Hospital Association, Bernard R. Tresnowski, Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, Carl Schramm, Health Insurance Association of America, William V. Irons, National Association of Life Underwriters, Sam Havens, Group Health Association of America, all of Washington, DC; and Robert Hunter, National Insurance Consumer Organization, Alexandria, Virginia.

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Wednesday, October 25, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25918-26091

Measures Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1791-1798, and S. Res. 197 and 198.

Pages 26019-26020

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 561, to provide for testing for the use, without lawful authorization, of alcohol or controlled substances by the operators of aircraft, railroads, and commercial motor vehicles, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-172)

Measures Passed:

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Disaster Assistance—Agriculture: Senate passed S. 1792, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to avoid penalizing producers who planted a replacement crop on disaster-affected acreage.

Pages 25937-25939

Technical Corrections: Senate passed S. 1793, to make technical and correcting changes in agriculture programs.

Pages 25939-25940

Continuing Appropriations/Disaster Supplemental: By 97 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 271), Senate passed H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1990, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 25936, 25940-25954

Byrd/Hatfield Amendment No. 1052, to make technical and clarifying amendments.

Pages 25937, 25941-25942

Instructions to Budget Reconciliation Conferees: By 88 yeas to 11 nays (Vote No. 272), Senate agreed to S. Res. 197, to ensure that sufficient funds are available to aid the victims of the California earthquake and Hurricane Hugo without increasing the Federal budget deficit.

Pages 25955-25960

Authorizing Testimony: Senate agreed to S. Res. 198, to authorize testimony of Senator Howell Heflin.

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National Arab-American Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 241, to designate October 25, 1989, as "National Arab-American Day".

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Earthquake Hazards: Senate passed S. 1062, to amend the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977 to improve the Federal effort to reduce earthquake hazards, after agreeing to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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(1) Mitchell (for Gore) Amendment No. 1066, to establish an Earthquake Investigations Program within the United States Geological Survey.

Pages 26086-26087

(2) Packwood (for Danforth) Amendment No. 1067, to provide for the assessment of the emergency broadcast capability in earthquake-prone areas.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: Senate began consideration of S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 25960-26009

Adopted:

(1) Biden Amendment No. 1054, to provide for a modification of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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(2) Dodd Amendment No. 1055, to congratulate the people of Hungary on declaring the Hungarian Republic to be an independent and democratic state.

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(3) Helms Amendment No. 1057, to prohibit the use of enterprise funds for military purposes.

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(4) Helms Amendment No. 1058, to clarify the authority of the trade credit insurance program for Poland.

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(5) Lieberman Amendment No. 1059, to provide for the establishment of scholarship and educational exchange programs.*

Pages 26005-26006

(6) Lieberman Amendment No. 1060, to expand the number of commercial and economic officers to United States embassies and missions to Poland and Hungary.

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(7) Lieberman Amendment No. 1061, to provide technical assistance to Poland and Hungary.

Pages 26005-26006

(8) Lieberman Amendment No. 1062, to encourage the OECD to provide technical assistance to the governments of Poland and Hungary.

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(9) Humphrey Amendment No. 1064, to prohibit host country Communist Party members from serving on the Board of Directors of the Polish American Enterprise Fund and the Hungarian American Enterprise Fund.

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Pending:

(1) Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056, to promote democratization and reform in Poland and Hungary through development of the private sectors, labor market reforms, and enhanced environmental protection.

Pages 25993, 25999-26000, 26006

(2) Packwood Amendment No. 1065 (to Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056), in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 26007, 26008

Senate will continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendments proposed thereto, on Thursday, October 26.

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Reporting on the national emergency with respect to Nicaragua, which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-68)

Appointments:

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Senate Special Delegation: The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore and upon the recommendation of the Majority and Minority Leaders, pursuant to provisions of S. Res. 194 (101st Congress, 1st Session), appointed the following Senators as Members of the Senate's Special Delegation to host a delegation of members of the Supreme Soviet of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics: Senators Pell, Nunn, Johnston, Sarbanes, Glenn, Cranston, Cohen, Mack, Nickles, Presseler, Roth, and Warner.

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Change of Conferees: By unanimous consent, Senator Sanford was added as a conferee to H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and

1991 for the Department of State, in lieu of Senator Cranston.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Frances D. Cook, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon.

Richard T. Kennedy, of the District of Columbia, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Thirty-third Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

Arthur D. Spatt, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York.

Timothy D. Leonard, of Oklahoma, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma for the term of four years.

Allan V. Burman, of Virginia, to be Administrator for Federal Procurement Policy.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Measures Placed on Calendar:

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Statements on Introduced Bills:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—272)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 9:31 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, October 26, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 26091.)

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL FOREST PLANNING PROCESS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held joint hearings with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on the implementation of the national forest planning process as provided in the National Forest Management Act of 1976, receiving testimony from F. Dale Robertson, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Jay Hair, National Wildlife Federation, Brock Evans, National Audubon Society, and V. Alaric Sample, The Conservation Foundation, all of Washington, DC; Jeff Olson, Wilderness Society, and

James Geisinger, Northwest Forestry Association, both of Portland, Oregon; Deborah Baker, National Forest Products Association, Atlanta, Georgia; James Riley, Intermountain Forest Industry Association, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; and Dennis LeMaster, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BANKING INDUSTRY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings on the condition of the banking system in the United States, after receiving testimony from L. William Seidman, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Manuel H. Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury; and Harry S. Havens, Assistant Comptroller General of the United States, General Accounting Office.

CABLE BROADCASTING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings to examine the reinstitution of "must carry" rules of the Federal Communications Commission, which require cable television systems to carry local television signals of public broadcasters and independent operators, receiving testimony from James P. Mooney, National Cable Television Association, Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, Preston R. Padden, Association of Independent Television Stations, Inc., David J. Brugger, National Association of Public Television Stations, Robert L. Johnson, Black Entertainment Television, and Daniel L. Jaffe, Association of National Advertisers, Inc., all of Washington, DC; Stephen R. Effros, Community Antenna Television Association, Fairfax, Virginia; John G. Kompas, Community Broadcasters Association, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and Paul F. Crouch, Cable Access Legal Action Council, Santa Ana, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of R. James Woolsey, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as U.S. Representative to the Negotiation on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE), after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Stevens and Boren, and Representative Hoagland, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

JUDICIAL IMMUNITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts and Administrative Practice concluded hearings on

S. 590, to prohibit injunctive relief or an award of damages against a judicial officer for action taken in a judicial capacity, after receiving testimony from Harry L. Carrico, Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Virginia, Richmond, on behalf of the Conference of Chief Justices; Phillip J. Roth, Judge, Circuit Court of Oregon, Portland, and Joseph R. Weisberger, Associate Justice, Supreme Court of Rhode Island, Providence, both on behalf of the American Bar Association; Thomas C. Nurre, Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Cincinnati, Ohio, on behalf of the American Judges Association; and M. Caldwell Butler, Woods, Rogers and Hazlegrove, Roanoke, Virginia, on behalf of the Virginia Committee against Pulliam.

DRUG TREATMENT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee on Labor and Human Resources concluded hearings on drug treatment issues, focusing on state-of-the-art treatment modalities, quality and quantity of treatment and special treatment needs of drug abusers with AIDS, and the direction of new treatment funding, after receiving testimony from Charles R. Schuster, National Institute on Drug Abuse, Rockville, Maryland; Peter Bell, Institute on Black Chemical Abuse, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Don Des Jarlais, Narcotics and Drugs Research Inc., and Rev. Reginald Williams, Addicts Rehabilitation Center, both of New York, New York; and Milton Shrader and Connie Pulliam, both of Alexandria, Virginia.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3519-3528; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 427 were introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 1216, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies, amended (H. Rept. 101-308).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 294 yeas to 109 nays, Roll No. 304, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, October 24.

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American Folklife Center: The Speaker appointed to the Board of Trustees of the American Folklife Center in the Library of Congress the following individuals from private life on the part of the House: Mrs. Nina M. Archabal of St. Paul, Minnesota, to

fill an existing vacancy; and Mr. John Penn Fix III, of Spokane, Washington, for a 6-year term.

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Budget Reconciliation: The Speaker made the following supplemental appointments of conferees in the conference on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1990: The first panel from the Committee on Ways and Means was appointed also for consideration of the third item listed under miscellaneous charges in the fee schedules set forth in section 301(a)(1) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

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Military Construction: It was made in order to consider the conference report on H.R. 3012, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, at any time on Thursday, October 26.

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Labor-HHS Appropriations: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 231 yeas to 191 nays, Roll No. 305, the House voted to sustain the President's veto of H.R. 2990, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (two-thirds of those present not having voted to override).

Subsequently, the bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Pages 25816-25829

Chinese and Central American Stability: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 258 yeas to 162 nays, Roll No. 307, the House passed H.R. 45, to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Nicaraguans and Salvadorans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, and to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of certain Nicaraguans and Salvadorans.

Pages 25830-25861

Agreed to the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order by the rule (text of H.R. 3506).

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Agreed to amend the title.

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H. Res. 273, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 263 yeas to 146 nays, Roll No. 306.

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Veterans/HUD Appropriations: House completed consideration of amendments in disagreement on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Depart-

ments of Veterans Affairs, and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 25869-25904

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendment No. 54.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 25 (motion agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 325 yeas to 92 nays, Roll No. 308), 37 (motion agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 250 yeas to 170 nays, Roll No. 309), 38, 39, 40, 43, 46, 47, 48, 55, 57, 71, 75, 80 (motion agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 199 yeas to 174 nays, Roll No. 311), 86, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 105, 109, 110, 116, 122, 123, 124, and 128—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 25869, 25889, 25892, 25893, 25897, 25898, 25900-25904

Continuing Resolution: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 303 yeas to 107 nays, Roll No. 310, the House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.J. Res. 423, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

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Presidential Message—National Emergency Regarding Nicaragua: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits his report regarding the national emergency with respect to Nicaragua—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-103).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Eight ye-a-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 25811, 25829, 25832, 25861, 25878, 25887, 25892-25893 and 25899-25900. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy held a hearing on the following measures: H.J. Res. 409, directing the Federal Open Market Committee of the Federal Reserve System to adopt and pursue monetary policies leading to, and then maintaining zero inflation; and H.R. 2795, to modernize the Federal Reserve System and to provide for prompt disclosure of certain decisions of the Federal Open Market Committee. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

EXTEND COVERAGE OF CERTAIN LABOR LAWS TO FOREIGN FLAGSHIPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on H.R. 3283, to extend the coverage of certain labor laws to foreign flagships. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NUTRITIONAL LABELING AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 3028, Nutritional Labeling and Education Act of 1989.

STOCK MARKET REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 1609, Stock Market Reform Act of 1989, and related issues concerning the stability of our securities markets. Testimony was heard from Richard C. Breeden, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SOUTH ASIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on Recent Developments in South Asia. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: John Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs; and Richard Schifter, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs.

VESSEL DOCUMENTATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 3486, to make technical corrections to the laws relating to vessel documentation, vessel identification, and commercial instruments and maritime liens. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Robert J. Patton, Jr., Acting Chief Counsel, Maritime Administration; and Capt. Michael J. Schiro, USCG, Deputy Chief, Office, Marine Safety, Security, and Environmental Protection, Headquarters, U.S. Coast Guard; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 3086, amended, Civil Service Due Process Amendments; H.R. 2544, amended, Public Service Education Assistance Act of 1989; H.R. 1805, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, to allow Federal annuitants to make contributions for health benefits through direct payments rather than through annuity withholdings if the annuity is insufficient to cover the required withholdings; to eliminate the reinsurance re-

quirement under the Federal employees, life insurance program; and to make a technical correction relating to the life insurance program; H.R. 215, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee; H.R. 922, to designate the building located at 1515 Sam Houston Street in Liberty, TX, as the "M.P. Daniel and Thomas F. Calhoun, Senior, Post Office Building"; and H.J. Res. 410, designating November 11, 1989, as "Washington Centennial Day."

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Economic Development approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 2015, to amend and extend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965; and H.R. 435, to amend the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 to include Columbiana County, Ohio, as part of the Appalachian Region.

LOW-LEVEL NUCLEAR WASTE AT SITES IN MISSOURI

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development held a hearing on H.R. 1559, to require the Secretary of Energy to conduct certain projects relating to the Department of Energy civilian energy research and development waste currently located at sites in Missouri. Testimony was heard from John Baublitz, Acting Director, Remedial Action and Waste Technology, Office of Nuclear Energy, Department of Energy; Allan Wehmeyer, Deputy Division Director, Waste Management, Region VII, EPA; Donald Aubuchon, Deputy Director, St. Louis Airport Authority; and public witnesses.

ENHANCE AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TRAINING

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on FAA Utilization of Advanced Technology to Enhance Air Traffic Control Training. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RETENTION OF PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS IN THE VETERANS HEALTH SERVICES AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on the recruitment and retention of physicians and dentists in the Veterans Health Services and Research Administration. Testimony was heard from the following offi-

cials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: Anthony J. Principi, Deputy Secretary; and representatives of various Medical Centers; and public witnesses.

LONG-TERM STRATEGIES

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on long-term strategies with emphasis on Preparing Today's Children and Families for the Labor Force of the Future. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees on Tuesday, October 24, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3012, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military construction programs of the Department of Defense.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Thursday, October 26, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26113-26194

Measures Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1799-1804.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 347, to combat international terrorism and otherwise further the national security and foreign policy interests of the United States. (S. Rept. No. 101-173)

S. 1324, to authorize appropriations for the Fiscal Years 1990 and 1991 for intelligence activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-174)

H.J. Res. 131, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".

S. 148, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the Golden Anniversary of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial.

S.J. Res. 42, to designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day".

S.J. Res. 53, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".

S.J. Res. 131, to designate November 1989 as "National Diabetes Month".

S.J. Res. 187, to designate the periods commencing on November 19, 1989, and ending on November 26, 1989, and commencing on November 18, 1990, and ending on November 25, 1990, as "National Adoption Week".

S.J. Res. 198, designating November 1989 as "An End to Hunger Education Month".

S.J. Res. 210, to designate the month of October 1989 as "National Spina Bifida Month".

S.J. Res. 215, acknowledging the sacrifice that military families have made on behalf of the Nation and designating November 20, 1989, as "National Military Families Recognition Day".

S.J. Res. 216, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week".

S.J. Res. 217, to designate the period commencing February 4, 1990, and ending February 10, 1990, as "National Burn Awareness Week", with an amendment.

S.J. Res. 220, to designate the week of December 3, 1989, through December 9, 1989, as National Autism Week and 1990 as National Silver Anniversary Year for the Autism Society of America.

S. Con. Res. 55, to commemorate the volunteers of the United States and the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation.

Pages 26163-26164

Measures Passed:

Death Penalty for Terrorists: By 79 yeas to 20 nays (Vote No. 275), Senate passed S. 1798, to provide for the imposition of the death penalty for the terrorist murder of U.S. nationals abroad, after taking action on the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 26119-26146

Rejected:

By 29 yeas to 70 nays (Vote No. 274), Hatfield Amendment No. 1068, to provide for the penalty of life imprisonment without the possibility of release for acts of terrorism against United States nationals abroad.

Pages 26126-26138, 26139

Eastern Airlines—Collective Bargaining Units: Senate passed H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units, after taking

action on the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 26119, 26146-26151, 26153-26160

Adopted:

By 65 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 276), Mitchell Amendment No. 1043, in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 26146, 26160

During consideration of this bill today, the Senate also took the following action:

By 62 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 273), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on Mitchell Amendment No. 1043, listed above.

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Technology Administration Authorizations Act: Senate passed S. 1191, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Commerce's Technology Administration, and to speed the development and application of economically strategic technologies, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and after agreeing to additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 26184-26193

(1) Stevens (for Hatch) Amendment No. 1070, to establish an international standards pilot program to assist in the development of comprehensive industrial standards for countries that have requested such assistance.

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(2) Wirth (for Hollings/DeConcini) Amendment No. 1071, to amend section 5 of the bill.

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Disaster Assistance—Agriculture: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 1792, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to avoid penalizing producers who planted a replacement crop on disaster-affected acreage.

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U.S. Congressional Gift of Democracy to Poland: Senate concurred in the amendments of the house to S. Con. Res. 74, to establish a U.S. Congressional gift of democracy to Poland in the form of equipment and training for the Polish Sejm and Senate.

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the impeachment proceedings against Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., of the Southern District of Mississippi, at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, November 1, for any remaining motions offered by Judge Nixon and for final arguments on the merits by the managers on the part of the House of Representatives and by Judge Nixon and his counsel, and a unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the Senate shall meet in closed session at 2 p.m. on Thursday, November 2, to deliberate the articles of impeachment and the pending motions,

notwithstanding any other rule of the Senate, including Rule XXII.

Pages 26116, 26194

VA/HUD Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commission, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, on Friday, October 27.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting documents with respect to the consistency of the emigration laws and policies of the Republic of Hungary, which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (PM-69)

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Messages From the President:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—276)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 7:09 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, October 27, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 26194.)

Committee Meetings

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to discuss certain conference issues relating to H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act, F.Y. 1990/1991.

Committee recessed subject to call.

SEC MARKET REFORM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 648, to grant additional authorities to the Securities and Exchange

Commission to take certain actions in a market emergency, large trader reporting of program or block trades, to facilitate coordinated clearing mechanisms and practices in the securities markets, and other related issues, after receiving testimony from Nicholas F. Brady, Secretary of the Treasury.

BUDGET REFORM

Committee on the Budget: Committee held joint hearings with the Committee on Governmental Affairs on the following budget reform proposals:

S. 101, to mandate a balanced budget, to provide for the reduction of the national debt, to protect retirement funds, and to require honest budgetary accounting, receiving testimony from Senator Sanford;

S. 1572, to improve budgetary information by requiring that the unified budget presented by the President contain an operating budget and a capital budget, distinguish between general funds, trust funds, and enterprise funds, receiving testimony from Senator Kohl; and

Proposed legislation to reduce the incentive to shift funding to the current fiscal year once sequestration has passed, and to require Congress to use Congressional Budget Office economic and technical assumptions throughout the budget process, receiving testimony from Senator Conrad.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held oversight hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study to review a comprehensive 10-year plan of the Department of Commerce to modernize and restructure the National Weather Service, receiving testimony from John A. Knauss, Under Secretary for Oceans and Atmosphere, Elbert W. Friday, Assistant Administrator for Weather Services, and Robert Sheets, Director, National Hurricane Center (Coral Gables, Florida), all of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; David Powell, Jr., National Weather Service Employees Organization, Chattanooga, Tennessee; Richard E. Hallgren, American Meteorological Society, Boston, Massachusetts; Bob Ryan, WRC-TV, Washington, DC; and Kerry A. Emanuel, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL TOURISM POLICY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism held hearings on proposed legislation to promote and encourage travel in the United States, and to review the implementation of the National Tourism Policy Act (P.L. 97-63), receiving testimony from Rockwell A. Schnabel, Under Secretary of Com-

merce for Travel and Tourism; Hawaii Governor John Waihee, Honolulu, representing the National Governors Association; Bob Liming, South Carolina Division of Tourism, Columbia; Clint Blackwood, Travel Montana, Helena; Frank Sain, Las Vegas Convention Visitors Authority, Las Vegas, Nevada; and Cord Hansen-Sturm, New School for Social Research Graduate School of Management and Urban Professions, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed hearings on S. 324, to establish a national energy policy to reduce global warming, focusing on provisions relating to the Public Utility Regulatory Policy Act contained in Subtitle B of Title III, receiving testimony from Linda Stuntz, Deputy Under Secretary for Policy, Planning and Analysis, Ted Williams, Director, Environmental Analysis, and J. Steve Herod, Director, Office of Electric Power Regulation, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, all of the Department of Energy.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 7, 1989.

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, Title I, to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, of S. 1630, Clean Air Restoration and Standards Attainment Act.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nomination of Stephen J. Markman, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan;

S.J. Res. 42, to designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day";

S.J. Res. 53, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day";

H.J. Res. 131, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day";

S.J. Res. 131, to designate November 1989, as "National Diabetes Month";

S.J. Res. 187, to designate the periods of November 19-26, 1989, and November 18-25, 1990, as "National Adoption Week";

S.J. Res. 198, to designate November 1989, as "An End to Hunger Education Month";

S.J. Res. 210, to designate October 1989, as "National Spina Bifida Month";

S.J. Res. 215, to designate November 20, 1989, as "National Military Families Recognition Day";

S.J. Res. 216, to designate November 12–18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week";

S.J. Res. 220, to designate the week of December 3–9, 1989, as "National Autism Week" and 1990 as "National Silver Anniversary Year for the Autism Society of America";

S. Con. Res. 55, to commemorate the volunteers of the United States and the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation;

S.J. Res. 217, to designate the period commencing February 4–10, 1990, as "National Burn Awareness Week", with an amendment;

S. 84, to provide Federal debt collection procedures, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 82, to recognize the organization known as the 82nd Airborne Division Association, Incorporated; and

S. 1485, to grant the consent of Congress to the Quad Cities Interstate Metropolitan Authority Compact entered into between the States of Illinois and Iowa.

Also, committee resumed consideration of S. 458, to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, and to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of certain Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, but did not take final action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts, and Humanities approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 1109, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs and activities contained in the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1310, to eliminate illiteracy by the year 2000, and to strengthen and coordinate literacy programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Thursday, November 2.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 3529–3540; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 217 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Oversight of the National Science Foundation Fiscal Year 1990 Programs" (H. Rept. 101–309);

Report entitled "Setting Priorities in Science and Technology" (H. Rept. 101–310);

H.R. 2612, to provide temporary authority to certain employees of the Panama Canal Commission to purchase food and other goods at any commissary or exchange store located in Panama which is operated by any military department of the United States (H. Rept. 101–311);

H.R. 3199, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a program to provide post-secondary educational assistance to students in health professions who are eligible for educational assistance under the Reserve GI Bill program in return for agreement for subsequent service with the Department of Veterans Affairs, amended (H. Rept. 101–312);

H.R. 3390, to amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to certain veterans' education programs, amended (H. Rept. 101–313);

H. Res. 275, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers (H. Rept. 101–314); and

Conference report on H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101–315).

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International Migration and Cooperative Economic Development Commission: The Speaker appointed on the part of the House the Most Reverend Theodore E. McCarrick, Archbishop of Newark, Newark, New Jersey, to the Commission for the Study of International Migration and Cooperative Economic Development, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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Disaster Assistance: House passed S. 1792, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to avoid penalizing producers who planted a replacement crop of disaster-affected acreage.

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Agreed to the Glickman amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Commerce-State-Justice Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 323 yeas to 81 nays, Roll No. 313, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 1, 5, 10, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 29, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 45, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51, 55, 58, 59, 60, 62, 63, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 81, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 97, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 107, 108, 113, 118, 120, 123, 126, 135, 138, 139, 141, 143, 145, 146, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 166, 167, 169, 172, 173, 175, and 178.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 2, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 19, 27, 28, 30, 31, 38, 40, 41, 43 (motion agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 249 yeas to 166 nays, Roll No. 314), 44, 47, 53, 54, 56, 57, 61, 64, 67, 79, 80, 82, 86, 87, 95, 96, 106, 110, 115, 117, 119, 122, 124, 128, 129, 131, 132, 136, 137, 140, 144, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 164, 165, 168, 170, 171, 174, 176, 177, 181, 182, 186, 187, 189 (motion agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 273 yeas to 121 nays, Roll No. 318), and 191.

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Earlier, a point of order was sustained against the first Stenholm motion to recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 179 and concur therein with an amendment; rejected a second Stenholm motion to recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 179 and concur therein with an amendment by a yea-and-nay vote of 199 yeas to 206 nays, Roll No. 316; and rejected a third Stenholm motion to recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 179 and concur therein with an amendment by a recorded vote of 178 ayes to 223 noes, Roll No. 317 (Legal Services Corporation appropriation distribution).

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House insisted on its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 83 by a yea-and-nay vote of 123 yeas to 287 nays, Roll No. 315—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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H. Res. 274, the rule waiving certain points of order against the consideration of the conference report was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 226 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 312.

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Late Reports: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the

Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and

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Committee on Energy and Commerce received permission to have until midnight Friday, October 27, to file reports on H.R. 3265, to amend the Communications Act of 1974 to provide authorization of appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, and H.R. 3310, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

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Military Construction Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3012, making appropriations for the military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 5 and 8.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 3, 6, 10, 13, 20, 22, 27, and 36—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits documents with respect to the consistency of the emigration laws and policies of the Republic of Hungary—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed (H. Doc. No. 101-104).

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Foreign Operations Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Obey, Yates, McHugh, Lehman of Florida, Wilson, Gray, Mrazek, Coleman of Texas, Whitten, Edwards of California, Lewis of California, Porter, Gallo, and Conte.

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Committee Resignation: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Hayes of Illinois wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Small Business.

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Budget Reconciliation: The Speaker made the following supplemental appointment in the conference on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990: After the appointment of the first panel from the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs insert the following: Provid-

ed, That Mr. Sharp is appointed in place of Mr. Williams for consideration of subtitles B and C of title VI of the House bill.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Six yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 26207, 26226, 26243, 26252, 26280, 26282, and 26288. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended the following bills. H.R. 2209, Soybean Promotion, Research and Consumer Information Act; H.R. 2144, Urban and Community Forestry Act of 1989; and H.R. 1011, to provide for the establishment of the National Commission on Natural Resources Disasters, to provide for increased planning and cooperation with local firefighting forces in the event of forest fires.

NORTHERN FOREST LANDS STUDY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms, and Energy held a hearing to review the draft Northern Forest Lands Study. Testimony was heard from George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury: Mike Patriarca, Acting Principal Supervisory Agent; William Black, Acting District Counsel, both with the San Francisco Region; and Kevin O'Connell; William Crawford, Commissioner, Department of Savings and Loans, State of California, and N. Joe Selby, former Director, Regulatory Affairs, Federal Home Loan Bank of Dallas.

Hearings continue October 31.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education held a hearing on the H.R. 3470, District of Columbia Judicial Reorganization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the District of Columbia: Herbert Reid, Corporation Counsel; Fred B. Ugast, Chief

Judge, Superior Court; and Judith Rogers, Chief Judge, Court of Appeals.

Hearings continue November 2.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Select Education held an oversight hearing on the Office of Educational Research and Improvement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on regulatory and technical issues affecting the radio broadcasting industry. Testimony was heard from Roy Stewart, Chief, Mass Media Bureau, FCC; and public witnesses.

DRIFTNET FISHING; GLOBAL CHANGE RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 214, in support of regional efforts to end driftnet fishing in the South Pacific.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 2984, Global Change Research Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from William A. Nitze, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Health and Natural Resources, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental Scientific Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on Management of the Indian Trust Fund. Testimony was heard from Robert Hunter, Associate General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, GAO; and the following officials of the Department of the Interior: James R. Richards, Inspector General; and Eddie F. Brown, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Indian Affairs.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York; and H.R. 2809, amended, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the State of California.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 3248, to revise the boundary of Gettysburg National Military Park in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Testimony was heard from Representative Goodling; Jerry Rogers, Associate Director, National

Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment and the Subcommittee on Trade of the Committee on Ways and Means held a joint hearing on H.R. 132, to promote fisheries and wildlife conservation. Testimony was heard from Leonard Condon, Deputy Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Agriculture; Ambassador Edward Wolfe, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Oceans and Fisheries Affairs, Department of State; Carmen Blondin, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Affairs, NOAA, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing to examine the relationship between non-career and career appointees to the Senior Executive Service. Testimony was heard from Bernard Ungar, Director, Federal Human Resource Management Issues, General Government Division, GAO; Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; and public witnesses.

SHORTFALLS IN HIGHWAY TRUST FUND COLLECTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing concerning the shortfalls in Highway Trust Fund collections as a result of fuel tax evasion schemes. Testimony was heard from Eugene R. McCormick, Deputy Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Harvey S. Rosen, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Tax Analysis; and Charles H. Brennan, Deputy Commissioner, Operations, IRS; and public witnesses.

VOTING SECURITIES OF AIR CARRIERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers. The rule makes in order the Public Works and Transportation Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as an original bill for the purpose of amendment. The substitute is to be considered as having been read. The rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions. Finally, the rule provides that House Resolution 272 is laid on the table.

FUTURE OF MAGNETIC FUSION ENERGY PROGRAM.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight continued hearings on the future of the Magnetic Fusion Energy Program: Part 2, Inertial Confinement Fusion. Testimony was heard from David C. Cartwright, Program Director, Inertial Confinement Fusion, Los Alamos National Laboratory; Klaus Berkner, Director, Acceleration and Fusion Research Division, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory; and public witnesses.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TRAINING

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials concluded hearings on FAA Utilization of Advanced Technology to Enhance Air Traffic Control Training. Testimony was heard from Representative English; and James B. Busey, Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

SMALL BUSINESS CREDIT AVAILABILITY ACT

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on H.R. 3179, Small Business Credit Availability Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 15.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE ISSUES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures continued hearings on miscellaneous revenue issues. Testimony was heard from Representatives Archer, Crane, Shaw, Ireland and Kanjorski; Kenneth Gideon, Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees on Wednesday, October 25, continued in closed session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1487, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, October 31.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3015, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1805-1807.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report entitled "Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals from the Concurrent Resolution for Fiscal Year 1990 (S. Rept. No. 101-175).

S. 1430, to enhance national and community service, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-176).

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Measures Passed:

Claims for Damages Resulting From Law Enforcement Activities: Senate passed S. 604, to amend title 31 of the United States Code to increase settlement authority and expand coverage relating to claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities, after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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Claims for Damages Resulting From Law Enforcement Activities: Senate passed H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 604, Senate companion measure, as amended.

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National Diabetes Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 131, to designate November 1989 as "National Diabetes Month".

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National Adoption Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 187, to designate the periods commencing on November 19, 1989, and ending on November 26, 1989, and commencing on November 18, 1990, and ending on November 25, 1990, as "National Adoption Week".

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An End to Hunger Education Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 198, designating November 1989 as "An End to Hunger Education Month".

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National Spina Bifida Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 210, to designate the month of October 1989 as "National Spina Bifida Month".

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National Military Families Recognition Day: Senate passed S.J. Res. 215, acknowledging the sacrifices that military families have made on behalf of the Nation and designating November 20, 1989, as "National Military Families Recognition Day".

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Community Foundation Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 216, designating November 12 through 18, 1989 as "Community Foundation Week".

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National Burn Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 217, to designate the period commencing February 4, 1990, and ending February 10, 1990, as "National Burn Awareness Week", after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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National Autism Week and National Silver Anniversary Year for the Autism Society of America: Senate passed S.J. Res. 220, to designate the week of December 3, 1989, through December 9, 1989, as National Autism Week and 1990 as National Silver Anniversary Year for the Autism Society of America.

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Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 55, to commemorate the volunteers of the United States and the Hugh O'Brian Youth Foundation.

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National Tap Dance Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 131, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to

ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Pending:

(1) Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056, to promote democratization and reform in Poland and Hungary through development of the private sectors, labor market reforms, and enhanced environmental protection.

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(2) Packwood Amendment No. 1065 (to Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056), in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 26007, 26008

VA/HUD Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: By 84 yeas of 6 nays (Vote No. 277), Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to Senate amendments numbered 4, 8, 9, 17, 18, 19, 37, 38, 39, 40, 43, 46, 47, 48, 55, 57, 71, 75, 80, 86, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 105, 109, 110, 116, 122, 123, 124, and 128.

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Senate disagreed to the House amendment to Senate amendment number 25.

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Military Construction Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3012, making appropriations military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 26415-26419

Senate concurred in the House amendment to the Senate amendments numbered 3, 6, 10, 13, 20, 22, 27, and 36.

Pages 26418-26419

Measures Indefinitely Postponed: Senate indefinitely postponed the following measures:

Freedom of Information Day: S.J. Res. 42, to designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day".

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National Tap Dance Day: S.J. Res. 53, to designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Stephen J. Markman, of Michigan, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan for the term of four years.

Sidney L. Jones, of Utah, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—277)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 4:09 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, October 31, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 26464.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of James B. Wyngaarden, of North Carolina, and J. Thomas Ratchford, of Virginia, each to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Wyngaarden was introduced by Senator Sanford. Testimony was also received on the nominations of Messrs. Wyngaarden and Ratchford from D. Allan Bromley, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy.

NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Sidney L. Jones, of Utah, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Economic Policy.

STEEL TRADE PRACTICES

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings on H.R. 3275, to extend the termination date until March 31, 1992, for enforcement of bilateral steel arrangements, and to implement the President's steel trade liberalization program to remove unfair trade practices, receiving testimony from S. Linn Williams, Deputy United States Trade Representative; Eric I. Garfinkel, Assistant Secretary, Import Administration, Department of Commerce; Frank W. Luerssen, Inland Steel Industries, Inc., Chicago, Illinois, and Thomas C. Graham, USX Corp., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, both

on behalf of the American Iron and Steel Institute; Jon E. Jensen, Precision Metalforming Association, Richmond Heights, Ohio, on behalf of the Coalition of American Steel Using Manufacturers; and Lynn R. Williams, United Steelworkers of America, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Smith Hempstone, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya, Francis T. McNamara, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde, and Keith L. Wauchope, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Kathleen D. Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, and Jean McKee, of the District of Columbia, Tony Armentariz, of Texas, and Pamela Talkin, of California, each to be a Member, all of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, Ronald G. Hein, to be U.S. Marshal for the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, and Bill R. Phillips, of Texas, to be Deputy Director, Office of Personnel Management, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Debra R. Bowland, of Louisiana, to be Administrator of the Wage and Labor Division, Department of Labor, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the implementation of policies and programs of the Office of Indian Education, receiving testimony from Daniel Bonner, Acting Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education, Neal Shedd, Acting Director, Office of Indian Education, and Tom Corwin, Director, Office of Planning, Budget and Evaluation, all of the Department of Education; Jo Jo Hunt, Executive Director, National Advisory Council on Indian Education, and Karen J. Funk and Carol Barbero, both of the National Indian Education Association, all of Washington, DC; Roger Bordeaux, Association of Community Tribal Schools, Vermillion, South Dakota; and Lorena Bahe, Association of Navajo

Community-Controlled School Boards, Window Rock, Arizona.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 3541 and 3542, were introduced.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:17 a.m.

Committee Meetings

ABUSE AND MISMANAGEMENT OF HUD HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing continued hearings on Abuse and Mismanagement of HUD housing programs. In failing to respond to Subcommittee questions, Samuel R. Pierce, Jr., former Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, invoked constitutional privileges.

Hearings continue November 3.

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Monday, October 30, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, October 31, at 11:30 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bill Introduced: 1 private bill, H.R. 3543 was introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3265, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide authorization of appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, amended (H. Rept. 101-316, filed on October 27);

H.R. 3310, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 (H. Rept. 101-317, filed on October 27);

H.R. 3021, to extend the deadlines under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Washington, amended (H. Rept. 101-318);

H.R. 3318, to redesignate the Federal building, known as the Concord Building, located at 1919 Smith Street in Houston, Texas as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building", amended (H. Rept. 101-319);

H.R. 2581, to authorize the Federal Aviation Administration to establish an aviation research grant program, amended (H. Rept. 101-320); and

H.R. 897, authorizing the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to modernize and expand its fleet of ocean research vessels, amended (H. Rept. 101-321).

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Presidential Veto Message—D.C. Appropriations: Read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-105). Agreed that consideration of the veto message be postponed until Wednesday, November 1.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Veterans health professionals education: H.R. 3199, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a program to provide post-secondary education assistance to students in health professions who are eligible for education assistance under the Reserve GI Bill program in return for subsequent service with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Agreed to amend the title;

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Veterans education amendments: H.R. 3390, amended, to amend title 30, United States Code, with respect to certain veterans' education programs;

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Low-level radioactive waste management: H.R. 2642, amended, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact;

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Power project time limitation: H.R. 3021, to extend the deadlines under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Washington.

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill, S. 750, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill;

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NTIA authorization: H.R. 3310, to authorize appropriations for activities of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration for fiscal years 1990 and 1991;

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FCC authorization: H.R. 3265, amended, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide authorization of appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission;

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M.P. Daniel and Thomas F. Calhoun, Sr., Post Office Building: H.R. 922, to designate the building located at 1515 Sam Houston Street in Liberty, Texas, as the "M.P. Daniel and Thomas F. Calhoun, Senior, Post Office Building"; and

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Mickey Leland Federal building: H.R. 3318, amended, to redesignate the Federal building, known as the Concord Building, located at 1919 Smith Street in Houston, Texas, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building". Agreed to amend the title;

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Consent Calendar: Agreed that the bill, H.R. 2854, to authorize the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, be stricken from the Consent Calendar.

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Referrals: Twelve Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ANTIDRUG ABUSE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on S. 1735, to provide authorizations for antidrug abuse appropriations, and similar and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representative Stark; Law-

rence H. Thompson, Assistant Controller General, Human Resources, GAO; and public witnesses.

MISSILE TECHNOLOGY CONTROL REGIME

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on Missile Technology Control Regime. Testimony was heard from Richard Clarke, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, Department of State; Henry Sokolski, Deputy, Nonproliferation Policy, International Security Affairs, Department of Defense; Jim LeMunyon, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Export Administration, Department of Commerce; and Norm Wulf, Deputy Assistant Director, Nuclear and Weapons Control, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

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Tuesday, October 31, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26592–26693

Measures Introduced: Seventeen bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1808–1824, S. Res. 199–201, S.J. Res. 221, and S. Con. Res. 78 and 79.

Pages 26645–26646

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 280, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating a segment of the Niobrara River in Nebraska as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–177)

Special Report entitled "Legal Issues Raised by Lt. Col. Oliver North's Retirement Pay." (S. Rept. No. 101–178)

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Measures Passed:

Commending Frank E. Beck: Senate agreed to S. Res. 199, to commend Frank E. Beck on the occasion of his retirement from service to the United States Senate.

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Abrogation of Nicaraguan Ceasefire: By a unanimous vote of 95 yeas (Vote No. 279), Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 79, to deplore the unilateral Sandinista abrogation of the Nicaraguan Ceasefire.

Pages 26636–26639

Commending Walter Suskind: Senate agreed to S. Res. 201, to commend the courage and heroism of

Walter Suskind, an unrecognized hero of World War II.

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Memorial to Women Who Served in Vietnam: Senate passed S.J. Res. 207, approving the location of the memorial to the women who served in Vietnam.

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Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations—Conference Report, 1990: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 26610–26618

Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 2, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 19, 27, 28, 30, 31, 38, 40, 41, 43, 44, 47, 54, 56, 57, 61, 64, 67, 80, 82, 86, 87, 95, 96, 106, 110, 115, 117, 119, 122, 124, 128, 129, 131, 132, 136, 137, 140, 144, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 164, 165, 168, 170, 174, 176, 177, 181, 186, 187, and 189.

Pages 26618–26625

Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 53, with a Hollings amendment No. 1073, in the nature of a substitute, providing for necessary expenses for the detection, investigation, and prosecution of individuals involved in organized crime drug trafficking.

Pages 26625–26626

Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 79.

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Senate receded from its amendment number 83.

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By 53 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 278), Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 191, with a Pell Amendment No. 1074, to strike the Department of State authorization waivers.

Pages 26627–26634

Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 171, with a Helms Amendment No. 1075, to repeal section 725 of the International Security and Development Cooperation Act of 1981.

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Pending:

Helms Amendment No. 1076, to establish a policy toward additional sanctions against the People's Republic of China, to Senate amendment number 182.

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Senate will continue consideration of the pending amendment on Wednesday, November 1.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting an extension of national emergency with respect to Iran; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-70)

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Transmitting an agreement between the United States and Japan concerning fisheries off the coast of the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-71)

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Transmitting reports on activities under the Highway Safety Act and the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-72)

Pages 26641-26642

Transmitting the twelfth annual report on Federal Energy Conservation Programs; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-73)

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Transmitting the fiscal year 1990 sequester program, project, and activity detail; which was referred jointly to the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry, the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, the Committee on Environment and Public Works, the Committee on Finance, the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Committee on Governmental Affairs, the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Labor and Human Resources, the Committee on Rules and Administration, the Committee on Small Business, and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (PM-74)

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the Tax Convention with the Republic of India (Treaty Doc. No. 101-5). The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and was ordered to be printed.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations: Received on Monday, October 30, during the recess:

Clarence Thomas, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit.

Edward J. Lodge, of Idaho, to be United States District Judge for the District of Idaho.

Edmund DeJarnette, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania.

Michael H. Newlin, of Maryland, to be an alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Thirty-third Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

Larry K. Mellinger, of California, to be United States Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank for a term of three years.

Albert W. Angulo, of Texas, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Foreign Service.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Larry K. Mellinger, of California, to be United States Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—279)

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Recess: Senate convened at 11:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:51 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, November 1, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 26693.)

Committee Meetings

GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED ENTERPRISES

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the safety and soundness of Government-sponsored enterprises (GSE's), receiving testimony from Robert R. Glauber, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Finance; Thomas H. Stanton, Olwine, Connelly, Chase, O'Donnell and Weyher, Washington, DC; and Thomas Gillis, Standard and Poor's Corporation,

and Andrew S. Carron, First Boston Corporation, both of New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HUD—MODERATE REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee resumed oversight hearings to review the implementation of HUD's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program, to provide affordable housing for low-income families and to rehabilitate deteriorating properties and revitalize neighborhoods, receiving testimony from William Diefenderfer, Deputy Director, Office of Management and Budget; and Richard Davis, former Associate director for Cabinet Affairs, and Carol Crawford, former Associate Director for Economics and Governments, Office of Management and Budget, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NUCLEAR SAFETY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed hearings on the Department of Energy's efforts to improve the operation and management of its atomic energy defense activities and its efforts to restore public credibility in the Department's ability to operate its facilities in a safe and environmentally sound manner, including related measures S. 972 and S. 1304, receiving testimony from Stephen Wakefield, General Counsel, Department of Energy; Richard B. Stewart, Assistant Attorney General, Land and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; Christian Holmes, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste Emergency Response, Environmental Protection Agency; George B. Merrick, Rockwell International Corporation, El Segundo, California; and Leo Zeferetti and David L. Mallino, both of the AFL-CIO, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue on Monday, November 13.

MISSILE PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held open and closed hearings on S. 208, to inhibit the proliferation of ballistic and cruise missiles in the Middle East, S. 1227, to restrict proliferation of missiles and missile equipment and technology, and S. 1421, to provide for the imposition of sanctions on persons who export, transfer, or otherwise engage in the trade of certain items in violation of laws and regulations implementing the Military Technology Control Regime (MTCR), receiving testimony from Senators DeConcini, Bingaman, Gore, and McCain; Richard A. Clarke, Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; James LeMunyon, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration; Norman Wulf, Deputy Assistant Director, Bureau of Nuclear and Weapons Control, U.S.

Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; and Henry Sokolski, Acting Deputy for Non-Proliferation Policy, Office of International Security Affairs, Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG PREVENTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings to review drug abuse prevention campaigns, after receiving testimony from Herbert M. Goldsmith, Members Only, New York, New York; David M. Winfield, New York Yankees, Fort Lee, New Jersey, on behalf of the Winfield Foundation; Darrell Green, Washington Redskins, Washington, DC; and Shelley List, Los Angeles, California.

TEACHING PROFESSION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 1675 and S. 1676, bills to provide financial assistance to strengthen the recruitment and training of teachers in America, receiving testimony from Senator Domenici; Warren Burger, former Chief Justice of the United States; Linda Darling-Hammond, Columbia University, New York, New York; Beverly Caffee Glenn, Howard University, Washington, DC; Shirley McBay, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge; Brian Dennehy, Santa Fe, New Mexico; and Maurice Sendak, Ridgefield, Connecticut.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE COMPETENCE

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Education, Arts and Humanities concluded hearings on S. 1540, to establish a program of grants for critical languages and area studies programs in elementary and secondary schools, and S. 1690, to establish programs to improve foreign language instruction, after receiving testimony from Nicholas Daniloff, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts; Ray Clifford, Defense Language Institute, Presidio of Monterey, California; Helene Zimmer-Loew, JNCL—NCLIS, Cherry Hill, New Jersey; Jeanne Wells Cook, Mississippi State Department of Education, Jackson; Margaret Dyer, University of Rhode Island Urban Field Center, Providence; Christine Brown, Glastonbury Public Schools, Glastonbury, Connecticut; Richard Unsworth, Northfield Mount Hermon School, Northfield, Massachusetts; and Charles MacCormack, The Experiment in International Living, Brattleboro, Vermont.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 3544-3564; 1 private bill, H.R. 3565; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 428-430, H. Con. Res. 218, and H. Res. 276-279 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 276, providing for the consideration of a motion to recede and concur in Senate amendment numbered 136 to H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, with amendment printed in the joint statement of the managers accompanying the conference report, and waiving certain points of order (H. Rept. 101-322);

H. Res. 277, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution, to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages (H. Rept. 101-323);

H. Res. 278, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage (H. Rept. 101-324); and

H.R. 251, to amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee, amended (H. Rept. 101-325).

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Veterans/HUD Appropriations: House receded from its amendment and concurred in Senate amendment numbered 25 to H.R. 2916, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

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Transportation Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 394 yeas to 21 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 319, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House began consideration of amendments in disagreement; but came to no resolution thereon.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 6, 7, 15, 24, 65, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 80, 85, 92, 94, 95, 111, 112, 117, and 122.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 1, 5, 8, 9, 13, 27, 32, 38, 42, 66, 72, 79, 90, 101, 105, 110, 113, 115, 116, 118, 119, 120, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, and 134.

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A point of order was sustained against the Whitten motion that the House recede from its disagreement and concur with an amendment to the amendment of the Senate No. 136. House will resume consideration of Senate amendment No. 136 on Wednesday, November 1.

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Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Iran national emergency: Message wherein he transmits a notice to the Congress stating that the Iran emergency is to continue in effect beyond November 14, 1989—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-107);

United States-Japan fishery agreement: Message wherein he transmits an agreement between the United States and the Government of Japan concerning fisheries off the coasts of the United States—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-106);

Federal energy conservation: Message wherein he transmits the annual report on Federal Energy Conservation Programs—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce; and

Highway, traffic and motor vehicle safety: Message wherein he transmits the annual reports on activities under the Highway Safety and National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Acts—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce and Public Works and Transportation.

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Airline Stock Acquisition Review: House completed all general debate and began consideration of amendments on H.R. 3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will continue on Wednesday, November 1.

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Agreed to the Bosco amendment that increases the amount of criteria that DOT must consider when determining if an acquisition should be disapproved to include whether the party seeking the acquisition has been involved in more than one bankruptcy (agreed to by a recorded vote of 283 yeas to 132 noes, Roll No. 321).

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H. Res. 275, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 414 yeas to 2 nays, Roll No. 320.

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Women Veterans Recognition Week: House passed H.J. Res. 35, designating November 5–11, 1989 as "National Women Veterans Recognition Week".

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Community Foundation Week: House passed H.J. Res. 425, designating November 12 through 18, 1989 as "Community Foundation Week".

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Gaucher's Disease Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 73, to designate the week beginning October 29, 1989, as "Gaucher's Disease Awareness Week".

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End to Hunger Education Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 198, designating November 1989 as "An End to Hunger Education Month".

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Washington Centennial Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 209, to designate November 11, 1989, as "Washington Centennial Day".

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Diabetes Month: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 131, to designate November 1989 as "National Diabetes Month".

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Glaucoma Awareness Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 194, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "National Glaucoma Awareness Week".

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the information on both base and sequester amounts for each program, project, and activity in each budget account subject to the sequester—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101–108).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed in the House during today's proceedings and appear on pages H7781, H7800, and H7813. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FIFRA

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture continued hearing on proposals to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Synar; Jack C. Parnell, Deputy Secretary, USDA; and Linda Fisher, Assistant Administrator, Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances, EPA.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing on the reauthorization of the Food Stamp Program in the 1990 Farm bill. Testimony was heard from Representative Wise; Catherine Bertini, Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Services, USDA; John Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury: Alex Barabolak, Examiner-in-Charge, and John J. Meek II, Senior Examiner, both of Chicago; James Clark, Examiner-in-Charge, Indianapolis; Robert Concannon, Examiner, Boston; Charles J. Gozdanovich, Examiner-in-Charge, Pittsburgh; David Riley, Examiner, Atlanta; Leo Clarke, General Counsel; and Patricia A. McJoynt, Senior Vice President, both with Federal Home Loan Bank, Seattle; Richard Newsom, and Eugene Stelzer, both Examiners-in-Charge, Department of Savings and Loans, State of California.

Hearings continue November 7.

EXCHANGE RATES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on the Treasury's report on exchange rates. Testimony was heard from David Mulford, Under Secretary, International and Monetary Affairs, Department of the Treasury; and Manual Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

U.S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities held an oversight hear-

ing on the U.S. Employment Service. Testimony was heard from William J. Gainer, Director, Education and Employment Issues, GAO; and public witnesses.

DRIFTNET FISHING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 214, in support of regional efforts to end driftnet fishing in the South Pacific.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action the following: a resolution to be introduced concerning the establishment of a South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone; and H. Con. Res. 217, honoring the centennial of the birth of India's Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru.

DEVELOPMENTS IN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Developments in Europe. Testimony was heard from Raymond G.H. Seitz, Assistant Secretary, European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations concluded hearings on the Department of State in the Twenty-First Century, Part IV: Policy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Herman J. Cohen, Assistant Secretary, African Affairs; John H. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs; Avis Bohlen, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of European and Canadian Affairs; and Michael Kozak, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs; and public witnesses.

GUNS AND DRUGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing on Guns and Drugs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Phil Orsini, Special Agent in Charge, Firearms Enforcement Branch, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms; and William B. Rosenblatt, Assistant Commissioner, Enforcement, U.S. Customs Service; Edward C. Ezell, Division of Armed Forces History, Smithsonian Institution; and a public witness.

HEALTH CLAIMS FOR FOODS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on the FDA's Continuing Failure to

Regulate Health Claims for Foods. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Robert Abrams, Attorney General, State of New York; Thomas J. Miller, Attorney General, State of Iowa; and a public witness.

RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN PROPERTY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, hearing on H.R. 1097, to release restrictions on certain property located in Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana. Testimony was heard from Representative Hayes of Louisiana and Billy Templeton, Assistant Director, Land and Renewable Resources, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

IMPLEMENTATION OF SUPERFUND PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing concerning EPA's implementation of the Superfund program, focusing on the Office of Technology Assessment's report on Superfund and the recently completed Superfund management review conducted by the EPA. Testimony was heard from Senator Lautenberg; Joel S. Hirschhorn, Project Director, Superfund Implementation Study, OTA; and Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA.

OIL POLLUTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 2 and ½ hours of debate on H.R. 1465, Oil Pollution Prevention, Response, Liability, and Compensation Act of 1989. The rule makes in order an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of H.R. 3394, Oil Pollution Act of 1989, as modified by the amendments printed in section one of the report accompanying this resolution, as original text for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. The substitute is to be considered by titles instead of by sections, with each title considered as having been read. Sections 302(c) and 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act, clause 7 of Rule XVI and clause 5(a) of Rule XXI are waived against the substitute, as modified. It shall be in order to consider en bloc the amendments printed in section two of the report accompanying this resolution if offered by Representative Studds of Massachusetts or Representative Miller of California. The en bloc amendments are debatable for one hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the proponent of the amendment and a member opposed. The en bloc amendments are not subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Finally, the rule provides

one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

CONFERENCE REPORT— TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule making in order a motion to recede and concur, with an amendment, in Senate amendment numbered 136 to H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule waives all points of order against said motion for failure to comply with the provisions of section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended (Public Law 93-344, as amended by Public Law 99-177). Testimony was heard from Chairman Whitten.

MINIMUM WAGE

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule providing 2 hours of general debate on H.R. 2710, Fair Labor Standards Amendments of 1989. The rule makes in order the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the report accompanying the rule as original text for the purpose of amendment. The substitute shall be considered as having been read. No amendment to the substitute is in order. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions, if offered by Representative Michel or his designee. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hawkins and Representatives Murphy and Sarpius.

SPACE STATION FREEDOM PROGRAM

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on proposed Space Station "Freedom" Program Revisions. Testimony was heard from Robert H. Truly, Administrator, NASA.

SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION AND LITERACY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on Science and Mathematics Education and Literacy, and on H.R. 3122, Science and Technological Literacy Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Ray Uhalde, Deputy Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Public Policy Development, Department of Labor; Christopher Cross, Assistant Secretary, Education Research and Improvement, Department of Education; Bassam Z. Shakhshiri, Assistant Director, Science and Engineering Education, NSF; Linda Roberts, Project Director, OTA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held an oversight hearing on the National Supercon-

ductivity and Competitiveness Act of 1988 (Public Law 100-697). Testimony was heard from John Whetten, Associate Director, Energy and Technology, Los Alamos National Laboratory; Elton Kaufman, Director, Superconductivity Pilot Center, Argonne National Laboratory; Bill R. Appleton, Associate Director, Physical Science and Advanced Materials, Oakridge National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

EPA'S FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REGULATION FOR UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Impact of Deregulation and Privatization, hearing on the effects of the EPA's financial responsibility regulation for underground storage tanks on small businesses. Testimony was heard from Peter F. Guerrero, Associate Director, Environmental Protection Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Ronald Brand, Director, Office of Underground Storage Tanks, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and public witnesses.

IN THE MATTER OF REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT GARCIA

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and adopted a resolution of preliminary inquiry In The Matter of Representative Robert Garcia.

INSOLVENT THRIFT INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight held a hearing on the role of Federal borrowing and loan guarantees in raising the funds necessary to finance the resolution of insolvent thrift institutions, including review of H.R. 3469, to amend title 31, United States Code, to prevent newly established Federal agencies from increasing the national debt through unauthorized borrowing. Testimony was heard from Representative Stark; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Robert R. Glauber, Under Secretary, Finance; and David W. Mullins, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Domestic Finance; Harry S. Havens, Assistant Comptroller General, GAO; James L. Blum, Assistant Director, Budget Analysis Division, CBO; L. William Seidman, Chairman, Resolution Trust Corporation; and Daniel P. Kearney, President and Chief Executive Officer, Resolution Trust Corporation Oversight Board.

Joint Meetings

SKILLS IN THE WORKPLACE

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the skills of American workers and the requirements of the workplace, after receiving testimony from Roberts T. Jones, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment and Training Administration; Anthony P. Carnevale, American Society for Training and Development, Alexandria, Virginia; Badi G. Foster, Aetna Institute for Corporate Education, Hartford, Connecticut; Owen Peagler, 70001 Training and Employment Institute, Robert A. Knight, National Association of Private Industry Councils, and William H. Kolberg, National Alliance of Business, all of Washington, DC; Rae Linefsky, Federation Employment and Guidance Service, on behalf of the National Youth Employment Coalition, and Thierry Noyelle, Columbia University, both of New York, New York; and Larry Hirshhorn, Wharton Center for Applied Research, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1487, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Wednesday, November 1, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26721–26787

Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1825–1829, and S. Res. 202.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 371, to designate certain National Forest System lands in the State of Idaho for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation System, to prescribe certain management formulae for certain National Forest System lands, and to release other forest lands for multiple-use management, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–179)

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Measures Passed:

Acquisition of Property in New York City: Senate passed S. 1827, to revise and clarify the authority of the Administrator of General Services relating to the acquisition and management of certain property in the city of New York.

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National Fallen Firefighters' Memorial: Senate passed S.J. Res. 77, recognizing the National Fallen Firefighters' Memorial at the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, Maryland, as the official national memorial to volunteer and career firefighters who die in the line of duty.

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Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations—Conference Report, 1990: Senate concluded consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after concurring in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 182, and after taking the following action:

Pages 26729–26736

Rejected:

Helms Amendment No. 1076, to establish a policy toward additional sanctions against the People's Republic of China, to Senate amendment number 182. (By 53 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 280), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pages 26729–26733

Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 26736–26742

Pending is the House amendment to Senate amendment numbered 35, relating to franked mailing and official mail costs of Senators and Members of the House of Representatives.

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Senate will resume consideration of the pending amendment on Thursday, November 2.

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, resumed consideration of the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., of the Southern District of Mississippi.

Pages 26733–26768

Senate will continue in closed session, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, to deliberate the articles of impeachment and the pending motions, notwithstanding any other rules of the Senate, including Rule XXII, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, November 2.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Hilary Paterson Cleveland, of New Hampshire, to be a Commissioner on the part of the United States on the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

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Messages From the House: Page 26770

Executive Reports of Committees: Page 26770

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Additional Cosponsors: Pages 26777-26778

Notices of Hearings: Page 26778

Authority for Committees: Pages 26778-26779

Additional Statements: Pages 26779-26785

Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—9)

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—280)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 6:36 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, November 2, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 26787.)

Committee Meetings

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in closed session to discuss certain conference issues relating to H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 1990/1991.

Committee recessed subject to call.

MONEY LAUNDERING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs held oversight hearings to review Federal-State coordination efforts in enforcing money laundering statutes to inhibit the flow of drug money in the United States, receiving testimony from Florida State Comptroller Gerald Lewis, Tallahassee; Timothy D. Mahoney and Les Bender, both of the New York State Department of Banking, and John F. Lee, New York Clearing House Association, all of New York, New York; Joseph Madison, Joseph Madison Associates, Inc., Lanesborough, Massachusetts; Chuck Morley, The Morley Group, Arlington, Virginia; Boris F. Melnikoff, First Atlanta Corporation, Atlanta, Georgia, on behalf of the American Bankers Association; L. Don Sargent, American Commerce National Bank, Anaheim, California, on behalf of the Independent Bankers Association of America; and Jerome S. Gagerman, Financial Clearings, Inc., Chicago, Illinois, on behalf of the National Check Cashers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce, after receiving testimony from Janice Obuchowski, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information.

UNITED STATES AND FOREIGN COMMERCIAL SERVICE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Foreign Commerce and Tourism concluded oversight hearings on programs administered by the U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service, Department of Commerce, after receiving testimony from Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance Issues, General Accounting Office; and Susan Schwab, Director General, United States and Foreign Commercial Service, Department of Commerce.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H.J. Res. 175, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the government of Palau, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1275, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate and maintain a water treatment plant for the purpose of treating water discharged from the Leadville Mine Drainage Tunnel near Leadville, Colorado, in order to meet water quality standards;

S. 486, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct and test the Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project, New Mexico and Texas, with amendments;

S. 53, to authorize reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, with amendments;

S. 1121, to authorize additional funds for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming; and

H.R. 2120, to authorize funds for programs of the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act, in lieu of S. 1700 (Senate companion measure).

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William Clark, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to

India, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

TREATY—LABOR STATISTICS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the Convention (No. 160), Concerning Labor Statistics adopted by the International Labor Conference at Geneva on June 25, 1985 (Treaty Doc. No. 101-2), after receiving testimony from Elizabeth Hanford Dole, Secretary of Labor; Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor; Anthony G. Freeman, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State, and Coordinator for International Labor Affairs, Department of State; and Rudy Oswald, AFL-CIO, F.M. Lunn, Jr., National Association of Manufacturers, and Edward Potter, McGuinness and Williams, and Brian Glade, both on behalf of the U.S. Council for International Business, all of Washington, DC.

QUALITY OF U.S. EDUCATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation held hearings to review the quality of U.S. education statistics and information gathering efforts by the Department of Education, receiving testimony from Emerson J. Elliott, Acting Commissioner for Education Statistics, Department of Education; Lois-ellin Datta, Director for Program Evaluation in Human Services Areas, and Fredrick Mulhouser, Assistant Director, both of the Program Evaluation and Methodology Division, General Accounting Office; Ernest Boyer, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, Princeton, New Jersey; Gordon M. Ambach, Council of Chief State School Officers, Ramsay Selden, State Education Assessment Center, and George Hall, Slater Hall Information Products, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1109, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs and activities contained in the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 7, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1995 for programs and activities contained in the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act;

S. 1310, to eliminate illiteracy by the year 2000, and to strengthen and coordinate literacy programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1824, authorizing funds for programs of the Education for the Handicapped Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 580, to require institutions of higher education receiving Federal assistance to provide certain information with respect to the graduation rates of student-athletes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 845, to grant to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) certain authorities regarding real property, to establish a senior scientific health service, and to set forth a variety of provisions regarding biotechnology, food, drug, and medical device regulation, and FDA activities and funding, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1606, to improve the health of individuals who are members of minority groups and who are from disadvantaged backgrounds, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

An original bill to provide grants for the expansion or renovation of biomedical and behavioral research facilities, to establish a National Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research, and to establish a senior biomedical scientific service, in lieu of S. 1392;

S. 1782, to provide for the establishment of an AIDS treatment assistance program for low income individuals; and

The nominations of Mary Sterling, of Missouri, to be Assistant Secretary of Labor for Labor Management Standards, Joshua M. Javits, of the District of Columbia, and Patrick J. Cleary, of Virginia, each to be a Member of the National Mediation Board, Thomas E. Anfinson, of California, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Education for Management, Betsy Brand, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Education for Vocational and Adult Education, and Carroll A. Campbell, Jr., of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Also, the committee failed to approve for reporting the nomination of Debra Russell Bowland, of Louisiana, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor.

FOOD SAFETY LAWS

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on proposed legislation to revise and strengthen U.S. food safety laws, including S. 722, to revise the authority under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to regulate pesticide chemical residues in food, receiving testimony from Janet Hathaway, Natural Resources Defense Council, Anne Bloom, Public Citizen, Jay J. Vroom, National Agricultural Chemicals Association, and Michael Taylor, King and Spalding, all of Washington, DC; Edward Groth III, Consumer's Union, Mount Vernon, New York; and Marlyn Jorgensen, American Soy Bean Association, Garrison, Iowa.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 7.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 3566-3575; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 219 and 220, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2890, to redesignate the Federal building and court house located in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse", amended (H. Rept. 101-326); and

H.R. 1805, to amend title 5, United States Code, to allow Federal annuitants to make contributions for health benefits through direct payments rather than through annuity withholdings if the annuity is insufficient to cover the required withholdings; to eliminate the reinsurance requirement under the Federal employees' life insurance program; and to make a technical correction relating to the life insurance program, amended (H. Rept. 101-327).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 292 yeas to 106 nays, Roll No. 322, the House approved the Journal of Tuesday, October 31.

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Subcommittees to Sit: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary, and Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, received permission to sit on Thursday, November 2 during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Library Services and Construction: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2742, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act; and asked for a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Hawkins, Williams, Ford of Michigan, Owens of New York, Hayes of Illinois, Perkins, Gaydos, Miller of California, Lowey of New York, Poshard, Goodling, Coleman of Missouri, Roukema, Tauke, Gunderson, and Henry.

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Transportation Appropriations: The House agreed to a motion to recede and concur, with amendment, to Senate amendment No. 136 to the conference report on H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 26795-26802

The Clerk was authorized to make any necessary technical corrections in spelling, punctuation, cross

referencing, and section numbering, and to correct a typographical error in the amendment as printed.

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H. Res. 276, the rule which provided for the motion, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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D.C. Appropriations: House agreed to refer the bill and the accompanying veto message on H.R. 3026, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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Defense Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Murtha, Dicks, Wilson, Hefner, AuCoin, Sabo, Dixon, Whitten, McDade, Young of Florida, Miller of Ohio, Livingston, and Conte.

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Agreed to the Murtha motion that the conference committee meetings between the House and the Senate on the bill be closed to the public at such times as classified national security information is under consideration, provided however, that any sitting Member of Congress shall have the right to attend any closed or open meeting (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 413 yeas to 2 nays, Roll No. 323).

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Fair Labor Standards: By a yea-and-nay vote of 382 yeas to 37 nays with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 324, the House passed H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage.

Pages 26804-26825

Agreed to the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order by the rule.

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The Clerk was authorized to make certain technical corrections and correct section numbers, and cross references in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 278, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Agreed to the Murphy unanimous consent request to modify the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order by the rule and printed in the report, by striking section 10 of the amendment.

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Airline Stock Acquisition Review: By a recorded vote of 301 ayes to 113 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 328, the House passed H.R.

3443, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to provide for review of certain acquisitions of voting securities of air carriers.

Pages 26825-26843

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to the DeFazio amendment that adds to the list of criteria that the Secretary of Transportation must consider in determining whether proposed stock acquisition should be disapproved, including the effects that such acquisition would have on the wages, benefits, or number of employees (agreed to by a recorded vote of 271 ayes to 147 noes, 1 voting "present", Roll No. 325).

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Rejected:

The Packard amendment that sought to change from mandatory to discretionary the authority of the Secretary of Transportation in disapproving and acquisition of voting securities;

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The Packard amendment that sought to eliminate as criteria under which the Department would disapprove a proposed airline stock acquisition, the finding that the probable intent of the acquiring party is to make a major reduction in the size of the airline by disposing of aviation-related assets (rejected by a recorded vote of 107 ayes to 306 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 326); and

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The Cox amendment in the nature of a substitute that sought to limit the scope of approval criteria solely to airline safety considerations by authorizing the Secretary to issue a stop order in advance against transactions which, in the opinion of the Secretary, would threaten existing laws relating to airline safety or foreign acquisitions (rejected by a recorded vote of 115 ayes to 300 noes with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 327).

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The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers and cross references in the engrossment of the bill.

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Commerce-Justice-State-Judiciary Appropriations: House disagreed to the Senate amendments to the House amendments to the Senate amendments Nos. 53, 171, and 191 to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and asked a further conference.

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Oil Spill Damage: By a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 154 nays, Roll No. 329, the House agreed to H. Res. 277, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability and

damages resulting from oil pollution, and to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages.

Pages 26843-26849

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay and four recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 26788, 26803, 26824, 26831, 26837, 26840, 26842, 26848. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FIFRA

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition continued hearings on the reauthorization of the Food Stamp Program in the 1990 Farm bill. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HOUSING AUTHORIZATION; HUD REFORM RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development began markup of the Housing authorization bill and other pending Housing matters, including HUD reform recommendations.

Will continue tomorrow.

STOCKMARKET DECLINE OF OCTOBER 13TH

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance met in executive session to hold a briefing on the stockmarket decline of October 13th. The Subcommittee was briefed by John Phelan, Chairman, New York Stock Exchange.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and hazardous Materials held an oversight hearing on the Federal Employers' Liability Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S. INTERNATIONAL FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture held a joint hearing to review U.S. International Food Assistance Programs. Testimony was heard from Alan Larson, Assistant Secretary, Economic and Business Affairs, Department of State; Christopher Goldthwait, Assistant General Sales Manager, Foreign Agricultural Service,

USDA; Philip Christenson, Assistant Administrator, Food for Peace and Voluntary Assistance, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 3033, amended, Chemical and Biological Warfare Elimination Act; H.R. 3544, amended, to authorize the transfer of a specified naval landing ship dock to the Government of Brazil under leasing authority of chapter 6 of the Arms Export Control Act; S. Con. Res. 71, congratulating Malta on the 25th anniversary of its Independence; H. Con. Res. 214, in support of regional efforts to end driftnet fishing in the South Pacific; H. Con. Res. 217, honoring the centennial of the birth of India's Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru; H. Con. Res. 218, concerning the establishment of a South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone; and a resolution reaffirming United States support for peace and democracy in Central America.

NEVADA WILDERNESS; MISCELLANEOUS PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: S. 974, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989; and H.R. 2567, to authorize appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming.

FEDERAL TORT CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations held a hearing on the following: H.R. 1095, to promote safety and health in workplaces owned, operated or under contract with the United States by clarifying the U.S. obligation to observe occupational safety and health standards and clarifying the U.S. responsibility for harm caused by its negligence at any workplace owned by, operated by, or under contract with the United States; H.R. 2536, to amend section 2680(a) of title 28, United States Code, to narrow the discretionary function exception to the Federal Tort Claims Act; and H.R. 2372, Radiation Exposure Compensation Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Hatch; Representatives Gradison and Owens of Utah; Stuart Gerson, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice; and a public witness.

IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 150, to amend the Immigration and National-

ity Act to provide a procedure for an alien who dies while serving on active duty with the United States armed forces during certain periods of hostilities to be considered a citizen of the United States at the time of alien's death; H.R. 525, to permit the naturalization of certain Filipino war veterans; and H.R. 639, Filipino Veterans Fairness Act.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held an oversight hearing on criminal aliens. Testimony was heard from Richard Williams, Associate Director, Visa Services, Department of State; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Jack Shaw, Assistant Commissioner, Investigations, Immigration and Naturalization Service; and David Milhollan, Director, Executive Office, Immigration Review; Lowell Dodge, Director Administrator of Justice Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

ARREST AUTHORITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing on H.R. 3333, to amend the Immigration and Naturalization Act to expand the arrest authority of officers and employees of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Testimony was heard from Richard Williams, Associate Director, Visa Services, Department of State; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Jack Shaw, Assistant Commissioner, Investigations, Immigration and Naturalization Service; and David Milhollan, Director, Executive Office, Immigration Review; Lowell Dodge, Director, Administrator of Justice Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE AND RESTORATION AT COAST GUARD FACILITIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation held a hearing on Environmental compliance and restoration at Coast Guard facilities. Testimony was heard from Victor S. Rezendes, Associate Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; RAdm. Robert L. Johanson, USCG, Chief, Office of Engineering, Logistics and Engineering, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Elaine Stanley, Deputy Director, Office of Waste Enforcement, EPA; William H. Parker, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Environment, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

WHAT IS A U.S. COMPANY?

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology and

the Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation held a joint hearing on "What is a U.S. Company"? Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMPACT OF THE CAPITAL GAINS TAX ON SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the Impact of the Capital Gains Tax on Small Business Investment. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DRUGS, ASSAULT WEAPONS AND PRECURSOR CHEMICALS

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on "Assault Weapons, Precursor Chemicals, and Drug Control in the Andes". Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Phil Orsini, Special Agent-in-Charge, Firearms Enforcement Branch, Bureau of

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms; and William Rosenblatt, Assistant Commissioner, Enforcement, U.S. Customs Service; David Westrate, Assistant Administrator, Operations, DEA, Department of Justice; the following officials of the Department of State: Rose Biancaniello, Office of Munitions Control; and Robert Mayer, Director, Program Office, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance and related programs, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Friday, November 3.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

(January 3 through October 31, 1989)

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session.....	121	132	..
Time in session.....	861 hrs., 03'	638 hrs., 48'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings.....	14,468	7,838	..
Extensions of Remarks.....	..	3,627	..
Public bills enacted into law.....	54	77	131
Private bills enacted into law.....	..	..	..
Bills in conference.....	0	12	..
Measures passed, total.....	452	461	913
Senate bills.....	78	14	..
House bills.....	74	179	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	101	52	..
House joint resolutions.....	36	44	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	34	22	..
House concurrent resolutions..	11	22	..
Simple resolutions.....	118	128	..
Measures reported, total.....	*312	*291	603
Senate bills.....	142	2	..
House bills.....	33	215	..
Senate joint resolutions.....	82	1	..
House joint resolutions.....	4	5	..
Senate concurrent resolutions..	10	..	..
House concurrent resolutions..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions.....	41	67	..
Special reports.....	18	18	..
Conference reports.....	..	16	..
Measures pending on calendar.....	85	53	..
Measures introduced, total.....	2,325	4,492	6,817
Bills.....	1,824	3,565	..
Joint resolutions.....	221	430	..
Concurrent resolutions.....	79	218	..
Simple resolutions.....	201	279	..
Quorum calls.....	8	10	..
Yea-and-nay votes.....	279	183	..
Recorded votes.....	..	128	..
Bills vetoed.....	1	4	..
Veto overridden.....	..	..	..

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 178 reports has been filed in the Senate, a total of 325 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

(January 3, 1989, through October 31, 1989)

Civilian nominations totaling 530, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	318
Unconfirmed.....	177
Withdrawn.....	31
Rejected.....	1
Failed.....	3

Civilian nominations (lists), totaling 2,876, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,242
Unconfirmed.....	634

Air Force nominations, totaling 11,393, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	10,349
Unconfirmed.....	1,044

Army nominations, totaling 16,275, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	15,182
Unconfirmed.....	1,093

Navy nominations, totaling 12,701, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	12,689
Unconfirmed.....	12

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,776, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed.....	2,579
Unconfirmed.....	197

SUMMARY

Total nominations received this session.....	46,551
Total confirmed.....	43,359
Total unconfirmed.....	3,157
Total withdrawn.....	31
Total rejected.....	1
Total failed of confirmation at Aug.-Sept. adjournment.....	3

Thursday, November 2, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1830-1834.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Special Report entitled "Activities of the Committee on Governmental Affairs." (S. Rept. No. 101-180)

S. 1382, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel the *Karlissa*. (S. Rept. No. 101-181)

S. 1512, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-182)

S. 1576, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Lazy Jack*. (S. Rept. No. 101-183)

S. 1615, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Da Warrior*. (S. Rept. No. 101-184)

S. 1616, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *Crili*. (S. Rept. No. 101-185)

S. 1665, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the submersible vessel PC-1501. (S. Rept. No. 101-186)

H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-187)

H.R. 2151, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to establish a schedule for the installation in certain civil aircraft of the collision avoidance system known as TCAS-II, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-188)

H.R. 3294, to authorize distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland."

S. Res. 200, expressing the support of the Senate for firm and decisive action by the United States at the upcoming meeting of environmental Ministers in the Netherlands on November 6 and 7 in support of a framework convention on climate change.

S. 82, to recognize the organization known as the 82nd Airborne Division Association, Incorporated.

S. 84, to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide Federal debt collection procedures, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1563, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact.

S. Con. Res. 53, concerning Iranian persecution of the Baha'is.

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Measures Passed:

Protection of Retired Pay of Convicted Members of the Armed Forces: By 78 yeas to 17 nays (Vote No. 282), Senate passed S. 1816, to protect the retired pay of certain members of the Armed Forces convicted of an offense under section 2071(b) of title 18, United States Code, as modified.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate continued consideration of the conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, taking the following action:

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Rejected:

(1) Humphrey Modified Amendment No. 1077, relating to the disclosure by Members of the House of Representatives and the Senate of official mail expenditures (to Senate amendment number 35, relating to franked mailing and official mail costs of Senators and Members of the House of Representatives). (By 64 yeas to 35 nays (Vote No. 281), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Reid Amendment No. 1078 (to amendment No. 1077), to require disclosure of sources of funds other than appropriated funds for office expenses of Members of Congress. (The amendment fell when amendment No. 1077, listed above, was tabled.)

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, continued deliberations in closed session of the articles of impeachment and pending motions in the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., of the Southern District of Mississippi.

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Senate will vote on the articles of impeachment and pending motions on Friday, November 3.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Susan Morrissey Livingstone, of Montana, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

Abraham N.M. Shashy, Jr., of Texas, to be an Assistant General Counsel in the Department of the Treasury (Chief Counsel for the Internal Revenue Service).

2 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—10) Page 26988

Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—282) Pages 26982, 27026

Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 11:13 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Friday, November 3, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 27048.)

Committee Meetings

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 1729, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1994 for the Commodity Exchange Act, and to reorganize the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (As approved by the committee, the bill incorporates provisions of S. 836, S. 918, S. 919, S. 962, S. 992, S. 1194, S. 1267, S. 1313, S. 1314, and S. 1561).

MONITORED RETRIEVABLE STORAGE FACILITY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings to review a report from the Monitored Retrievable Storage Review Commission on whether a storage facility for nuclear waste should be included in the national nuclear waste management system, after receiving testimony from Alex Radin, Chairman, and Dole E. Klein and Frank L. Parker, both Commissioners, all of the Monitored Retrievable Storage Review Commission.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. Con. Res. 53, concerning Iranian persecution of the Baha'is;

S. Res. 200, relating to the upcoming meeting of Environmental Ministers in the Netherlands;

H.R. 3294, authorizing distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland;"

Treaty Doc. 101-4, United Nations Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, with three understandings; and

The nominations of R. James Woolsey, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as U.S. Representative to the Negotiation on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE), Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period, Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period, Luigi R. Einaudi, of Maryland, to be the Permanent Representative of the U.S. to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador, Reginald J. Brown, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the International Development Cooperation Agency for Program and Policy Coordination, Chas. W. Freeman, Jr., of Rhode Island, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Smith Hempstone, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya, Francis T. McNamara, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde, Keith L. Wauchope, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic and to serve concurrently as Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe, William Clark, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to India, Sam Gejdenson, of Connecticut, to be a U.S. Representative to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations, Christopher H. Smith, of New Jersey, to be a U.S. Representative to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations, and routine Foreign Service Officers' Promotion lists.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings on S. 38, to make long-term care insurance available to certain civilian Federal employees, receiving testimony from Senator Wilson; Constance Berry Newman, Director, Office of Personnel Management; Vincent R. Sombrotto, The FAIR Coali-

tion, H.T. Steven Morrissey, National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Gail Shearer, Consumers Union, Joshua M. Wiener, The Brookings Institution, Bruce Boyd, Health Insurance Association of America, James Firman, United Senior Health Cooperative, and Richard V. Minck, American Council of Life Insurance, all of Washington, DC; and Dennis L. DeWitt, A. Foster Higgins and Co., Inc., Los Angeles, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 458, to provide for a General Accounting Office investigation and report on conditions of displaced Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, to provide certain rules of the House of Representatives and of the Senate with respect to review of the report, and to provide for the temporary stay of detention and deportation of certain Salvadorans and Nicaraguans, with amendments;

S. 1259, to require the detention of any person found guilty of a violent offense pending sentence of appeal;

S. 1563, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact; and

The nominations of S. Jay Plager, of Indiana, to be United State Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, George W. Lindberg, to be United States District Court Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Donald B. Ayer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice, and K. Michael Moore, of Florida, to be Director, U.S. Marshalls Service, Department of Justice.

INDIAN AGRICULTURE

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings to review the current state of Indian agriculture, focusing on future directions and recommendations on ways to overcome barriers to existing farming techniques, after receiving testimony from Paul Kindinger, Director, Public Affairs Office, Department of Agriculture; Patrick Hayes, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs for Trust and Economic Development; Robert L. Miller, Intertribal Agriculture Association, Parker, Arizona; Calvin Waln, Rosebud Indian Reservation, Rosebud, South Dakota; Lyman Young, Fort Belknap Reservation, Harlem, Montana; Paul Iron Cloud, Oglala Sioux Tribe, Pine Ridge, South Dakota; Howard Jones, University of Arizona, Tucson; James A. Humes, Chickasaw Nation, Ada, Oklahoma; Leona Kakar, Ak-Chin Indian Community, Maricopa, Arizona; Gerry Emm, Washoe Tribe, Gardnerville, Nevada; and Don

Peasley, Colville Confederated Tribe, Nespelem, Washington.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, November 7.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 3576-3587; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 431, H. Con. Res. 221-222, and H. Res. 280 were introduced.

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Journal: By a ye-and-nay vote of 285 yeas to 111 nays, Roll No. 330, the House approved the Journal of Wednesday, November 1.

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Commerce-Justice-State Appropriations: The Speaker appointed the following conferees for the further conference on the amendments of the House to the amendments of the Senate Nos. 53, 171, and 191 to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990: Representatives Smith of Iowa, Alexander, Early, Dwyer of New Jersey, Carr, Molohan, Whitten, Rogers, Regula, Kolbe, and Conte.

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D.C. Police Expansion Authorization: House agreed, with amendments, to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 1502, to authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Support of Democracy in Central America: By a ye-and-nay vote of 379 yeas to 29 nays, Roll No. 332, the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 221, reaffirming United States support for peace and democracy in Central America. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed resolution, S. Con. Res. 79, was agreed to in lieu—clearing the measure.

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Agreed to the Edwards of Oklahoma motion to recommit the resolution to the Committee on Foreign Affairs with instructions to report the resolution back forthwith containing an amendment in the

nature of a substitute (text of S. Con. Res. 79) (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 262 yeas to 152 nays, Roll No. 331). The resolution then was reported back to the House with the amendment, and the amendment was agreed to.

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Universal Postal Congress: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 222, to welcome the delegates of foreign postal administrations to the Twentieth Universal Postal Congress to be held in Washington, DC.

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Chinese Immigrant Status: By a yea-and-nay vote of 300 yeas to 115 nays, Roll No. 333, the House agreed to the Hefley motion to instruct House conferees in the conference on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants and by treating nonimmigrants, whose departure has been deferred by the Attorney General, as remaining in legal nonimmigrant status for purposes of adjustment or change of status, to agree to the provisions of the Senate amendment relating to Chinese fleeing coercive population control policies.

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Oil Pollution Limitations: House completed all general debate on H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution, to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments are scheduled to begin on Wednesday, November 8.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight on Saturday, November 4, to file a conference report on H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

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New York Property Acquisition: House passed S. 1827, to revise and clarify the authority of the Administrator of General Services relating to the acquisition and management of certain property in the city of New York—clearing the measure for the President.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 26904, 26920, 26921, and 26932. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: House met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AUTHORIZATION; HUD REFORM RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development continued markup of the Housing authorization bill and other pending Housing matters, including HUD reform recommendations.

Will continue November 8.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA JUDICIAL REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education continued hearings on H.R. 3470, District of Columbia Judicial Reorganization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ADULT LITERACY AND EMPLOYABILITY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 3123, Adult Literacy and Employability Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cooper and Stokes; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety held an oversight hearing on OSHA's proposed standard to protect health care workers from bloodborne pathogens, including AIDS and hepatitis B viruses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 9.

EMERGING TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGIES ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 2965, Emerging Telecommunications Technologies Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Alfred C. Sikes, Chairman, FCC; Janice Obuchowski, Assistant Secretary, Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

SCHOOLBUS LOADING ZONE SAFETY ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on H.R. 3107, Schoolbus Loading Zone Safety Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Jeffrey Miller, Acting Administrator, National High-

way Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

PACE OF DEMOCRATIC REFORMS AND STATUS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN EASTERN EUROPE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations continued hearings on the Pace of Democratic Reforms and Status of Human Rights in Eastern Europe (Part II). Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AMERICA'S SERVICES TRADE DEFICIT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on America's Services Trade Deficit. Testimony was heard from Linda Powers, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Services, Department of Commerce; Richard Self, Deputy Assistant U.S. Trade Representative, Services, Insurance and Banking; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on General Oversight and Investigations held an oversight hearing on the participation of the U.S. Geological Survey in the National Earthquake Hazardous Reduction Program and its activities under the 1977 National Earthquake Hazardous Reduction Act. Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Chairman, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Dennis Kwiatkowski, Assistant Associate Director, Office of Natural and Technological Hazards, FEMA; and public witnesses.

KINO MISSIONS NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 2843, to establish the Kino Missions National Monument in the State of Arizona. Testimony was heard from Representative Kolbe; James M. Ridenour, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

FORFEITURE AMENDMENTS ACT; POLICE CORPS ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime approved for full Committee action H.R. 3550, Forfeiture Amendments Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 2798, Police Corps Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Specter; Representative Dornan of California; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees, and International Law held an oversight hearing on Eastern European refugees. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lipinski and

Kaptur; the following officials of the Department of State: Ambassador Princeton Lyman, Director, Bureau for Refugee Programs; and Curtis Kamman, Deputy Assistant Secretary, European Affairs; Nancy R. Kingsbury, Director, Foreign Economics Assistance Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF THE PANAMA CANAL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal/Outer Continental Shelf held a hearing on the Strategic Importance of the Panama Canal. Testimony was heard from Representative Crane; Dennis McAuliffe, Administrator, Panama Canal Commission; Michael Kozak, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; and Richard C. Brown, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Inter-American Affairs, Department of Defense.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee in Civil Service and the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary continued joint oversight hearings to examine the Federal personnel security clearance system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 16.

COSMETIC SURGERY

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy continued hearings on cosmetic surgery. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on H.R. 3505, to amend title II of the Social Security Act to assure the continuing financial solvency of the OASDI trust funds, and to require periodic reports by the Board of Trustees of the trust funds regarding the actuarial balance of the trust funds. Testimony was heard from Senator Moynihan; Representatives Rostenkowski and Frenzel; Robert D. Reischauer, Director, CBO; Gwendolyn S. King, Commissioner, SSA, Department of Health and Human Services; Mary Falvey Fuller, Public Trustee, OASDI and HI Trust Funds; and public witnesses.

MEDIGAP INSURANCE: THE NEW CATASTROPHE

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Health and Long-Term Care held a hearing on "Medigap Insurance: The New Catastrophe". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1835-1842, S. Res. 203, and S.J. Res. 222.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 175, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-189)

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Measures Passed:

National Women's Veterans Recognition Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 35, designating November 5-11, 1989, as "National Women's Veterans Recognition Week".

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Golden Anniversary of Mount Rushmore: Senate passed S. 148, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the Golden Anniversary of the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Wilson (for Pressler) Amendment No. 1079, to make technical corrections.

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National Nutrition Monitoring Program: Senate passed S. 253, to establish a coordinated National Nutrition Monitoring and Related Research Program, and a comprehensive plan for the assessment of the nutritional and dietary status of the United States population and the nutritional quality of food consumed in the United States, with the provision for the conduct of scientific research and development in support of such program and plan, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Wilson (for Dole) Amendment No. 1080, to provide for a description for membership on the Council which may be used by the President and certain designated Members of Congress in making appointments.

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Authorizing Testimony: Senate agreed to S. Res. 203, authorizing Senate employee testimony and the

production of Senate documents in a grand jury investigation.

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Mickey Leland Federal Building: Senate passed H.R. 3318, to redesignate the Federal building, known as the Concord Building, located at 1919 Smith Street in Houston, Texas, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building".

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Community Foundation Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 425, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week".

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82nd Airborne Division Association, Inc.: Senate passed S. 82, to recognize the organization known as the 82nd Airborne Division Association, Incorporated.

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Federal Debt Collection Procedures: Senate passed S. 84, to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide Federal debt collection procedures, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Granting Consent of Congress: Senate passed S. 1563, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact.

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Authorizing the Issuance of D.C. Revenue Bonds: Senate passed H.R. 3287, to waive the period of congressional review for certain District of Columbia acts authorizing the issuance of District of Columbia revenue bonds.

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Impeachment of Walter L. Nixon, Jr.: Senate, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, in the matter of the impeachment of Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., of the Southern District of Mississippi, took the following action:

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By 7 yeas to 90 nays (Vote No. 284), Senate rejected a motion by Judge Nixon to provide for a trial by the Senate.

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By 34 yeas to 63 nays (Vote No. 285), Senate rejected a motion by Judge Nixon to dismiss impeachment Article III.

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Article I, that Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., did knowingly and contrary to his oath make a material false and misleading statement to the grand jury. (Vote No. 286) 89 guilty, 8 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Walter L. Nixon, Jr., is guilty as charged in the article.

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Article II, that Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., did knowingly and contrary to his oath make a material false or misleading statement to the grand jury. (Vote No. 287) 78 guilty, 19 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Walter L. Nixon, Jr., is guilty as charged in the article.

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Article III, that Judge Walter L. Nixon, Jr., concealed conversations through false or misleading statements made to an attorney from the United States Department of Justice and a special agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation during an interview conducted in Biloxi, Mississippi, and concealed conversations by giving false or misleading statements to a Federal grand jury during testimony under oath in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. (Vote No. 288) 57 guilty, 40 not guilty, two-thirds of the members present not having voted guilty, the Senate adjudged that Walter L. Nixon, Jr., is not guilty as charged in this article.

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The Court of Impeachment adjourned sine die.

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Time Limitations Extension: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 750, extending time limitations on certain projects.

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Rocky Mountain National Park: Senate disagreed to the amendments of the House to S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado.

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Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations—Conference Report, 1990: Senate insisted on its amendments to the House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 53, 171, and 191 to the conference report on H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, agreed to hold a further conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following as conferees: Senators Hollings, Inouye, Bumpers, Lautenberg, Sasser, Adams, Byrd, Rudman, Stevens, Hatfield, Kasten, Gramm, and McClure.

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Motion to Request Attendance: During today's proceedings, by yeas 196 and nays 1 (Vote No. 283), Senate agreed to a motion to request the attendance of absent Senators.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Chas. W. Freeman, Jr., of Rhode Island, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

Luigi R. Einaudi, of Maryland, to be the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador.

Reginald J. Brown, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Carroll A. Campbell, Jr., of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation for a term of four years.

George W. Lindberg, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois.

Donald Belton, Ayer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Attorney General.

Mary Sterling, of Missouri, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

K. Michael Moore, of Florida, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service.

Thomas E. Anfinson, of California, to be Deputy Under Secretary for Management, Department of Education.

William Clark, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to India.

Patrick J. Cleary, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board for the term expiring July 1, 1991.

Joshua M. Javits, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the National Mediation Board for the term expiring July 1, 1992.

Smith Hempstone, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya.

Keith Leveret Wauchope, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Gabonese Republic and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe.

Francis Terry McNamara, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde.

R. James Woolsey, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Representative to the Negotiation on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE).

Betsy Brand, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Vocational and Adult Education, Department of Education.

The following-named Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period:

Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands.

The following-named person to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-

Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Sam Gejdenson, of Connecticut.

The following-named person to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Christopher H. Smith, of New Jersey.

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Quorum Calls: One quorum call was taken today. (Total—11)

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—288)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 4:56 p.m., until 2:30 p.m., on Monday, November 6, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 27172.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Martin L. Allday, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Melva G. Wray, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact, and William H. Young, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy, all of the Department of Energy, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Allday was introduced by Senator Gramm.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS PROGRAM

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation and Infrastructure held hearings on proposed legislation to authorize the acquisition of certain public building projects of the General Services Administration, receiving testimony from Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator, General Services Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AGRICULTURE TRADE

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings on proposed legislation to extend international trading rules to agriculture in the Uruguay Round of General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) negotiations, receiving testimony from Julius L. Katz, Deputy United States Trade Representative; Charles Joseph O'Mara, Assistant Administrator, International Trade Policy, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture; Reggie Wyckoff, National Association of Wheat Growers, Genoa, Colorado; C. Ronald Caffey, Uncle Ben's Inc., Houston, Texas, on behalf of the Rice Millers' Association; Robert D. Josseland and Thomas M. Cook, both of the National Cattlemen's Association, Corwith, Iowa; Eiler C. Ravnholt, Hawaiian Sugar Planters Association, on behalf of the U.S. Sugar Cane Growers and Processors, and the U.S. Sugar Beet Growers and Processors, and Steven A. McCoy, North American Export Grain Association, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 2 public bills, H.R. 3588-3589; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 281 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3086, to amend title 5, United States Code, to grant appeal rights to members of the excepted service affected by adverse personnel actions, amended (H. Rept. 101-328); and

H.R. 3046, to reduce the number of commissioners on the Copyright Royalty Tribunal, to change the salary classification rates for members of the Copyright Tribunal and the United States Parole Commission and the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners of Patents and Trademarks, amended (H. Rept. 101-329).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Hoyer as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Official Objectors: On behalf of the Majority Leader, Representative Kildee announced the following Members as official objectors for the Democratic side for the 101st Congress: For the Consent Calendar: Representatives Gordon, Lewis of Georgia, and Patterson; and for the Private Calendar: Representatives Mfume, Boucher, and Hubbard.

The Minority Leader announced the following Members as official objectors for the Republican side for the 101st Congress: For the Consent Calendar: Representatives Walker, McCandless, and Hastert; and for the Private Calendar: Representatives Sensenbrenner, Gekas, and Buechner.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 281, electing Members to the following standing committees: Representative Smith of New Hampshire to the Committee on Armed Services; and Representative Ros-Lehtinen to the Committee on Government Operations.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meetings

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to review the employment/unemployment situation for October, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Committee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance and related programs, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, November 6.

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Monday, November 6, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27194–27572

Measures Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1843–1845.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the Act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992. (S. Rept. No. 101–190)

S. 1729, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to reauthorize such Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–191)

S. 1485, to grant the consent of Congress to the Quad Cities Interstate Metropolitan Authority Compact entered into between the States of Illinois and Iowa.

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Measures Passed:

Agricultural Commodities Programs: Senate passed S. 1838, to establish or modify research, promotion, and consumer education programs for certain agricultural commodities.

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Universal Postal Congress: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 222, to welcome the delegates of foreign postal administrations to the Twentieth Universal Postal Congress to be held in Washington, DC.

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Minimum Wage: Senate began consideration of H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage.

Pages 27198–27204

Senate will resume consideration of the bill on tomorrow.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Anthony Cecil Eden Quainton, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru.

Bradley P. Holmes, of Virginia, to be United States Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador.

G. Kim Wincup, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

Gene W. Shepard, of Iowa, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of Iowa for the term of four years.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Sonia Landau, of New York, to be Coordinator for International Communications and Information, with the rank of Ambassador, which was received by the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Placed on Calendar:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:30 p.m., and recessed at 5:26 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Tuesday, November 7, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 27572.)

Committee Meetings**GLOBAL WARMING**

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 1610, to develop a program to determine potential impacts of climate change on agriculture and forestry, and to provide for the development of policies designed to address issues of global warming, receiving testimony from Clayton K. Yeutter, Secretary of Agriculture; and R. Neil Sampson, American Forestry Association, and Lynn Greenwalt, National Wildlife Federation, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.-JAPAN TRADE INITIATIVE

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Trade resumed hearings on the status of the U.S.-Japan Structural Impediments Initiative (SII), designed to eliminate structural barriers to expanding U.S. exports to Japan, receiving testimony from R.K. Morris, National Association of Manufacturers, and William T. Archey, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, both of Washington, DC; Mitchell E. Kertzman, Computer Solutions, Inc., Burlington, Massachusetts, on behalf of the American Electronics Association; T. Boone Pickens, Jr., Boone Company, Dallas, Texas, on behalf of the Mesa Limited Partnership; David D. Leland, PlumCreek Timber Company, Seattle, Washington, on behalf of the National Forest Products Association; Donald M. Spero, Fusion Systems Corporation, Rockville, Maryland; Julian C. Morris, Automotive Parts and Accessories Association, Lanham, Maryland; and Thomas R. Howell, American Natural Soda Ash Corporation, Westport, Connecticut.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL CONTRACTING PRACTICES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings to examine contracting practices and the use of consultants by the Environmental Protection Agency and the Department of Energy, receiving testimony from Donna R. Fitzpatrick, Assistant Secretary for Management and Administration, and Lawrence Oliver, Assistant General Counsel, both of the Department of Energy; and David O'Connor,

Director, Procurement and Contract Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERNATIONAL ANTI-DRUG STRATEGY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control to examine Jamaica's proposed comprehensive international anti-narcotics plan, receiving testimony from Jamaican Prime Minister Michael N. Manley, Kingston.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives**Chamber Action**

Bills Introduced: 1 public bill, H.R. 3590, was introduced.

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Report Filed: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 2144, amended, to improve forest management in urban areas and other communities (H. Rept. 101-330).

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Melvin Price Building: On the call of the Consent Calendar, the House passed over without prejudice H.R. 2890, to redesignate the Federal buildings and court house located in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse".

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Naval ship dock transfer: H.R. 3544, amended, to authorize the transfer of a specified naval landing ship dock to the Government of Brazil under the leasing authority of chapter 6 of the Arms Export Control Act;

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Independence of Malta: S. Con. Res. 71, congratulating Malta on the twenty-fifth anniversary of its independence—clearing the measure;

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Civil Service Due Process Amendments: H.R. 3086, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, to grant appeal rights to members of the excepted service affected by adverse personnel actions;

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Federal employee health benefits: H.R. 1805, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, to allow Federal annuitants to make contributions for health benefits through direct payments rather than through annuity withholdings if the annuity is insufficient to cover the required withholdings; to eliminate the reinsurance requirement under the Federal employee's life insurance program; and to make a

technical correction relating to the life insurance program. Agreed to amend the title; and

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Urban forest management: H.R. 2144, amended, to improve forest management in urban areas and other communities.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DRAFT STRATEGIC PLAN

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force held a hearing to discuss the Draft Strategic Plan developed by the Resolution Trust Corporation Oversight Board. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: David Cooke, Director, Resolution Trust Corporation; and Daniel P. Kearney, President, Resolution Trust Corporation Oversight Board; and Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, GAO.

MEDICAL DEVICES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment held a hearing on health and safety issues related to medical devices. Testimony was heard from the following officials of GAO: Charles Bowsher, Comptroller General and Eleanor Chelimshy, Assistant Comptroller General; and public witnesses.

OSHA PROTECTIONS FOR CHEMICAL WORKERS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing held a hearing on the Adequacy of OSHA Protections for Chemical Workers. Testimony was heard from Representative Andrews; the following officials of OSHA, Department of Labor: Gerard Scannell, Assistant Secretary; Leo Carey, Director, Office of Field Programs; and Gilbert Saulter, Regional Administrator, Dallas, Texas; and public witnesses.

Joint Meeting

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Conferees continued in evening session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance and related programs.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1270)

H.R. 2989, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies. Signed November 3, 1989. (P.L. 101-136)

H.R. 3281, to extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950. Signed November 3, 1989. (P.L. 101-137)

S.J. Res. 86, designating November 17, 1989, as "National Philanthropy Day." Signed November 3, 1989. (P.L. 101-138)

S.J. Res. 120, to designate the period commencing November 12, 1989, and ending November 18, 1989, as "Geography Awareness Week." Signed November 3, 1989. (P.L. 101-139)

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Tuesday, November 7, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27580-27712

Measures Introduced: Three bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1846-1848, and S.J. Res. 223-225.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1392, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide grants for the expansion or renovation of biomedical and behavioral research facilities, to establish a National Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research, to establish a senior biomedical scientific service, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-192)

S. 1259, to amend section 3143 of title 18, United States Code, to require the detention of any person found guilty of a violent offense pending sentence or appeal.

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Measures Passed:

Intelligence Authorizations, 1990–1991: Senate passed H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the text of S. 1324, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to committee amendments and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 27602–27644, 27652–27654

Adopted:

(1) Cohen Amendment No. 1081, of a technical nature.

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(2) Wilson Amendment No. 1085, to provide for the consideration of the recommendations of the National Advisory Commission on Law Enforcement in formulation of the intelligence budget to provide for equity in Federal law enforcement compensation.

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Rejected:

(1) Hollings Amendment No. 1082, to strike provisions providing for an Inspector General (By 64 yeas to 34 nays (Vote No. 289), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pages 27619–27644

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed as conferees: Senators Boren, Nunn, Hollings, Bradley, Cranston, DeConcini, Metzenbaum, Glenn, Cohen, Hatch, Murkowski, Specter, Warner, D'Amato, and Danforth; and from the Committee on Armed Services: Senators Exon and Thurmond.

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S. 1324 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Debt Limit Extension: Senate passed H.J. Res. 280, to increase the statutory limit on the public debt, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Bentsen Amendment No. 1086, to repeal section 89 of the Internal Revenue Code.

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By unanimous consent, the committee amendment was withdrawn.

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Waiving the Printing on Parchment: Senate passed S.J. Res. 225, waiving the printing on parch-

ment of the enrollment of H.J. Res. 280, debt limit extension.

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Minimum Wage: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage.

Pages 27598, 27600–27601

Senate will resume consideration of the bill on tomorrow.

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Library Services and Construction Act: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 2742, to extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act, agreed to the request of a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Pell, Simon, Hatch, and Kassebaum.

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Catastrophic Insurance Reform: A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for the consideration of a bill from the House of Representatives which relates solely to the issue of the Catastrophic Health Insurance Program, and that the only amendment in order be the text of S. 1726, as passed by the Senate on October 6.

Pages 27644–27654

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Barry Lambert Harris, of Maine, to be Deputy Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

Robert William Houk, of Ohio, to be Public Printer.

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Measures Referred:

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Text of S. 1838 as Previously Passed:

Pages 27677–27699

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—289)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 10:22 p.m., until 10:15 a.m., on Wednesday, November 8, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 27712.)

Committee Meetings

1990 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve U.S. agricultural programs, focusing on the reform of P.L. 480 Food for Peace Program, receiving testimony from Ann M. Vene-man, Deputy Under Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs; Phillip L. Christenson, Assistant Administrator, and Owen Cylke, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, both of the Bureau for Food for Peace and Voluntary Assistance, Agency for International Development; former Senator John Melcher, Peggy Sheehan, Coalition for Food Aid, Ronnie G. Gollehon, Agriculture Cooperative Development International, and Steven A. McCoy, North American Export Grain Association, all of Washington, DC; John Donnelly, Catholic Relief Service, Baltimore, Maryland; and Daniel Shaughnessey, Export Processing Industry Coalition, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Robert C. Duncan, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of Operational Test and Evaluation for the Department of Defense, Duane P. Andrews, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, Robert C. McCormack, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Michael B. Donley, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air force, Susan M. Livingstone, of Montana, to be Assistant Secretary of the Army, Ann C. Petersen, of Illinois, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force, and Craig S. King, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Petersen was introduced by Senator Dixon.

TIMBER EXPORTS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy held hearings on S. 754 and S. 755, bills to restrict the export of unprocessed timber from certain Federal and State owned lands, receiving testimony from Senators Packwood and Gorton; Representatives DeFazio, John Miller, Unsoeld, and Williams; Oregon Governor Neil Goldschmidt, Salem; R. Dennis Hayward, North West Timber As-

sociation, Eugene, Oregon; George Frampton, The Wilderness Society, and Wayne Pierce, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, both of Washington, DC; Randy Taylor, International Veneer Company, Inc., Coldwater, Michigan, representing Inter-Industry Log Export Action Committee; James P. McElroy, Washington State Department of Natural Resources, and Rich Nafziger, Washington State Governor's Office, both of Olympia; Douglas Caffall, Caffall Brothers Forest Products, Inc., Wilsonville, Oregon, representing the Pacific Rim Trade Association and the Washington Citizens for World Trade; D.G. Hendricks, Port of Port Angeles, Port Angeles, Washington, representing the American Association of Port Authorities; and Glen Ramiskey, International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union (Local 24), Aberdeen, Washington.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the provisions pertaining to the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA) contained in Subtitle B of Title III of S. 324, to establish a national energy policy to reduce global warming, after receiving testimony from Cheryl Harrington, Maine Public Utility Commission, Augusta, on behalf of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners; Thomas D. Morron, Edison Electric Institute, Larry Hobart, American Public Power Association, and James L. Wolf, The Alliance to Save Energy, all of Washington, DC; Charles J. Cicchetti, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Stephen B. Harding, Puget Energy Services, Inc., Bellevue, Washington; Lydia M. Pastuszek, New England Electric Systems, Westborough, Massachusetts; Armond M. Cohen, Conservation Law Foundation of New England, Inc., Boston Massachusetts; and Joshua Bar-Lev, Luz International Limited, Los Angeles, California.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Forrest J. Remick, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member, and David C. Williams, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, each of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, title II, provisions relating to emissions standards for certain motor vehicles of S. 1630, Clean Air Restoration and Standards Attainment Act.

U.S.-JAPAN TRADE INITIATIVE

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Trade resumed hearings on the status of the U.S.-Japan Structural Impediments Initiative (SII), designed to eliminate structural barriers to expanding U.S. exports to Japan, receiving testimony from Rudiger Dornbusch, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge; Earnest H. Preeg, Center for Strategic and International Studies, and Robert Zee Lawrence, Brookings Institution, both of Washington, DC; Pat Choate, TRW, Inc., Arlington, Virginia; and Robert H. Rines, Franklin Pierce Law Center, Concord, New Hampshire.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Edwin L. Nelson, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama, G. Thomas Van Bebber, to be United States District Judge for the District of Kansas, Susan W. Wright, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas, and John M. Walker, Jr., of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Nelson was introduced by Senator Shelby and Representative Dickinson, Mr. Van Bebber was introduced by Senators Dole and Kassebaum, Ms. Wright was introduced by Senator Bumpers and Pryor and Representative Hammerschmidt, and Mr. Walker was introduced by Senator D'Amato. Testimony was also received on the nomination of Mr. Walker from Alan M. Dershowitz, Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 3591-3608; 1 private bill, H.R. 3609; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 432 and H. Res. 282-283 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of

Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 101-331);

Further conference report on the amendments of the Senate to the amendments of the House to the amendments of the Senate Nos. 53, 171, and 191, to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-332);

H.R. 1011, to provide for the establishment of the National Commission on Natural Resources Disasters, to provide for increased planning and cooperation with local firefighting forces in the event of forest fires (H. Rept. 101-333); and

H.R. 3033, to control the export, to countries pursuing or expanding the ability to produce or deliver chemical or biological weapons, of items that would assist such countries in acquiring such ability, to impose sanctions against companies which have aided in the proliferation of chemical or biological weapons, to provide for sanctions against countries which use or prepare to use chemical or biological weapons in violation of international law, amended (H. Rept. 101-334).

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 251 yeas to 105 nays, Roll No. 334, the House approved the Journal of Monday, November 6.

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Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar, the House passed the following bills:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 426, H.R. 429, H.R. 568, H.R. 713, H.R. 715, H.R. 757, H.R. 1017, H.R. 1018, H.R. 1020, H.R. 1021, H.R. 569, H.R. 756, and H.R. 2107.

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By unanimous consent, agreed to recommit H.R. 1177 to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone: H. Con. Res. 218, concerning the establishment of a South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone;

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Centennial of the birth of Nehru: H. Con. Res. 217, honoring the centennial of the birth of India's Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru;

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Everglades National Park protection: H.R. 1727, amended, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural resources within the park; and

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Melvin Price Federal courthouse: H.R. 2890, amended, to redesignate the Federal buildings and courthouse located in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Melvin Price Federal Courthouse". Agreed to amend the title.

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Eastern Airlines Dispute: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 1231, to direct the President to establish an emergency board to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units—clearing the measure for the President.

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Coast Guard Authorization: By a yea-and-nay vote of 383 yeas to 3 nays, Roll No. 335, the House passed H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990.

Pages 27742, 27747

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to:

The Traficant amendment, as modified, that gives the Coast Guard the authority to award contracts to United States firms that bid higher than foreign firms if it is determined to be in the best interest of the public by the United States Trade Representative and the Commerce Department, and various requirements are met;

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The Tauzin technical amendments;

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The Young of Alaska amendment that provides for oil terminal and oil tanker environmental oversight programs for Prince William Sound and Cook Inlet; including the provision for owner and operators associations and citizens councils for each of those programs;

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The Studds amendment that permits the Department of Defense to transfer housing properties owned by the Department to the Coast Guard;

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The Solomon amendment that requires civilian Coast Guard employees to be subject to random drug testing;

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The Studds amendment that requires the Transportation Department to work with the State of Massachusetts, local governments, and local historic preservation groups to develop a strategy for staffing and maintaining the Boston lighthouse in a manner consistent with its special historic character and designation as a national historic landmark;

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The Davis amendment that modifies constructive seizure procedure provisions to include only vessels suspected of being used for committing violations of

law involving personal use quantities of controlled substances; and

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The Walker amendment that prevents anything in the bill's provisions which would reduce the Coast Guard's ability to respond to possible drug interdiction opportunities that cannot be reasonably foreseen on the date of enactment of the measure.

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The Clerk was authorized to make technical corrections including spelling, punctuation, section numbering, and cross-referencing, in the engrossment of the bill.

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H. Res. 270, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Commerce-Justice-State-Judiciary Appropriations: House agreed to the further conference report on the amendments of the Senate to the amendments of the House to the amendments of the Senate Nos. 53, 171, and 191, to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 27738, 27746

Community Foundation Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 216, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week".

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Montana Centennial Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 19, to designate November 8, 1989, as "Montana Centennial Day."

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Alzheimer's Disease Month: House passed S.J. Res. 16, designating the month of November 1989 as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month."

Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that designates both the months of November 1989 and November 1990 as Alzheimer's Disease Month.

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Agreed to amend the title.

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Military Families Recognition Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 215, acknowledging the sacrifices that military families have made on behalf of the Nation and designating November 20, 1989, as "National Military Families Recognition Day."

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Recess: House recessed at 8:14 and reconvened at 9:48.

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Catastrophic Health Coverage: It was made in order on Wednesday, November 8, for the Speaker

to entertain a motion to suspend the rules and pass a bill relating to the subject matter of Medicare Catastrophic Health Coverage.

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Debt Limit Increase: By a yea-and-nay vote of 269 yeas to 99 nays, Roll No. 336, the House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 280, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages 27798–27805

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 27713, 27764, 27804. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 10:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from the following former officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board: Edwin Gray, Chairman; Shannon Fairbanks, Chief of Staff; and Lee Henkel, Board Member; Larry Taggart, former Commissioner, Savings and Loans, State of California; and a public witness.

Hearings continue November 14.

SEQUESTRATION; HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TRANSPORTATION ACT UNIFORM SAFETY AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action H. Con. Res. 220, expressing the sense of the Congress that all railroad retirement benefits are exempt from sequestration under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and that any such benefits sequestered under the Presidential order of October 16, 1989, should be restored.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 3520, Hazardous Materials Transportation Act Uniform Safety Amendments Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Kenneth M. Mead, Director, Transportation Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Travis P. Dungan, Administrator, Research and Special

Programs Administration; and Gilbert I. Carmichael, administrator, Federal Railroad Administration; David Speights, Director, Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Staff, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; the following officials of FEMA: Gerald G. Boyd, Division Chief, Technical Programs Division, Emergency Management Institute; and Jan Kuczma, Assistant Superintendent, National Fire Academy; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PROPOSED SALE OF M1A2 TANKS TO SAUDI ARABIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East and the Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science held a joint hearing on the Proposed Sale of M1A2 Tanks to Saudi Arabia. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Richard A. Clarke, Assistant Secretary, Politico-Military Affairs; and Edward W. Gnehm, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs; and Arthur H. Hughes, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense.

ANDEAN INITIATIVE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Task Force on International Narcotics Control held a hearing to review the President's Andean Initiative. Testimony was heard from Melvyn Levitsky, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics Matters, Department of State; Terrence Burke, Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator, DEA, Department of Justice; and Brig. Gen. Michael J. Byron, Director, Inter-American Region, Office of the Assistant Secretary, International Security Affairs, Department of Defense.

EPA STATE CLEANUP OF HAZARDOUS WASTE SITES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing to review EPA State Cleanup of Hazardous Waste Sites. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Jonathan Z. Cannon, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; Joel S. Hirschhorn, Senior Associate, OTA; and John J. Trela, Assistant Commissioner, Hazardous Waste Management, Department of Environmental Protection, State of New Jersey.

NATIONAL TRAILS SYSTEMS ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1159, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail; and H.R. 1109, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the California National Historic Trail and Pony Express National Historic Trail components of the National Trails System. Testimony was heard from Representatives Miller, Shumway and Slattery; James M. Ridenour, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

S. 1391, to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a Foundation for Biomedical Research. (S. Rept. No. 101-193)

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Measures Passed:

Catastrophic Insurance Reform: Senate passed H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Bentsen) Amendment No. 1090, in the nature of a substitute. (As adopted, the amendment incorporates the text of S. 1726, to repeal medicare catastrophic coverage provisions effective in years after 1989 and the supplemental medicare premium, as passed by the Senate on October 6.)

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Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed conferees as follows: Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Baucus, Mitchell, Riegle, Rockefeller, Bradley, Packwood, Dole, Roth, Danforth, Chafee, Heinz, and Durenberger.

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Minimum Wage: By 89 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 292), Senate passed H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 27857-27870, 27870-27878

Rejected:

(1) Symms Amendment No. 1087, to provide that the Congress shall not increase the business costs for small businesses that engage in an industry affecting commerce by enacting legislation that requires additional paperwork, capital expenditures, compliance costs, or taxes. (By 64 yeas to 34 nays (Vote No. 290), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Hatch Amendment No. 1088 (to amendment No. 1087), in the nature of a substitute. (The amendment fell when amendment No. 1087 was tabled.)

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(3) Gramm Amendment No. 1089, to strike the exclusion from the training wage for employers of migrant and seasonal agricultural workers. (By 63 yeas and 35 nays (Vote No. 291), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Enrollment Corrections: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 80, to correct technical errors in the enrollment of H.R. 2710.

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Joint Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE/JUSTICE/ STATE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on further differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2991, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 1487, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1849-1859, S. Res. 204 and 205, and S. Con. Res. 80.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Student Tree Planting Program: Senate agreed to S. Res. 205, to establish a student tree planting program.

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Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary Appropriations—Conference Report, 1990: Senate agreed to the further conference report on the amendments of the Senate to the amendments of the House to the amendments of the Senate numbered 53, 171, and 191, to H.R. 2991, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the conference report on H.R. 3014, Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990, on Thursday, November 9.

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the Council of Europe and Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development Convention on Mutual Administrative Assistance in Tax Matters (Treaty Doc. No. 101-6). The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and was ordered to be printed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

S. Jay Plager, of Indiana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Cynthia Shepard Perry, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi.

Robert Gregory Joseph, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Commissioner on the U.S.-USSR Standing Consultative Commission.

Scott Alan Sewell, of Maryland, to be United States Marshal for the District of Maryland for the term of four years.

Douglas B. Comer, of Virginia, to be Deputy Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

Mary L. Schapiro, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for the term of five years expiring June 5, 1994.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—292)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:15 a.m., and recessed at 6:39 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, November 9, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 27922.)

Committee Meetings

DOD SEQUESTER

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings to review the impact of sequestration under Gramm-Rudman-Hollings on the Department of Defense for fiscal years 1990 and 1991, after receiving testimony from Sean O'Keefe, Comptroller, Department of Defense; Gen. Robert RisCassi, Vice Chief of Army Staff; Adm. Leon A. Edney, Vice Chief of Naval Operations; Gen. Joseph J. Went, Assistant Commandant and Chief of Marine Corps Staff; and Gen. Monroe W. Hatch, Vice Chief of Air Force Staff.

AIRLINE COMPETITION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings on S. 1741, to increase competition among commercial air carriers at the nation's major airports, receiving testimony from Senator Metzenbaum; Robert L. Crandall, American Airlines, Inc., Dallas, Texas; Edward R. Beauvais, America West Airlines, Inc., Phoenix, Arizona; James W. Callison, Delta Airlines, Inc., Atlanta, Georgia; and Mark N. Cooper, Consumer Federation of America, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CONSUMER PRODUCT TESTING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 891, to promote the development and implementation of more humane and accurate methods of testing consumer products, after receiving testimony from Senator Reid; Representative Boxer; James O. Mason, Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Health; Victor J. Kimm, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Sub-

stances, Environmental Protection Agency; Martin Stephens, the Humane Society of the United States, Holly E. Hazard, Doris Day Animal League, and Neal D. Barnard, Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine, all of Washington, DC; and Alexander Sevanian, University of Southern California Institute of Toxicology, Los Angeles, on behalf of the National Association for Biomedical Research.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Martin L. Allday, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Melva G. Wray, of Connecticut, to be Director, Office of Minority Economic Impact, and William H. Young, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy, all of the Department of Energy;

H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the Clara Barton Parkway; and

S. 1594, to revise the boundary of Gettysburg National Military Park in Pennsylvania, with amendments.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Don R. Clay, of Maryland, to be Assistant Administrator of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, and James M. Strock, of Virginia, to be Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Monitoring, each of the Environmental Protection Agency, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Clay was introduced by Representative Morella, and Mr. Strock was introduced by Senators Simpson and Wilson.

BALLISTIC MISSILE PROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on worldwide ballistic missile proliferation from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Ronald J. Sorini, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the United States Negotiator on Textile Matters, Cresencio S. Arcos, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Honduras, and Richard H. Melton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federative Republic of Brazil, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Sorini was introduced by Senator Warner.

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEDURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on S. 88, to revise Federal judicial rules governing habeas corpus claims brought by State prisoners, and S. 1757 and S. 1760, bills to provide special habeas corpus procedures in capital cases, receiving testimony from Associate Justice Lewis F. Powell, Jr. (Ret.), Supreme Court of the United States; Chief Judge Donald P. Lay, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit; Chief Judge William J. Holloway, Jr., United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit; Judge Stephen Reinhardt, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit; Chief Judge Charles Clark and Judge Patrick E. Higginbotham, both of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit; Chief Judge Paul H. Roney, United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit; and Albert M. Pearson, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 3610-3627; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 223-224, and H. Res. 284 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 285, waiving all points of order against the conference report on H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes, and against the consideration of such conference report (H. Rept. 101-335); and

H.R. 2567, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming, amended (H. Rept. 101-336).

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Committee Resignations: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Browder wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation; and from Representative Towns wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Public Works.

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Committee Elections: House agreed to H. Res. 284, electing Representatives Browder and Taylor to the Committee on Armed Services; Representative

McDermott to the Committee on the District of Columbia; Representative Towns to the Committee on Energy and Commerce; Representative Levine of California to the Committee on the Judiciary; Representative Taylor to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Representative Sangmeister to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation; and Representative Geren to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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Catastrophic Health Coverage: House passed H.R. 3607, to repeal Medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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Oil Pollution Limitations: House began reading for amendment on H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution, to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments under the 5-minute rule will resume on Thursday, November 9.

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Agreed to:

The Jones of North Carolina amendment, as modified, that makes technical and conforming amendments to the bill;

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The Miller of California en bloc amendment, as amended by the Davis amendment, that prevents Federal law from preempting State laws relating to oil spill liability, compensation, and cleanup (agreed to by a recorded vote of 279 ayes to 143 noes, Roll No. 338); and

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The Miller of California amendment that changes liability standards so that liability limits would not apply to spills which occur due to "negligence" as opposed to "gross negligence or willful misconduct" (agreed to by a recorded vote of 213 ayes to 207 noes, Roll No. 341).

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Rejected:

The Tauzin amendment to the first Miller of California amendment, that sought to strike provisions which deal with State authority in determining the completion of a cleanup, and State financial responsibility requirements (rejected by a recorded vote of 151 ayes to 270 noes, Roll No. 337);

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The Shumway amendment that sought to allow a person seeking compensation for oil spill damages to do so under either Federal or State law, but not both (rejected by a recorded vote of 169 ayes to 251 noes, Roll No. 339); and

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The Hughes amendment that sought to disallow liability limits higher than those established in the

bill to be set by State or local laws, rules, or regulations (rejected by a recorded vote of 171 ayes to 252 noes, Role No. 340).

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The Tauzin amendment was offered but subsequently withdrawn that sought to preserve a State's right to use its own oil spill funds for payment of removal costs consistent with State law.

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Catastrophic Health Coverage: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3607, to repeal Medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of the House bill, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Stark, Donnelly, Coyne, Pickle, Levin of Michigan, Moody, Cardin, Russo, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane, Frenzel, and Schulze.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of the House bill, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dingell, Waxman, Scheuer, Walgren, Wyden, Bruce, Rowland of Georgia, Collins, Hall of Texas, Lent, Madigan, Dannemeyer, Tauke, and Bilirakis.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Five recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 27960, 27967, 27968, 27976, and 27985. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 8:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development held a hearing on H.R. 3581, Rural Economic Development Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Roland R. Vautour, Under Secretary, Small Community and Rural Development, USDA.

LONG-TERM ENERGY SECURITY

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on long-term U.S. energy security. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO: Victor S. Rezendes, Director; and

Flora H. Milans, Associate Director, both with Energy Issues; and public witnesses.

HOUSING AUTHORIZATION; HUD REFORM RECOMMENDATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development continued markup of the Housing authorization bill and other pending Housing matters, including HUD reform recommendations.

Will continue tomorrow.

EMERGENCY DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT EXPANSION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health and the Environment approved for full Committee action amended the Emergency Drug Abuse Treatment Expansion Act of 1989.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TRANSPORTATION ACT UNIFORM SAFETY AMENDMENTS ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials continued hearings on H.R. 3520, Hazardous Materials Transportation Act Uniform Safety Amendments Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives Applegate, Hall of Ohio, Traxler and Smith of New Jersey; Bernard Gaillard, Director, Office of Compliance and Consumer Assistance, ICC; James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; and public witnesses.

ANTI-NARCOTICS LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Ordered reported a bill to be introduced to combat International Narcotics Production and Trafficking.

AMERICANS ABROAD

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Operations held a hearing on Americans Abroad, Part I. Testimony was heard from Representative Alexander; and public witnesses.

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from Derek Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Defense; Ralph Carlone, Assistant Comptroller General, Information Management and Technology Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following bills: S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York; and H.R. 2809, amended, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the State of California.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations concluded hearings on the following bills: H.R. 1095, to promote safety and health in workplaces owned, operated or under contract with the United States by clarifying the U.S. obligation to observe occupational safety and health standards and clarifying the U.S. responsibility for harm caused by its negligence at any workplace owned by, operated by, or under contract with the United States; H.R. 2536, to amend section 2680(a) of title 28, United States Code, to narrow the discretionary function exception to the Federal Tort Claims Act; and H.R. 2372, Radiation Exposure Compensation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Richardson and Feighan; and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION REAUTHORIZATION; OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3532, Civil Rights Commission Reauthorization Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held an oversight hearing on the authority of the FBI to seize suspects abroad. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: William P. Barr, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel; and Oliver B. Revell, Associate Deputy Director—Investigation, FBI; and Abraham D. Sofaer, Legal Advisor, Department of State.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held an oversight hearing on computers and intellectual property. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMPUTER VIRUS LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 55, Computer Virus Eradication Act of 1989; and H.R. 287, Computer Protection Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representatives McMillen of Maryland and Herger; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and

the Environment held an oversight hearing on the recent decision to list the African elephant on Appendix I to the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora. Testimony was heard from Representatives Beilenson, Fields and Schneider; Constance B. Harriman, Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior; Larry Saiers, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Africa, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on the following: GSA Building Project Survey Report; two 11(b) resolutions; H.R. 3311, to redesignate the United States Post Office/Court House located in Salt Lake City, UT, as the "Frank E. Moss Federal Building; a new location for the EPA; "least-cost" financing of public building projects by the GSA; a report on damage to Federal facilities by Hurricane Hugo and the California earthquake; 7 lease and 2 lease prospectuses. Testimony was heard from Representatives Panetta, Visclosky and Owens of Utah; F. Henry Habicht II, Deputy Administrator, EPA; the following officials of the GSA: Richard G. Austin, Acting Administrator; and David Bigg, Assistant Commissioner, Facility Planning; and public witnesses.

CONFERENCE REPORT—NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report on H.R. 2461, National Defense Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 1990, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as having been read when called up for consideration. Testimony was heard from Chairman Aspin and Representatives Bennett, Hughes, Dickinson and McCollum.

CLARIFYING THE RIGHTS OF THE SPEAKER WITH RESPECT TO INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MATTERS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 268, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to clarify the right of the Speaker to attend any meeting and to have access to any information in the possession of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. Testimony was heard from Representatives Beilenson and Hyde.

FEDERAL RESEARCH POLICY AND THE AMERICAN SEMICONDUCTOR INDUSTRY

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials and the Subcommittee on Science, Research and

Technology held a joint hearing on SEMATECH. Testimony was heard from Representative Levine of California; John N. Olds, Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, GAO; Craig Fields, Director, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Glenn McLoughlin, Analyst, Economics Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

CHEMICAL WEAPONS SANCTIONS; REPEAL MEDICARE PROVISIONS IN THE MEDICARE CATASTROPHIC COVERAGE ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3033, Chemical and Biological Warfare Elimination Act; and H.R. 3607, to repeal Medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

FEDERAL AGENCY DEBT MANAGEMENT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Oversight approved for full Committee action H.R. 3469, Federal Agency Debt Management Act.

Joint Meetings

CORPORATE INVESTMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to examine how corporate investment decisions on research and development, capital, and acquisitions are influenced by the equity markets, the cost of capital, and public policy, receiving testimony from Michael C. Jensen, Harvard Business School, and F.M. Scherer, Harvard University, both of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 14.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Conferees continued in evening session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3072, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense.

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Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twelve bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1860-1871, and S. Res. 206.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1863, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide grants for the expansion or renovation of biomedical and behavioral research facilities. (S. Rept. No. 101-194)

S. 1868, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. (S. Rept. No. 101-195)

S. 1310, to eliminate illiteracy by the year 2000, to strengthen and coordinate literacy programs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-196)

S. Con. Res. 73, to express the support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia.

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Measures Passed

Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of H.R. 2642, granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact, and the bill was then passed.

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Federal Trade Commission Authorization: Senate passed S. 1249, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to provide authorization of appropriations.

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Drug and Alcohol Testing: Senate passed S. 561, to provide for testing for the use, without lawful authorization, of alcohol or controlled substances by the operators of aircraft, railroads, and commercial motor vehicles after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Niobrara River Scenic River Designation: Senate passed S. 280, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating a segment of the Niobrara River in Nebraska as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Mitchell (for Johnston) Amendment No. 1094, to make a technical correction.

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NASA Authorization: Senate passed S. 916, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program

management, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Mitchell (for Gore) Amendment No. 1095, to prohibit NASA Small Business Innovation Research Program funds be used for travel or civil service salaries.

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(2) Mitchell (for Gore) Amendment No. 1096, to establish policies for the National Space Council.

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(3) Mitchell (for Gore) Amendment No. 1097, to provide undergraduate studies in the National Space Grant College and Fellowship Program.

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(4) Mitchell (for Gore) Amendment No. 1098, to make a technical correction.

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(5) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1099, to increase funding for physics and astronomy.

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(6) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1100, to increase funding for the Advanced Communications Technology Satellite.

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(7) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1101, to increase funding for the University Space Science and Technology Academic Program.

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(8) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1102, to increase funding for space shuttle production and operational capability.

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(9) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1103, to increase funding for NASA research and program management.

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(10) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1104, to provide funding for construction of the Advanced Solid Rocket Motor Facility, Yellow Creek, Mississippi, Space Station Orbital Debris Radar Facility, and a Wake Shield Facility.

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(11) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1105, to provide funding for space shuttle structural spares, continued development of an extended duration orbiter, and for space transportation system requirements.

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(12) Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1106, to provide funding for tooling and equipment associated with the Advanced Solid Rocket Motor Facility.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to pro-

vide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking the following action:

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Withdrawn:

Packwood Amendment No. 1065 (to Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056), in the nature of a substitute.

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Pending:

Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056, to promote democratization and reform in Poland and Hungary through development of the private sectors, labor market reforms, and enhanced environmental protection.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and the pending amendments proposed thereto, on Monday, November 13.

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Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate concluded consideration of the conference report on H.R. 3014, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after taking the following action:

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By unanimous consent, Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 1, 8, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40.

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Rejected:

Wilson Amendment No. 1091 (to House amendment to Senate amendment number 6), to prohibit the use of the franking privilege for unsolicited mass mailings, and to transfer savings to treatment of drug-dependent pregnant and post partum women and their infants. (By 66 yeas to 29 nays (Vote No. 293), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Subsequently, Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 6.

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Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 1, 5, 8, 9, 13, 27, 32, 38, 42, 66, 72, 79, 90, 101, 105, 110, 113, 115, 116, 118, 119, 120, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, and 134.

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During consideration of this measure today, the following action also occurred:

By 40 yeas to 51 nays (Vote No. 294), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected a motion to waive section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to the consideration of Coats Amendment 1092, to provide the President with legislative line item veto authority. Subsequently, a point of order that the amendment was in violation of the Congressional Budget Act was sustained, and the amendment thus fell.

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Pending is the House amendment to Senate amendment number 136, to provide increased funding for education, prevention, treatment, and law enforcement of the anti-drug program, with final disposition to occur no later than the close of Senate business on Tuesday, November 14.

Pages 28078, 28104

Capital Gains Taxes—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of H.R. 3628, to temporarily reduce the capital gains tax for non-corporate taxpayers, on Tuesday, November 14, at 2:15 p.m.

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Removal of Injunction of Secrecy: The injunction of secrecy was removed from Annex III to the 1973 Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (Treaty Doc. No. 101-7). The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and was ordered to be printed.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Jane A. Kenny, of Virginia, to be Director of the ACTION Agency.

Dennis B. Underwood, of California, to be Commissioner of Reclamation.

Melva G. Wray, of Connecticut, to be Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact.

William H. Young, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Nuclear Energy).

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Stephen J. Ledogar, of Connecticut, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Representative to the Conference on Disarmament.

Gerald E. Rosen, of Michigan, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan.

Donald J. Lee, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

Edward J. Philbin, of California, to be a Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission for a term expiring December 31, 1993. **Page 28175**

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—294)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:35 p.m., until 2:30 p.m., on Monday, November 13, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 28175.)

Committee Meetings

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Scott G. Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, Department of Agriculture; Puerto Rico Governor Rafael Hernandez Colon, on behalf of the Popular Democratic Party, Carlos Romero Barcelo, former Puerto Rico Governor, on behalf of the New Progressive Party, Manuel Rodriguez Orallana, Commissioner of the State Electoral Commission for the Puerto Rican Independence Party, Puerto Rico Senators Ruben Berrios and Fernando Martin, and Puerto Rico Resident Commissioner Jaime B. Fuster, all of San Juan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Christopher Jehn, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, G. Kim Wincup, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, and Barbara S. Pope, of Mississippi, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Wincup was introduced by Representatives Aspin, Dickinson and Montgomery, and Ms. Pope was introduced by Senator Lott.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination

of Deborah Wince Smith, of Ohio, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Technology Policy, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Johnston, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

HUMAN GENOME INITIATIVE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings to review the human genome initiative, designed to decipher the human genetic code, and the benefits and societal implications of the information and technology it may provide, after receiving testimony from Senator Domenici; James D. Watson, Director, National Center for Human Genome Research, National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services; Robert W. Wood, Acting Associate Director, Office of Health and Environmental Research, Department of Energy; Francis S. Collins, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor; Patricia King, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC; Maynard Olson, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri; and Nancy S. Wexler, Columbia University, New York, New York.

WHOLESALE ELECTRIC COMPETITION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 406, Competitive Wholesale Electric Generation Act, focusing on to what extent independent power production and competition in wholesale generation should be options in ensuring future electric supply, receiving testimony from William T. McCormick, Jr., CMS Energy Corporation, Jackson, Michigan; Mason Willrich, PG&E Enterprises, San Francisco, California; Paul J. Elston, Long Lake Energy Corporation, New York, New York; E. Richard Brooks, Central and South West Services, Inc., Dallas, Texas; A. Drue Jennings, Kansas City Power and Light Co., Kansas City, Missouri; and Joseph F. Paquette, Jr., Philadelphia Electric Co., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Thursday, November 16.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

Convention Concerning Labor Statistics, Adopted by the International Labor Conference (Treaty Doc. 101-2), with a declaration;

S. Con. Res. 73, expressing support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia; and

The nominations of Cresencio S. Arcos, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Honduras, Richard Huntington Melton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federative Republic of Brazil,

and routine Foreign Service Officers' promotion lists.

NUCLEAR TESTING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on nuclear testing issues, after receiving testimony from C. Paul Robinson, Chief, U.S. Delegation, Nuclear Testing Talks; Kathleen Bailey, Assistant Director for Nuclear and Weapons Control, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Rear Adm. Eugene J. Carroll, Jr., USN (Ret.), Deputy Director, Center for Defense Information; John O. Pastore, International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Aaron Tovish, Parliamentarians Global Action, New York, New York.

SCIENCE AND MATH EDUCATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine deficiencies in science, mathematics, and technology education in the United States, and proposed legislation to establish a national clearinghouse of science, mathematics, and technology education materials, receiving testimony from Senator Hatfield; Carl Sagan, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York; Philip Uri Treisman, University of California at Berkeley; Betty M. Vetter, Commission on Professionals in Science and Technology, Shirley M. Malcom and F. James Rutherford, both of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and Bill G. Aldridge, National Science Teachers Association, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Vaughn R. Walker, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Wilson, testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from Louise H. Renne, San Francisco City Attorney, Terence Hallinan, San Francisco Board of Supervisors, Ina L. Gjemant, Judge of the Superior Court of California, Diane Wick, Judge of the Municipal Court, Kevin Wadsworth, Concerned Republicans for Individual Rights, and Charles Hanger, Brobeck, Phleger and Harrison, all of San Francisco, California; Julianne Malveaux, University of California, Berkeley, on behalf of the San Francisco Black Leadership Forum; Stephen Gillers, New York University School of Law, New York, New York; Thomas Bourke, Rioridan and McKenzie, Los Angeles, California; and Jack Friedenthal, George Washington University, Washington, DC.

IMPACT OF DRUGS ON CHILDREN/FAMILIES

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held joint hearings with the Committee on the Judiciary to review the impact of drugs on children and families, receiving testimony from Dave Stewart, Oakland Athletics, Oakland, California, on behalf of KIDSCORPS; Mike Duran, Los Angeles County Probation Department, Los Angeles, California; Robert Vaughn, University of Kansas, Lawrence; Reed V. Tuckson, District of Columbia Commissioner of Public Health, Washington, DC; and Mrs. Johnnie May Lewis, Reed Hook Apartments, South Brooklyn, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of David E. Lewis, of Florida, to be Assistant Secretary for Acquisition and Facilities, Ronald E. Ray, of Florida, to be Assistant Secretary for Human Resources and Administration, and Edward G. Lewis, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Information Resources Management, each of the Department of Veterans Affairs, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1783, to regulate Indian child protection and prevent child abuse on Indian reservations, with amendments;

S. 1270, to provide an Indian mental health demonstration grant program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1813, to ensure that funds provided under section 4213 of the Indian Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act of 1986 may be used to acquire land for emergency shelters, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1526, to authorize the State of Oklahoma and the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes to enter into an agreement regarding the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, with amendments.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to discuss certain intelligence matters, but made no announcements, and will meet again on Tuesday, November 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 3628-3641; 1 private bill, H.R. 3642; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 225, and H. Res. 286-287 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2809, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the State of California, amended (H. Rept. 101-337);

S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York (H. Rept. 101-338);

S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, amended (H. Rept. 101-339);

H.R. 2668, to authorize the establishment with the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, and to establish a memorial to the American Indian, amended (H. Rept. 101-340);

H. Res. 268, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to clarify the right of the Speaker to attend any meeting and to have access to any information in the possession of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (H. Rept. 101-341);

H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking (H. Rept. 101-342); and

Conference report on H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State (H. Rept. 101-343).

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Fair Labor Standards: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 80, to correct technical errors in the enrollment of H.R. 2710, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage—clearing the measure.

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Capital Gains: It was made in order today for the Speaker to entertain a motion to suspend the rules and pass a bill relating to the subject matter of capital gains.

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Late Reports: Committee on Foreign Affairs received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a report on H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking; and

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Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

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Defense Authorization: By a yea-and-nay vote of 236 yeas to 172 nays, Roll No. 343, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2461, Na-

tional Defense Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 1990—clearing the measure for the Senate.

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Subsequently, the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 225, directing the Clerk of the House to make technical corrections in the enrollment of the bill.

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H. Res. 285, the rule waiving all points of order against the conference report, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 282 yeas to 130 nays, Roll No. 342.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 286, electing Representative Ravenel to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight on Saturday, November 11, to file a conference report on H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Subcommittee to Sit: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Development of the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Community Foundation Week: The Clerk was instructed to request the return from the Senate of S.J. Res. 216, designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week".

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Oil Pollution Limitations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 375 yeas to 5 nays, Roll No. 345, the House passed H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability and damages resulting from oil pollution, and to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages.

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On a demand for a separate vote, rejected the Miller of California amendment that sought to change liability standards so that liability limits would not apply to spills which occur due to "negligence" as opposed to "gross negligence or willful misconduct" (rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 185 yeas to 197 nays, Roll No. 344). This amendment had been previously agreed to in the Committee of the Whole on Wednesday, November 8, by a recorded vote of 213 yeas to 207 noes, Roll No. 341).

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed To:

The Studds amendment that retains language allowing the Secretary of Transportation to reduce the limit on liability for a deepwater port under this bill if the Secretary determines that the use of deepwater ports poses a lower environmental risk than the use of other ports, but strikes language that would authorize the Secretary to lower the liability limit for a vessel transporting oil to a deepwater port;

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The Studds amendment that clarifies how Federal natural resource trustees are to return funds recovered from responsible parties for natural resource damage resulting from oil spills;

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The Studds amendment that provides that any vessel or facility that fails to report a spill, or to assist as directed in its cleanup, could not use the defenses to liability set forth in the bill;

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The Chandler amendment that provides that the liability limits in the bill would not apply to any large oil tanker (with a capacity of more than 40,000 deadweight tons) that enters Puget Sound without a tugboat escort;

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The Pelosi amendment that requires development of a fish and wildlife response plan—as part of the National Contingency Plan—providing for protection, rescue, treatment, rehabilitation, and restoration of fish and wildlife affected by spills of oil or hazardous substances;

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The Chandler amendment that urges the State Department to enter into negotiations with Canada to ensure tugboat escorts are required for all large tankers traveling in Puget Sound;

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The Sikorski amendment that provides that no vessel or facility may handle, store, or transport oil unless it has in place, and is operating in compliance with, a contingency plan that has been approved by the President—facilities would be required to have such plans in place no later than one year after the issuance of regulations by the Coast Guard;

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The Cardin amendment that would require the Coast Guard to issue regulations to establish minimum standards for the hull thickness of vessels that transport oil in bulk or commercial quantities, and require periodic gauging of hull thickness as part of regular vessel inspections, and establish minimum standards for cargo level monitors and alarms in oil tankers to detect leaks and overfills;

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The Davis amendment that directs the State Department to review international agreements and treaties between the United States and Canada to determine whether amendments or additional agreements are needed to help prevent oil spills in the

Great Lakes, and ensure the immediate cleanup of spills that do occur, and ensure full compensation for damages;

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The Smith amendment that requires the Secretary of State to review relevant international agreements and treaties between the United States and Canada to determine whether amendments or additional agreements are needed to help prevent oil spills in Lake Champlain, ensure the immediate cleanup of spills that do occur, and ensure full compensation for damages;

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The Traficant amendment that would require the Coast Guard to implement drug and alcohol testing of individuals working on United States vessels, and requires drug testing of individuals renewing or applying for merchant mariners' licenses, certificates of registry, or documents;

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The Studds amendment that requires the Coast Guard to determine if the use of "automatic pilots" by vessels in confined waters is advisable;

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The Carper amendment that clarifies that the regional strike teams mandated under section 4203 of the bill will be located in areas where damaging oil spills are most likely to occur;

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The Gallo amendment, as amended by the Gunderson and Torricelli amendments, that requires double hulls on all new tankers and tank barges built after enactment of the bill that carry oil or hazardous substances in United States waters; and requires that all vessels have double hulls within seven years after enactment must be equipped with double hulls;

Pages 28245, 28254

The Jones of North Carolina that requires, with the exception of \$30 million annually available to the Coast Guard for oil spill cleanup, that expenditures from the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund be subject to congressional appropriations annually;

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The Walker amendment that ensures that any grant or funding allocated in the bill, would fall under the provisions of drug-free workplace requirements; and

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The Richardson en bloc amendments that amend the research and development provisions of the bill to provide goals for oil spill response; research programs providing for development of technologies effective in both normal and harsh conditions; research the effectiveness of vacuums in oil tanks, and research the temporary storage of oil that would normally be discharged into the environment.

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Rejected:

The Davis amendment to the Gallo amendment that sought to provide for certain determination by the Secretary of circumstances under which double hulls on tank vessels might not be required, including no enhancement of tank vessel navigation safety; no enhancement of environmental protections; or that an equal or greater benefit to navigation safety and protection of the environment will be achieved by other vessel construction designs; and

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The Regula amendment that sought to require the Secretary to prohibit (within 1 year of the date of enactment), the movement of vessels carrying crude oil or any refined petroleum product in areas where oil and gas leasing, exploration, or development activities are being prohibited by legislative action unless the Secretary determines that such movement would not threaten navigation safety, the environment, or that the requirement would impose undue hardship.

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The following amendments were offered, but subsequently withdrawn:

The Saxton amendment that sought to clarify how quickly personnel should respond to an oil spill emergency;

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The Barton amendment that sought to eliminate the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund financing rate for crude oil if such crude oil had never been transported in a vessel on water before receipt at the refinery; and

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The Owens of Utah amendment that sought to eliminate portions of the bill that provide the State of Alaska with up to \$2 million annually from the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund.

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The Clerk was authorized to make corrections in spelling, punctuation, and cross references, and to make any other necessary technical and conforming changes in the engrossment of the bill.

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Capital Gains: House passed H.R. 3628, to temporarily reduce the capital gains tax for noncorporate taxpayers.

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Oil Spill Liability: House agreed to H. Res. 287, returning to the Senate the bill S. 686, to consolidate and improve Federal laws providing compensation and establishing liability for oil spills.

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Intelligence Authorization: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2748, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1990; and agreed to a conference.

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Agriculture Programs Technical Corrections: House passed S. 1793, to make technical corrections and correcting changes in agriculture programs.

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Agreed to the de la Garza amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 28189, 28220, 28269, 28270. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 3589, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to provide assistance to agricultural producers suffering from earthquakes; H.R. 2134, to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act to authorize the distribution of wholesome meat for human consumption that has been condemned under that act to charity and public agencies; H.R. 3620, to clarify the Food Security Act of 1985; and H.R. 3482, Hugo Forestry Restoration Act.

STATUS OF NATIONAL FOREST, LAND, AND RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLANS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review the Status of National Forest, Land, and Resource Management Plans. Testimony was heard from George Leonard, Assistant Chief, Forest Service, USDA.

FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains held a hearing to review target price levels for oats and barley for the 1990 Farm Bill. Testimony was heard from Keith Bjerke, Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy continued hearings on the following: H.J. Res. 409, directing the Federal Open Market Committee of the Federal Reserve System to adopt and pursue monetary policies leading to, and then maintaining zero inflation; H.R. 3512, Federal Reserve Reform Act of 1989; H.R. 3066, Federal Reserve System Accountability Act of 1989; and H.R. 2795, to modernize the Federal Reserve System and to provide for prompt disclosure of certain decisions of the Federal Open

Market Committee. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorgan of North Dakota, Hamilton, and Evans; and public witnesses.

HUD REFORM ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Approved H.R. 1, amended, HUD Reform Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported the following measures: S. Con. Res. 72, to recognize the historic significance of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union (ILGWU) Health Center, on the 75th anniversary of the Center, and to commend the ILGWU for establishing and maintaining the Center, and H.R. 3614, amended, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communications Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools.

The Committee also began markup of H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act.

Will continue November 14.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearings on OSHA's proposed standard to protect health care workers from bloodborne pathogens, including AIDS and hepatitis B viruses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 15.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported the following: Emergency Drug Abuse Treatment Expansion Act of 1989, as amended; H. Con. Res. 220, expressing the sense of the Congress that all railroad retirement benefits are exempt from sequestration under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and that any such benefits sequestered under the Presidential order of October 16, 1989, should be restored; and S. 1390, amended, to authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory.

STOCK MARKET REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance continued hearings on H.R. 1609, Stock Market Reform Act of 1989, and measures to control the continuing volatility present in the stock market. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PEACE INITIATIVES REGARDING CYPRUS; U.S.-IRANIAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 205, in support of the United Nations Secretary General's peace initiatives regarding Cyprus.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on U.S.-Iranian Relations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Abraham D. Sofaer, Legal Advisor; and John H. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

FEDERAL PROPERTY AND ADMINISTRATION SERVICES ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on H.R. 3529, to amend the Federal Property and Administration Services Act of 1949 to establish a term of office for the Administrator of General Services. Testimony was heard from J. William Gadsby, Director, General Management Issues, General Government Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

HEALTH CLAIMS FOR FOODS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations continued hearings on FDA's Continuing Failure to Regulate Health Claims for Foods. Testimony was heard from James B. MacRae, Jr., Acting Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB.

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from Roy B. Chisholm, Director, Schedules Division, GSA; Roger MacNamara, Assistant General Counsel, Ethics, Department of the Navy, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 14.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Libraries and Memorials held an oversight hearing on Civic Achievement Awards Program. Testimony was heard from Dennis Duquette, Director, Financial Audits Group, GAO; Alan Jabbour, Acting Associate Librarian, Cultural Affairs, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment held an oversight hearing on the New York and Long Island Lighting Company agreement to close the Shoreham nuclear power plant. Testimony was heard from Representatives Ritter, Solomon, McGrath and Hochbrueckner; W. Henson Moore, Deputy Secretary, Department of Energy; Mario M. Cuomo, Governor, State of New York; and Anthony F. Earley, President, Long Island Lighting Company.

**IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION;
FORFEITURE AMENDMENTS ACT**

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 150, amended, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a procedure for an alien who dies while serving on active duty with the United States armed forces during certain periods of hostilities to be considered a citizen of the United States at the time of alien's death; H.R. 525, amended, to permit the naturalization of certain Filipino war veterans; H.R. 639, amended, Filipino Veterans Fairness Act; and H.R. 3550, Forfeiture Amendments Act of 1989.

IRCA AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration, Refugees and International Law held a hearing H.R. 3374, IRCA Amendments of 1989. Testimony was heard from Paul W. Virtue, Acting General Counsel, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Richard L. Fogel, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, GAO; and public witnesses.

SEAFOOD INSPECTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1387, Mandatory Fish Inspection Act of 1989; H.R. 2511, Consumer Seafood Safety Act of 1989; H.R. 3071, to consolidate food inspection functions in the Department of Agriculture; H.R. 3369, to develop a comprehensive safety program in order to protect the public health and to ensure the wholesomeness of all fish products intended for human consumption in the United States; H.R. 3481, to develop a comprehensive program in order to protect the public health and to ensure the wholesomeness of all fish products intended for human consumption in the United States; and H.R. 3508, to expand the inspection by the Secretary of Agriculture of the Nation's food supply to ensure the safety and wholesomeness of the Nation's supply of fish, shellfish, and other marine and freshwater aquatic food. Testimony was heard from Representative Glickman; James Brennan, Deputy General

Counsel, Policy, Research and Coastal Zone, NOAA, Department of Commerce; James Benson, Acting Deputy Commissioner, Food and Drugs, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Lester Crawford, Administrator, Food Safety Inspection Service, USDA; Douglas Donegan, Director, Environmental Health Division, State of Alaska; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—SOVIET DISRUPTION OF MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations and Services held an oversight hearing on the Soviet disruption of Mail. Testimony was heard from Thomas E. Leavey, Assistant Postmaster General, International Postal Affairs, U.S. Postal Service; and public witnesses.

**IMPACT OF INCREASED AIR QUALITY
REGULATION ON PROGRAMS**

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing concerning the impact of increased air quality regulation will have on programs. Testimony was heard from Richard D. Wilson, Director, Office of Mobile Sources, Office of Air and Radiation, EPA; Joseph Canny, Director, Office of the Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

**COMMERCIAL SPACE LAUNCH ACT
IMPLEMENTATION**

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Space, Science and Applications held a hearing on Commercial Space Launch Act Implementation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Packard and Kolbe; Joe Mahon, Deputy Associate Administrator, Flight Systems, NASA; Stephanie Lee-Miller, Director, Office of Commercial Space Transportation, Department of Transportation; George R. Schneider, Acting Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

**DC-10 ENGINE FAILURE AND RELATED
FAA R&D NEEDS**

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held a hearing on DC-10 Engine Failure and Related FAA R&D Needs. Testimony was heard from Craig Beard, Director, Aircraft Certification, FAA, Department of Transportation; James L. Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; and public witnesses.

DISABLED VETERANS AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education, Training and Employment held a hearing on the Disabled Veterans Affirmative Action Program. Testimony was heard from Constance B. Newman, Director, OPM; and a representative of a veterans' organization.

BUILDING AN AMERICAN HEALTH SYSTEM: JOURNEY TOWARD A HEALTHY AND CARING AMERICA

Select Committee on Aging: Held a hearing on "Building An American Health System: Journey Toward a Healthy and Caring America". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AMERICAN ECONOMIC POWER

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to examine changes in relative U.S. economic power and the impact of those changes on national security, receiving testimony from Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., former chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Washington, DC; Richard Cooper, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, former Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; and Paul Kennedy, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

Hearings will continue on Wednesday, November 15.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Conferees continued in evening session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for foreign assistance and related programs.

CATASTROPHIC INSURANCE REFORM

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Two bills and three resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 1872-1873, S. Res. 207, S.J. Res. 226, and S. Con. Res. 81.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1782, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of an AIDS treatment assistance program for low income individuals. (S. Rept. No. 101-197)

S. 53, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-198)

S. 486, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct and test the Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project, New Mexico and Texas, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-199)

S. 1121, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming. (S. Rept. No. 101-200)

S. 1275, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain a water treatment plant for the purpose of treating water discharged from the Leadville Mine Drainage Tunnel near Leadville, Colorado, in order to meet water quality standards. (S. Rept. No. 101-201)

H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway". (S. Rept. No. 101-202)

S. 1783, to regulate Indian child protection and prevent child abuse on Indian reservations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-203)

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Measures Passed:

Opening of the Berlin Wall: Senate agreed to S. Res. 207, welcoming the opening of the Berlin Wall and calling for its complete destruction.

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National Adoption Week: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of H.J. Res. 278, to designate the period commencing on November 20, 1989, and ending on November 26, 1989, as "National Adoption Week", and the bill was then passed.

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Calculation of Premium Pay: Senate passed H.R. 215, to amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee.

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Transfer of Naval Ship Dock to Brazil: Senate passed H.R. 3544, to authorize the transfer of a spec-

ified naval landing ship dock to the Government of Brazil under the leasing authority of chapter 6 of the Arms Export Control Act.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking the following action:

Pages 28368-28369, 28394-28396

Adopted:

(1) Humphrey Amendment No. 1108, to provide for the use of excess foreign currencies.

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(2) Humphrey Amendment No. 1109, to provide for the cessation of assistance to Poland and Hungary in the event of a reversal of the process of democratization.

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(3) Simon (for Bentsen) Amendment No. 1110, to establish eligibility of Poland for Generalized System of Preferences.

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(4) McConnell Amendment No. 1111, to provide for a task force to analyze the current supply and demand situation of coal in the Soviet Union.

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(5) Kerry Amendment No. 1112, to express environmental-related concerns regarding the development of Poland and Hungary.

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(6) Helms (for Symms) Amendment No. 1113, to allow funds provided through the Polish-American Enterprise Fund and the Hungarian-American Enterprise Fund to be used for investment in Employee Stock Ownership Plans.

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(7) Dole/Simon Amendment No. 1114, to establish objectives of the United States assistance to Poland and Hungary.

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(8) Helms (for Murkowski) Amendment No. 1115, to provide for emergency assistance required by Poland for the fourth quarter of 1989.

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(9) Helms (for Murkowski) Amendment No. 1116, to provide for emergency assistance required by Poland for the fourth quarter of 1989.

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(10) Helms (for Heinz) Amendment No. 1117, to require the Secretary of State to submit a classified report to Congress identifying confidence building measures by Poland and Hungary to facilitate technology transfers by the U.S. to both countries.

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(11) Riegle Amendment No. 1118, to provide for international financial relief for Poland.

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(12) Simon Amendment No. 1119, to make technical corrections.

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(13) Roth Modified Amendment No. 1120, to establish an equity fund whereby individuals may invest in the Polish private sector.

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(14) Bentsen Amendment No. 1122, to provide an exemption for below-market bonds.

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(15) Simon/Dole Amendment No. 1123, to provide for an overall assessment of the environmental problems facing Poland and Hungary.

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(16) Simon Amendment No. 1125, to establish financial instruments to enable individuals to invest in the private sectors of Poland.

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(17) Cochran (for Helms) Amendment No. 1126, to hold Communist China to its commitment to refrain from missile sales to the Middle East.

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Withdrawn:

Dole Modified Amendment No. 1056, to promote democratization and reform in Poland and Hungary through development of the private sectors, labor market reforms, and enhanced environmental protection.

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Pending:

(1) Roth Amendment No. 1121, to express the sense of the Senate regarding increasing the quota of the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

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A unanimous consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and certain amendments to be proposed thereto, on Tuesday, November 14.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Richard Huntington Melton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Federative Republic of Brazil.

Cresencio S. Arcos, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Honduras.

Martin Lewis Allday, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for a term expiring October 20, 1993.

Routine lists in the Foreign Service.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Susan J. Crawford, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense.

Walter J. Bamberg, of Alabama, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Alabama.

Donald E. Crowl, of Oklahoma, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Oklahoma.

Charles E. Healey, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of New York.

Craig L. Meacham, of California, to be United States Marshal for the Central District of California.

James Y. Stewart, of Michigan, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Michigan.

Martin H. Gerry, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

H. Douglas Barclay, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors for the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for the term expiring December 17, 1991.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard and Army.

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Recess: Senate convened at 2:30 p.m., and recessed at 8:31 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Tuesday, November 14, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 28417.)

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR SAFETY

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the Department of Energy's efforts to improve the operation and management of its atomic energy defense activities and its efforts to restore public credibility in the Department's ability to operate its facilities in a safe and environmentally sound manner, including related measures S. 972, S. 1304, and S. 1802, after receiving testimony from Gerald F. Scannell, Assistant Secretary, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Department of Labor; Daniel Hoffman, Assistant Director for Science, Center for Environmental Health and Injury Control, Centers for Disease Control, Department of Health and Human Services; H. Jack Geiger, City University of New York School of Community Medicine, New York, New York, on behalf of the Physicians for Social Responsibility's Task Force on DOE Nuclear Facilities; and Ellen Magione, Colorado Department of Health, Denver.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT INSPECTORS GENERAL'S FRAUD HOTLINES

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on General Services, Federalism, and the District of Columbia held hearings to examine the Federal Government Inspectors General's waste, fraud, and abuse hotline operation, receiving testimony from Nancy Kusen, Administrative Contracting Officer, Defense Logistics Agency, Department of Defense; Phillip T. Doe, Hazardous Waste Coordinator, Bureau of Land Reclamation, Department of the Interior; Brian P. Crowley, Director of Planning and Reporting, Accounting and Financial Management Division, United States General Accounting Office; William M. Diefenderfer III, Deputy Director, Office of Management and Budget, on behalf of the President's Council on Integrity and Efficiency; and Bob Edgell, American Federation of Government Employees, and Dina Rasor, Project on Military Procurement, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NUTRITION LABELING

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1425, to make nutrition labeling information mandatory and to provide for clear standards governing the claims that can be made about foods, after receiving testimony from Frank E. Young, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Daniel W. Nixon, American Cancer Society, Nancy Chapman, American Heart Association, Ellen Haas, Public Voice for Food and Health Policy, Bruce A. Silverglade, Center for Science in the Public Interest, Nancy Wellman, American Dietetic Association, E. Linwood Tipton, Milk Industry Foundation and International Ice Cream Association, John R. Cady, National Food Processors Association, Sherwin Gardner, Grocery Manufacturers of America, and George Burditt, Burditt, Bowles and Radzius, all of Washington, DC; and Corrine Jochum, American Association of Retired Persons, North Platte, Nebraska.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 3643-3645; 1 private bill, H.R. 3646; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 433-434, and H. Res. 288-289 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing,

and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-344, filed November 11);

Conference report on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-345);

H.R. 1602, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve emergency medical services and trauma care, amended (H. Rept. 101-346);

H.R. 3589, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to provide assistance to agricultural producers suffering from earthquakes, amended (H. Rept. 101-347);

H.R. 2134, to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act to authorize the distribution of wholesome meat for human consumption that has been condemned under that Act to charity and public agencies, amended (H. Rept. 101-348);

H.R. 3550, to amend section 524, of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substance Act to make technically clarifying, and administrative changes, amended (H. Rept. 101-349);

H.R. 150, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a procedure for an alien who dies while serving on active-duty with the United States armed forces during certain periods of hostilities to be considered as citizens of the United States at the time of the alien's death, amended (H. Rept. 101-350);

H.R. 525, to permit the naturalization of certain Filipino war veterans, amended (H. Rept. 101-351);

H. Res. 288, waiving certain points of order against consideration of the conference report to H.R. 2939, making appropriations for the foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and against certain amendments reported from conference in disagreement (H. Rept. 101-352); and

H.R. 289, providing for the consideration of S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness (H. Rept. 101-353).

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DOD Appropriation: It was made in order at any time on Wednesday, November 15, or any day thereafter, to consider the conference report and any amendments in disagreement on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Intelligence Authorization: Speaker appointed the following Members as conferees in the conference on H.R. 2748, Intelligence Authorization for fiscal year 1990:

From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Representatives Beilenson, McCurdy, Kasten-

meier, Roe, McHugh, Dwyer of New Jersey, Wilson, Kennelly, Glickman, Mavroules, Richardson, Solarz, Hyde, Livingston, Shuster, Combest, Bereuter, Rowland of Connecticut, and Dornan of California.

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for the consideration of Title IX of the Senate amendment: Representatives Fascell, Hamilton, and Broomfield.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for the consideration of Department of Defense Tactical Intelligence and related activities: Representatives Aspin, Lancaster, and Dickinson.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for the consideration of Sections 503 and 601 of the Senate amendment: Representatives Edwards of California, Morrison of Connecticut, Berman, Sensenbrenner, and Smith of Texas.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Genesee River protection: S. 931, to protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York—clearing the measure for the President;

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California land transfer: H.R. 2809, amended, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the State of California;

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Chemical weapons elimination: H.R. 3033, amended, Chemical and Biological Warfare Elimination Act;

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International narcotics control: H.R. 3611, amended, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking;

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Resources disaster recovery: H.R. 1011, amended, to provide for the establishment of the National Commission on Natural Resources Disasters, to provide for increased planning and cooperation with local firefighting forces in the event of forest fires. Agree to amend the title;

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Disaster assistance: H.R. 3589, amended, to amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to provide assistance to agricultural producers suffering from earthquakes;

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Meat and poultry inspections: H.R. 2134, amended, to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act to authorize the distribution of wholesome meat for human consumption that has been condemned under that Act to charity and public agencies. Agreed to amend the title;

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Drug abuse education: H.R. 3614, amended, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention

programs in elementary and secondary schools (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 371 yeas, Roll No. 346);

Pages 28502, 28557

Special Forfeiture Fund: H.R. 3550, amended, to amend section 524 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative changes (passed by a yea-and-nay vote of 375 yeas, Roll No. 347);

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Quarterly financial report: H.R. 3629, extending the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to conduct the quarterly financial report program under section 91 of title 13, United States Code, through September 30, 1993;

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Premium pay calculation: H.R. 215, amended, to amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee;

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American Indian museum: H.R. 2668, amended, to authorize the establishment with the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, to establish a memorial to the American Indian. Agreed to amend the title. Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill, S. 978, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill;

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: H.J. Res. 357, amended, providing for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution. Agreed to amend the title;

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: H.J. Res. 358, amended, providing for the reappointment of Jeannie Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution;

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Copyright Royalty Tribunal: H.R. 3046, amended, to reduce the number of commissioners on the Copyright Royalty Tribunal, to change the salary classification rates for members of the Copyright Tribunal and the United States Parole Commission and for the Deputy and Assistance Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks. Agreed to amend the title;

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Substance abuse prevention: H.R. 3630, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, including establishing separate block grants with respect to substance abuse and mental health;

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Mouse research laboratory: S. 1390, amended, to authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory;

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Alien citizenship: H.R. 150, amended, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a procedure for an alien who dies while serving on active-duty with the United States Armed Forces during certain periods of hostilities to be considered as a citizen of the United States at the time of the alien's death;

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Filipino war veterans: H.R. 525, amended, to permit the naturalization of certain Filipino war veterans. Agreed to amend the title;

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Veteran alien status: H.R. 639, amended, to amend the Immigrant and Nationality Act to provide for special immigrant status for certain aliens who have served honorably in the Armed Forces of the United States for 4 years. Agreed to amend the title.

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Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 28557, 28558. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment. Met at noon and adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ISSUES OF CONSERVATORSHIP AND CAPITAL STANDARDS REGULATIONS

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Resolution Trust Corporation Task Force held a hearing to consider issues of conservatorship and capital standards regulations. Testimony was heard from M. Danny Wall, Director, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury; and David Cooke, Executive Director, Resolution Trust Corporation, FDIC.

STATUS OF EDUCATION IN AMERICA AND DIRECTIONS FOR THE FUTURE

Committee on Education and Labor: Met to discuss "The Status of Education in America and Directions for the Future." Testimony was heard from Lauro Cavazos, Secretary of Education; and public witnesses.

Will continue tomorrow.

CONSTRUCTION OF THE BUFFALO BILL DAM AND RESERVOIR

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Representatives Miller of California and Thomas of Wyoming, but no action was taken on H.R. 2567, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming.

NEVADA WILDERNESS PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on S. 974, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989. Clause 2(1)(6) of Rule XI is waived against consideration of the bill. Testimony was heard from Representative Vento.

CONFERENCE REPORT—FOREIGN ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving clause 2 of Rule XXVIII against consideration of the conference report to accompany H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. The rule also waives clause 7 of Rule XVI against the motions printed in the joint statement of the managers to dispose of Senate amendments numbered 22, 23, 44, 69, 122, 201, 289 and 295. Testimony was heard from Representative Obey.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1874-1877, and S. Res. 208.

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Measures Passed:

Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 2120, to amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, and 1994.

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Authorizing Senate Employee Testimony: Senate agreed to S. Res. 208, to authorize testimony and document production by a Senate employee in *Springfield Terminal Railway Co. v. United Transportation Union*, No. 88-0117 P.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 297), Senate passed H.R. 3402, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1582, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto as follows:

Pages 28628-28645, 28695-28696

Adopted:

(1) Humphrey/Simon Amendment No. 1128, to set aside funding for the Polish private investment fund for assistance to the Solidarity's trade union for privatization and economic investment in Poland.

Pages 28629-28630

(2) Danforth Amendment No. 1129, to extend certain expiring tax provisions through June 30, 1990.

Pages 28634-28635

Rejected:

By 36 yeas to 63 nays (Vote No. 296), Roth Amendment No. 1121, to express the sense of the Senate regarding increasing the quota of the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Pages 28678, 28695-28696

Capital Gains Taxes: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3628, to temporarily reduce the capital gains tax for non-corporate taxpayers, taking action, as follows:

Pages 28645-28659, 28665-28695

By 51 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 295), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to close further debate on Packwood Amendment No. 1127, in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 28645-28659, 28665-28695

By prior unanimous consent, a second vote on the motion to invoke cloture on Packwood Amendment No. 1127 will occur on Wednesday, November 15.

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National Museum of the American Indian: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 978, to authorize the establishment within the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, and to establish a memorial to the American Indian.

Pages 28659-28664

Department of Transportation Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 136 to H.R. 3015, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 28697-28702

Defense Authorizations Conference Report—Agreement: A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

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Drug Abuse Education—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate receives from the House H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the bill be deemed to have been passed, that the Senate insist on its amendment and request a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate, as follows: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

Pages 28696–28697

Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate receives from the House H.R. 3630, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, including establishing separate block grants with respect to substance abuse and mental health, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the bill be deemed to have been passed, that the Senate insist on its amendment and request a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate, as follows: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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Special Forfeiture Fund—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate receives from the House H.R. 3550, to amend section 524 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund, and to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative changes, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the bill be deemed to have been passed, that

the Senate insist on its amendment and request a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate, as follows: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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International Narcotics Control—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that when the Senate receives from the House H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking, that all after the enacting clause be stricken and the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5, be substituted in lieu thereof, that the bill be deemed to have been passed, that the Senate insist on its amendment and request a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate, as follows: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting a report concerning the national emergency with respect to Iran.

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Executive Reports of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive reports of a committee:

Report to accompany the United Nations Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, with understandings (Treaty Doc. No. 101-4). (Exec. Rept. No. 101-15)

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Report to accompanying a Certified Copy of the Convention (No. 160) Concerning Labor Statistics, adopted by the International Labor Conference at Geneva on June 25, 1985, with a declaration (Treaty Doc. No. 101-2). (Exec. Rept. No. 101-16)

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Authority to Appoint Committee: The President of the Senate was authorized to appoint a committee on the part of the Senate to join with a like committee on the part of the House of Representatives to escort Lech Walesa, Leader of the Polish Free Trade Union Solidarity, into the House Chamber for a joint meeting to be held on Wednesday, November 15, 1989.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

La Verne G. Ausman, of Wisconsin, to be Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

11 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

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Additional Statements:	Pages 28718-28719
Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—297)	Pages 28694-28696

Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 6:55 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, November 15, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on page 28730.)

Committee Meetings

U.S. ECONOMIC TRENDS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held hearings to examine the changing role of the United States in the world economy, and on implications for future national economic activity and living standards, receiving testimony from Benjamin M. Friedman, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Lawrence Chimerine, The WEFA Group, Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania; and Daniel Burstein, West Redding, Connecticut.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. ATMOSPHERIC POLICY AND GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings in conjunction with the National Ocean Policy Study on the U.S. position on carbon dioxide emissions, focusing on the recent U.S. participation in the Ministerial Conference on Atmospheric Pollution and Climatic Change, receiving testimony from Allan Bromley, Science Director to the President and Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy; and Christopher Flavin, Worldwatch Institute, and Alden Meyer, Union of Concerned Scientists, both of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION FUELS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings to examine certain alternative transportation fuels as energy supply options for the United States, after receiving testimony from Linda G. Stuntz, Deputy Under Secretary of Energy for Policy, Planning and Analysis; Charles L. Gray, Jr., Director, Emission Control Technology Division, and Richard D. Wilson, Director, Office of Mobile Sources, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; Joseph M. Colucci, General Motors Technical Center, Warren, Michigan; William S. Dickinson, Arco Products Company, Anaheim, California; George Strang, Southern California Gas Company, Los Angeles, representing the Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition and the American Gas Association; Robert Myers, Petrolane LP-Gas Company, Long Beach, California, representing the National Propane Gas Association and the Gas Processors Association; Eric Vaughn, The Renewable Fuels Association, Washington, DC; James T. Glancey, Ethanol Marketing, Inc., Boise, Idaho, representing the Clean Fuels Development Coalition; and Robert Dietch, Southern California Edison, Rosemead, representing the Electric Vehicle Association.

ACID DEPOSITION CONTROL ACT

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Environmental Protection approved for full committee consideration an original bill to reduce emissions of sulfur oxides and nitrogen oxides that cause acid deposition.

INDOOR AIR QUALITY ACT

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Ocean and Water Protection approved for full committee consideration, with amendments, S. 657, to authorize a national program to reduce the threat to human health posed by exposure to contaminants in the air indoors.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Kenneth W. Gideon, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Tax Policy; Shirley D. Peterson, Assistant Attorney General (Tax Division), Department of Justice; Governor Rafael Hernandez Colon, former Governors Carlos Romero-Barcelo and Luis A. Ferre, both on behalf of the New Progressive Party, Gerardo Carlo, Carlo and Dubos, and Ruben Berrios-Martinez, Manuel Rodriguez-Orellana and Eric Negron, all on behalf of the Puerto Rican Independence Party, all of San Juan, Puerto Rico; and Michael J. McKee, Principal, Quick, Finan and Associates, Washington, DC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION AND WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee held hearings to review the Department of Energy's five year plan for environmental restoration and waste management, receiving testimony from J. Dexter Peach, Assistant Comptroller General, Keith O. Fultz, Director, Planning and Reporting for Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, and James Duffus, Director, Natural Resources Management Issues, both of the General Accounting Office; Leo P. Duffy, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Energy for Coordination of DOE Waste Management; Christian Holmes, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, and Christopher Grundler, Director, Federal Facility Hazardous Waste Compliance Office, both of the Environmental Protection Agency; Richard B. Stewart, Assistant Attorney General, Land and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; Colorado Attorney General Duane Woodard, Denver; Maury Walsh, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Columbus; Roger Stanley, Washington State Department of Ecology, Olympia; William Don Tahkeal, Yakima, Indians, Yakima, Washington; and Dan W. Reicher and James Werner, both of the Natural Resources Defense Council, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SPORTS PROGRAMMING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Monopolies and Business Rights concluded hearings to examine the movement of sports programming onto cable television, after receiving testimony from Senator Lieberman: Representatives Shays and Schumer; Francis T. Vincent, Jr., Major League Baseball, Paul Tagliabue, National Football League, and Roger L. Werner, Jr., ESPN, all of New York, New York; Art Modell, Cleveland Browns, Cleveland, Ohio; Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, and Preston R. Padden, Association of Independent Television Stations, Inc., both of Washington, DC; James Boaz, WTXF-TV, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Stephen F. Ross, University of Illinois, Urbana; and John Turchiano, New Yorkers for Fair Cable, Centerport, New York.

SCIENCE AND MATH EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings to examine deficiencies in science, mathematics, and engineering education in the United States, and proposed legislation to establish a national clearinghouse of science, mathematics, and technology education materials, receiving testimony

from Senator Hatfield; Carl Sagan, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York; Shirley Malcom, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Washington, DC; Irwin Shapiro, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Leon Lederman, Fermilab, Illinois; and Lourdes Monteagudo, Deputy Mayor of Chicago for Education, Chicago, Illinois.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 1846, to make miscellaneous amendments to Indian laws, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1096, to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded to the Seminole Indians, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 1781, to establish as the policy of the United States the preservation, protection, and promotion of the rights of Native Americans to use, practice and develop Native American languages, and to take steps to foster such use, practice and development, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

INDIAN VETERANS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded oversight hearings on Federal efforts to meet the needs of Native American veterans, after receiving testimony from Tom Collins, Assistant Secretary and John Meyers, Deputy Assistant Secretary, both of the Veterans Employment and Training, Department of Labor; Stephen Parmison, Director, Patient Care Policy, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; R.J. Vogel, Director, Veterans Benefits, Arthur Lewis, Deputy Chief Medical Director, Veterans Health Service and Research Administration, Allen Clark, Assistant Secretary, Veterans Liaison and Program Coordination, and John Fulton, Chief of Social Work Services, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs; Raymond Field, Silver Spring, Maryland, and Samuel Apuna, Mililani, Hawaii, both of the Native American Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee; Raymond B. Morris, Navajo Nation, Window Rock, Arizona; Edwin Chappabitty, Lawton Indian Hospital, Lawton, Oklahoma, representing the Comanche Tribe; Ted Twist, Oglala Sioux Tribal Administration, Pine Ridge, South Dakota; and Jerry Haney, Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma and National Commander of the Vietnam Era Veterans Intertribal Association, Shawnee, Oklahoma.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Also, committee met in closed session to discuss certain intelligence matters, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 3647-3658; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 435 and H. Con. Res. 226-227 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-354);

H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-355);

Report of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families entitled "U.S. Children and Their Families: Current Conditions and Recent Trends, 1989" (H. Rept. 101-356);

H.R. 94, to amend the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974 to allow for the development and issuance of guidelines concerning the use and installation of automatic sprinkler systems and smoke detectors in places of public accommodation affecting commerce, amended (H. Rept. 101-357);

H.R. 3620, to clarify the Food Security Act of 1985, amended (H. Rept. 101-358);

H.R. 3482, to provide disaster assistance to private timber producers for the reestablishment of timber stands necessitated by Hurricane Hugo, amended (H. Rept. 101-359); and

Conference report on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment of change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants (H. Rept. 101-360).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gephardt as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a ye-and-nay of 300 yeas to 106 nays, Roll No. 348, the House approved the Journal of Monday, November 13.

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Labor/HHS Appropriations: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request that it be in order on Wednesday, November 15, or any day thereaf-

ter, to consider H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as reported by the Committee on Appropriations.

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D.C. Appropriations: Objection was heard to a unanimous consent request that it be in order at any time on Wednesday, November 15, or any day thereafter, to consider H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as reported by the Committee on Appropriations.

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Foreign Operations Appropriations: By a ye-and-nay vote of 324 yeas to 93 nays, Roll No. 350, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments 4, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 33, 49, 51, 52, 54, 55, 64, 65, 66, 67, 76, 79, 83, 86, 87, 89, 97, 111, 113, 115, 120, 124, 126, 127, 128, 131, 134, 135, 136, 139, 140, 142, 146, 149, 154, 156, 160, 161, 162, 163, 167, 168, 179, 180, 185, 211, 215, 216, 221, 224, 233, 234, 250, 252, 253, 257, 259, 260, 262, 263, 266, 270, and 281.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 3, 6, 8, 12, 13, 15, 19, 22, 23, 31, 35, 42, 44, 48, 63, 69, 74, 75, 85, 91, 95, 98, 102, 103, 105, 107, 110, 112, 117, 121, 122, 132, 133, 164, 169, 187, 197, 201, 220, 235, 245, 267, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 283, 284, 286, 287, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, and 295—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Earlier, on a division of the question, the House agreed to recede from its disagreement (agreed by a ye-and-nay vote of 244 yeas to 178 nays, Roll No. 351); and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendment No. 17 (agreed by a ye-and-nay vote of 219 yeas to 203 nays, Roll No. 352).

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H. Res. 288, the rule waiving certain points of order against consideration of the conference report, was agreed to earlier by a ye-and-nay vote of 362 yeas to 45 nays, Roll No. 349.

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Labor/HHS Appropriations: It was made in order at any time on Wednesday, November 15, or any day thereafter, for the House to consider H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Department of Labor,

Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as reported by the Committee on Appropriations.

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Continuing Resolution: It was made in order, any rule of the House to the contrary notwithstanding, to consider H.J. Res. 435, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990; that debate be limited to one hour; and that the previous question shall be considered as ordered on the resolution to final passage without intervening motion, except one motion to recommit.

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D.C. Appropriations: It was made in order at any time on Wednesday, November 15, or any day thereafter, to consider H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, as reported by the Committee on Appropriations.

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Intelligence Committee Information Access: House agreed to H. Res. 268, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to clarify the right of the Speaker to attend any meeting and to have access to any information in the possession of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

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Earlier, agreed to order the previous question on the resolution (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 245 yeas to 176 nays, Roll No. 353).

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Presidential Message—Iran Emergency: Read a message from the President wherein he reports on developments since May 23, 1989 regarding the national emergency with respect to Iran—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-109).

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Timber disaster assistance: H.R. 3482, amended, to provide disaster assistance to private timber producers and the reestablishment of timber stands necessitated by Hurricane Hugo;

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Food Security Act clarification: H.R. 3620, amended, to clarify the Food Security Act of 1985;

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Trauma care improvement: H.R. 1602, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve emergency medical services and trauma care; and

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Housing, community and neighborhood development amendments: H.R. 1, amended, to establish a Nation-

al Housing Trust to assist first-time homebuyers; Agreed to amend the title.

Pages 28807-28833

Rocky Mountain National Park land acquisition: House insisted on its amendments to S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in Colorado—returning the measure to the Senate.

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U.S. Commission on Civil Rights: House completed all debate on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3532, to extend the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, but came to no resolution thereon. The vote on this bill was postponed until Wednesday, November 15.

Pages 28834-28836

Chinese Immigrant Status: The Speaker appointed Representative Kastenmeier as a conferee on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants, vice Representative Brooks, resigned.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Six yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 28731, 28740, 28749, 28766, 28768-28769, 28794-28795. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit and Rural Development approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3581, Rural Economic Development Act of 1989.

LABOR, HHS, AND EDUCATION AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990; and H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from Richard Breeden, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue November 21.

MONEY LAUNDERING

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, Supervision, Regulation and Insurance held a hearing on money laundering. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported amended H.R. 2273, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989.

STATUS OF EDUCATION IN AMERICA AND DIRECTIONS FOR THE FUTURE

Committee on Education and Labor: Concluded meetings to discuss "The Status of Education in America and Directions for the Future." Testimony was heard from Andrew R. Molnar, Program Director, Application of Advanced Technologies, NSF; and public witnesses.

TAFT INSTITUTE REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education approved for full Committee action H.R. 3315, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Taft Institute.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 1786, amended, Trust Indenture Reform Act of 1989; H.R. 2780, to improve the communication between registrants of investment company securities and their beneficial shareholders by requiring nominee shareholders to deliver proxy materials and information statements to such beneficial shareholders; and to be introduced the Security Marketing Stability Act of 1989, and the Coordinated Clearing and Settlement Act.

SANITARY FOOD TRANSPORTATION ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3634, Sanitary Food Transportation Act of 1989.

POLITICAL SITUATION IN HONG KONG

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs approved for full Committee action amended a resolution concerning the establishment of a multilateral initiative to promote confidence among the people of Hong Kong.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the Political Situation in Hong Kong and Issues Relating to Immigration. Testimony was heard from Representative Porter; Kent Wiedemann, Director, Office of China and Mongolian Affairs, Department of State; Richard Norton, Assistant Commissioner, Examinations, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; and a public witness.

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from Rhoda Mancher, Deputy Chief Benefits Director, ADP Management, Department of Veterans Affairs; Frank McDonough, Deputy Commissioner, Information Resources Management Service, GSA; John Siegrist, Assistant Director, Information, OPM; from the following officials of the Department of the Navy, Department of Defense: Comdr. David Stokes, Commanding Officer, Navy Finance Center, Ohio; Roger Shock, Head, DPI Management Staff, Regional Data Automation Center; and James Watts, Navy Audit Service; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation approved for full Committee action the following: H.R. 1097, to release restrictions on certain property located in Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana; and S.J. Res. 207, approving the location of the Memorial to the women who served in Vietnam.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on S.J. Res. 207 and H.J. Res. 421, a similar measure. Testimony was heard from Representative Gejdenson; Constance B. Harriman, Assistant Secretary, Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION REAUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended H.R. 3532, Civil Rights Commission Reauthorization Act of 1989.

COAST GUARD ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE ACT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Navigation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1327, Coast Guard Environmental Compliance Act.

OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF OIL AND GAS DECISIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Panama Canal/Outer Continental Shelf held a hearing on the Implications of the report submitted by the National Research Council, November 3, 1989: "The Adequacy of Environmental Information for Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Decisions: Florida and California". Testimony was heard from Robert E. Kallman, Executive Director, President's Task Force on Outer Continental Shelf Leasing and Development; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3311, to redesignate the United States Post Office/Court House located in Salt Lake City, UT, as the "Frank E. Moss Federal Building."

The Subcommittee also approved for full Committee action the following: 3 11(b) resolutions; one 11(b) report; 6 lease and 2 lease alteration prospectuses; and a Committee resolution on Hurricane Hugo and California Earthquake damage.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on the following: International Trade and Cultural Center Amendments; and on Construction Management as a means to reduce or control Federal construction and renovation costs. Testimony was heard from Judah C. Sommer, Commissioner, ICTC; Richard A. Hauser, Chairman of the Board, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation; and James B. Stewart, Director, Design and Construction, Office of Real Property Development, GSA; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3587, to provide for the minting of coins in commemoration of the bicentennial of the death of Benjamin Franklin and to enact a fire service bill of rights and programs to fulfill those rights; and H.R. 2813, to improve the information available to emergency response personnel in the field. Testimony was heard from Representatives Meyers of Kansas and Weldon; Edward Wall, Deputy Director, U.S. Fire Administration, FEMA; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL PROSPECTUS ON GROUND WATER

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Environment and Labor held a hearing on the National Prospectus on Ground Water. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: Marian Mlay, Director, Office of Groundwater Protection; Russel Wyer, Director, Hazardous Site Control Division, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response; and David Jones, Director, Superfund Remedial Branch, Hazardous Waste Management Division, Region 9, San Francisco, California; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL AGENCY DEBT MANAGEMENT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H.R. 3469, Federal Agency Debt Management Act.

INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT TO WEAPONS ACQUISITIONS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Evaluation met in executive session to hold a hearing on Intelligence Support to Weapons Acquisitions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings**CORPORATE INVESTMENT**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed hearings to examine how corporate investment decisions on research and development, capital, and acquisitions are influenced by the equity markets, the cost of capital, and public policy, receiving testimony from David Feldman, AT&T, and Ira M. Millstein, Weil, Gotshal and Manges, on behalf of the New York State Task Force on Pension Fund Investment, both of New York, New York; and Roland M. Machold, Investment Division of New Jersey, Trenton.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for rural development, agriculture, and related agencies programs, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1878-1885, and S. Res. 209.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1824, to reauthorize the Education of the Handicapped Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-204)

S. 1270, to provide an Indian mental health demonstration grant program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-205)

H.R. 3275, to implement the steel trade liberalization program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-206)

S. 1813, to ensure that funds provided under section 4213 of the Indian Alcohol and Substances Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act of 1986 may be used to acquire land for emergency shelters, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 101-207)

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Measures Passed:

Enrollment Corrections: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 225, directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make technical corrections in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 2461, Department of Defense Authorizations, 1990-1991, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto.

Pages 29143-29144

Nunn Amendment No. 1130, to make corrections in conference report on H.R. 2461, the Department of Defense authorization bill for fiscal year 1990.

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District of Columbia Appropriations, FY 1990: Senate passed H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 29143-29145

Drug Abuse Education: Pursuant to the order of Tuesday, November 14, H.R. 3614 was passed, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse: Pursuant to the order of Tuesday, November 14, H.R. 3630 was passed, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, including establishing separate block grants with respect to substance abuse and mental health, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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Special Forfeiture Fund: Pursuant to the order of Tuesday, November 14, H.R. 3550 was passed, to amend section 524 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund, and to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative changes, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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International Narcotics Control: Pursuant to the order of Tuesday, November 14, H.R. 3611 was passed, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1735, as passed by the Senate on October 5.

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth, Thurmond, Helms, and Gramm.

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Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed H.J. Res. 435, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

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Unlicensed Hydroelectric Projects: Senate passed S. 635, to prevent the unintended licensing of federally non-jurisdictional pre-1935 unlicensed hydroelectric projects, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 29240-29242

Cranston (for Matsunaga) Amendment No. 1137, to clarify the Commission's authority to issue a license.

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Authorizing Use of Hart Building Atrium: Senate agreed to S. Res. 209, to authorize the use of the Hart Building atrium for a holiday concert by the Congressional Chorus.

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Quad Cities Interstate Metropolitan Authority Compact: Senate passed S. 1485, to grant the consent of Congress to the Quad Cities Interstate Metropolitan Authority Compact entered into between the States of Illinois and Iowa.

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North American Wetland Ecosystems: Senate passed S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats, after agreeing to committee amendments, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 29245-29261

(1) Cranston (for Mitchell) Amendment No. 1139, to provide for specific representation on the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission, the allocation of Federal contributions to certain projects, and to provide technical and conforming amendments to the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

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(2) Cranston (for Mitchell) Amendment No. 1140, to provide that in consideration of land disposal alternatives priority shall be given to the transfer of real property interests for conservation purposes.

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(3) Cranston (for Johnston) Amendment No. 1141, to expand the Bogue Chitto National Wildlife Refuge.

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(4) Cranston (for Stevens) Amendment No. 1142, to provide for wetlands assessments.

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FERC Members Five-Year Terms: Senate passed S. 388, to provide for five-year, staggered terms for members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, after agreeing to committee amendments, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Lott (for McClure) Amendment No. 1143, to strike section 4 of the bill.

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: Senate passed H.J. Res. 357, providing for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: Senate passed H.J. Res. 358, providing for the reappointment of Jeanine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Cedar Bluff Unit/Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program: Senate passed S. 53, to authorize the reformulation of the Cedar Bluff Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Kansas, to provide for the amendment of water service and repayment contracts, after agreeing to committee amendments.

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Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project: Senate passed S. 486, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct and test the Lake Meredith Salinity Control Project, New Mexico and Texas, after agreeing to committee amendments.

Pages 29263-29264

Leadville Mine Drainage Tunnel: Senate passed S. 1275, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain a water treatment plant for the purpose of treating water discharged from the Leadville Mine Drainage Tunnel near Leadville, Colorado, in order to meet water quality standards.

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Clara Barton Parkway: Senate passed H.R. 1310, to redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway".

Pages 29264-29265

Nehru's Birth Centennial: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from the further consideration of H. Con. Res. 217, honoring the centennial of the birth of India's Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Drug Offender Detention: Senate passed S. 1259, to amend section 3143 of title 18, United States Code, to require the detention of any person found guilty of a violent offense or serious drug offense pending sentence or appeal.

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Capital Gains Taxes: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 3628, to temporarily reduce the capital gains tax for non-corporate taxpayers, taking action, as follows:

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By 51 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 298), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate again failed to close

further debate on Packwood Amendment No. 1127, in the nature of a substitute.

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The bill was subsequently returned to the Senate calendar.

Defense Authorizations, 1990-1991—Conference Report: By 91 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 299), Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2461, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

Pages 29079-29101, 29112-29142

Foreign Operations Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2939, making appropriations, for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 3, 6, 8, 12, 13, 15, 19, 22, 23, 31, 35, 42, 44, 48, 63, 69, 74, 75, 85, 91, 95, 98, 102, 103, 105, 107, 110, 112, 117, 121, 122, 132, 133, 164, 169, 187, 197, 201, 220, 235, 245, 267, 274, 275, 276, 277, 279, 283, 284, 286, 287, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, and 295.

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By 52 yeas to 44 nays (Vote No. 300), Senate disagreed to the House amendment to Senate amendment number 17.

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Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 278, with a Shelby Amendment No. 1135, to prevent distortions in the reapportionment of the House of Representatives caused by the use of census population figures which included illegal aliens, and a Domenici Amendment No. 1136, to provide funds for the streambank erosion control project for the Santa Fe River, New Mexico. By 47 yeas to 51 nays (Vote No. 301), Senate failed to uphold the ruling of the Chair in sustaining a point of order against Shelby Amendment No. 1135, as being legislation on an appropriation bill in violation of Senate Rule XVI.

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During consideration of this measure today, the following action also occurred:

(1) A motion to concur in the House amendment to Senate amendment number 278, with a Helms Amendment No. 1132, relating to military assistance to El Salvador, and Shelby Amendment No. 1134 (to amendment No. 1132), to prevent distortions in the reapportionment of the House of Representatives caused by the use of census population figures which include illegal aliens, was withdrawn, and the amendments thus fell.

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(2) By 47 yeas to 51 nays (Vote No. 301), Senate failed to uphold the ruling of the Chair in sustaining a point of order against Shelby Amendment No. 1135, listed above, as being legislation on an appropriation bill in violation of Senate Rule XVI.

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Acquisition of Colorado Park Land: Senate concurred in the House amendment to S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, with a Cranston (for Wirth) Amendment No. 1138, to provide for a specific right of use agreement.

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Change of Conferee: Senator Wilson was named as a conferee on H.R. 3614, relating to drug abuse education, H.R. 3630, relating to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, H.R. 3550, relating to a special forfeiture fund, and H.R. 3611, relating to international narcotics, control, each having passed the Senate today, in lieu of Senator Thurmond.

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Measures Indefinitely Postponed:

Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: By unanimous consent, Senate indefinitely postponed further consideration of S. 1582, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for certain forms of assistance to Poland to ensure the success of freedom and democracy in Poland.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Brian W. Clymer, of Pennsylvania, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Harriet Winsar Isom, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Benin.

The following-named persons to be Representatives and Alternate Representatives of the United States of America to the Forty-fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Representatives:

Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey.

Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts.

Alternate Representatives:

Jonathan Moore, of Massachusetts.

Milton James Wilkinson, of New Jersey.

Ronald Frank Ederer, of Texas, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Texas.

John T. MacDonald, of New Hampshire, to be Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education.

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total-301)	Pages 29112, 29143, 29151, 29170

Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 9:55 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, November 16, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Cranston in today's Record on page 29266.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Adis M. Vila, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and Leon Snead, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Agriculture, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Albrecht was introduced by Representative Nagle and Ms. Vila was introduced by Senator Robb.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Antonio Lopez, of Tennessee, to be an Associate Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Robert C. Duncan, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, Department of Defense, Christopher Jehn, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, Craig S. King, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy, Barbara S. Pope, of Mississippi, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Duane P. Andrews, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, Ann C. Petersen, of Illinois, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force, Michael B. Donley, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Susan M. Livingstone, of Montana, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, and G. Kim Wincup, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Victor Stello, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy for Defense Programs, where the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Testimony was also received on the nomination from Adm. James D. Watkins, Secretary of Energy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. ECONOMIC TRENDS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee continued hearings to examine the changing role of the United States in the world economy, and on implications for future national economic activity and living standards, receiving testimony from Paul A. Samuelson, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge; and Lawrence Klein, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 555, to establish, in the Department of the Interior, the De Soto Expedition Trail Commission to make loans and grants for archeological and historical research regarding the De Soto expedition and native cultures inhabiting the region during the early historical period, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 247, to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of State and local assistance programs for energy conservation of the Department of Energy, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 286, to establish the Petroglyph National Monument in the State of New Mexico, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1046, to designate a 22-mile segment of the Merrimack River in New Hampshire for study for inclusion in the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, with amendments;

H.R. 875, to expand the boundary of the Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania County Battlefields Memorial National Military Park in Virginia, with amendments;

H.R. 2783, to provide for the transfer of certain Federal lands to the State of Minnesota, to be managed for purposes of public recreation and the protection of their natural resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 319, to effect an exchange of lands between the Forest Service and the Salt Lake City Corporation within the State of Utah, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

EPA ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development held hearings to review the Environmental Protection Agency's enforcement of environmental laws and regulations, receiving testimony from F. Henry Habicht, Deputy Administrator, Edwin B. Erickson, Region III Administrator, John C. Martin, Inspector General, Carl Jannetti, Audit Manager (Philadelphia), and Lee Stevens, Audit Manager (Chicago), all of the Environmental Protection Agency; Donald E. Mielke, First Judicial District Attorney's Office, Golden, Colorado; Ann Powers, Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Annapolis, Maryland; Joan Z. Bernstein, Chemical Waste Management, Inc., Oak Brook, Illinois; Judson W. Starr, Venable, Baetjer, Howard and Civiletti, Washington, DC; and Thomas P. Gallagher, Lawler, Matusky and Skelly Engineers, Pearl River, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG OFFENDERS'S DRIVING PRIVILEGES SUSPENSION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources, Transportation, and Infrastructure concluded hearings on S. 1804, to reduce the amount of Federal highway funds allocated to any State that does not provide for the revocation or suspension of the driver's license of any individual convicted of a drug offense, after receiving testimony from Representative Solomon; Thomas D. Larson, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, and George L. Reagle, Associate Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, both of the Department of Transportation; Alabama State Representative Mike Box, Satsuma, representing the National Conference of State Legislatures; New Jersey State, Peter N. Perretti, Jr., Trenton; Robert J. Robbins, Lindenwold, New Jersey, representing the National Fraternal Order of Police; Kimball I. Maull, University of Tennessee Medical Center, Knoxville; Carla Lowe, Carmichael, California, representing the National Drug Information Center of Families in Action; and Paul Jones, North Carolina Highway Safety Program, Raleigh, representing the National Association of Governors' Highway Safety Representatives.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

H.R. 3275, to implement the steel trade liberalization program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Catalina V. Villalpando, of Texas, to be Treasurer of the United States, and

Donald E. Kirkendall, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Ms. Villalpando and Mr. Kirkendall, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Villalpando was introduced by Senator Gramm.

PUERTO RICO

Committee on Finance: Committee continued hearings on S. 712, to provide for a referendum on the political status of Puerto Rico, receiving testimony from Senator Simon; James M. Murphy, Jr., Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Latin America, Caribbean and Africa; Arnold R. Tompkins, Acting Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services for Planning and Evaluation; Linda G. Morra, Director, Intergovernmental and Management Issues, Human Resources Division, General Accounting Office; Carolyn L. Merck, Specialist in Social Legislation, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Charles E. Seagrave, Chief, Human Resources Cost Estimates Unit, Budget Analysis Division, Congressional Budget Office; Puerto Rican Resident Commissioner Jaime B. Fuster, Condado; Jose Berrocal, Counselor to the Governor of Puerto Rico, and Francisco Catala and Pedro Parilla, both of the Puerto Rican Independence Party, all of San Juan; and Michael J. McKee, Principal, Quick, Finan and Associates, Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MONTREAL AVIATION PROTOCOLS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on Two Related Protocols done at Montreal on September 25, 1975 to the Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules Relating to International Carriage by Air (Ex. B, 95th Cong., 1st sess.), after receiving testimony from Eugene J. McAllister, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic and Business Affairs; Jeffrey N. Shane, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Policy and International Affairs; Stuart M. Gerson, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice; James E. Landry, Air Transport Association of America, and Michael H. Styles, International Air Transport Association, both of Washington, DC; Hans Ephraimson-Abt, American Association for Families of KAL 007 Victims, and Lee S. Kreindler, Kreindler and Kreindler, both of New York, New York; Eleanor Bright, Brookline, Massachusetts; and Kathleen Flynn, McLean, Virginia.

CHINA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings to examine U.S. policy toward China, after receiving testimony from Winston Lord, former U.S. Ambassa-

dor to the People's Republic of China, and Felice D. Gaer, International League for Human Rights, both of New York, New York; and Merle Goldman, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Edward W. Nottingham, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, Edward J. Lodge, to be United States District Judge for the District of Idaho, and Arthur D. Spatt, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Nottingham was introduced by Senators Armstrong and Wirth, Mr. Lodge was introduced by Senators McClure and Symms, and Mr. Spatt was introduced by Senator D'Amato.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Small Business: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Kyo R. Jhin, of Maryland, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration, after the nominee, who was introduced by Representative Bentley, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

HEALTH CARE FOR RURAL VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to examine health care for veterans living in remote and rural areas of the U.S., after receiving testimony from Edward J. Derwinski, Secretary of Veterans Affairs; Raoul Carroll, General Counsel, Daniel H. Winship, Associate Deputy Chief Medical Director, Marjorie Quandt, Director, Strategic Planning Office, all of the Veterans Health Services and Research Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Patrick Hart, National Rural Health Association, Wausau, Wisconsin, Gary Burns, Togus, Maine, on behalf of the Disabled American Veterans; Jim Deremo, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and Ray Seerup, Billings, Montana, both on behalf of the American Legion; Jim Nier, El Paso, Texas, on behalf of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; John Woods, Dallas, Texas, on behalf of the Vietnam Veterans of America; George Andries, VA Medical Center, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Robert Daisey, Bangor Vet Center, Bangor, Maine; Francis Goldstein, VA Medical Center, Columbia, South Carolina; Clarence Nixon, VA Redding Medical Office, Martinez, California; and James Powell, VA Medical Center, Beckley, West Virginia.

ELDERLY VICTIMS OF THE DRUG WAR

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to examine the effects of drug abuse on the elderly in urban and rural areas, receiving testimony from Senator McConnell; Clarence H. (Bud) Albright,

Jr., Deputy General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Elizabeth Holtzman, District Attorney, Brooklyn, New York; Elsie Taylor-Jordan, Alexandria, Virginia; Evelyn Blackwell, Washington, DC; Rosemary Dalton, Miami, Florida; Eric Straughter, Roxbury, Massachusetts; Robert Crawford, Oakland Police Department, Oakland, California; Robert Smith, Central Arkansas Area Agency on Aging, North Little Rock; and Robin Mayrl, Milwaukee County Office on Aging, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 3659-3669; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 436, H. Con. Res. 228, and H. Res. 290 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-361); and

H. Res. 290, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3660, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for government-wide ethics reform (H. Rept. 101-362).

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Recess: House recessed at 10:05 a.m. and reconvened at 12:50 p.m.

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Address by the Chairman of Solidarnosc: The Senate and House met in a joint meeting to receive an address by the Chairman of Solidarnosc. Lech Walesa was escorted to and from the House Chamber by Senators Byrd, Mitchell, Cranston, Pryor, Dixon, Levin, Kerry, Simon, Mikulski, Graham, Dole, Simpson, Armstrong, Chafee, Cochran, Domenici, Helms, Lugar, Pressler, and Murkowski; and Representatives Gephardt, Gray, Fascell, Bonior, Hoyer, Michel, Gingrich, Broomfield, Lewis of California, Edwards of Oklahoma, Dingell, Rostenkowski, Vander Jagt, Gradison, Nowak, Solarz, Fazio, Synar, Hertel, Hunter, Martin of Illinois, McCollum, Weber, Borski, Kaptur, Lipinski, Sikorski, Kleczka, and Kanjorski.

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Subcommittees to Sit: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary and the Subcommittee on Civil Service of the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service re-

ceived permission to sit Thursday, November 16, during the proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Civil Rights Commission: By a yea-and-nay vote of 278 yeas to 135 nays, Roll No. 354, House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3532, to extend the United States Commission on Civil Rights. This bill was debated on Tuesday, November 14, 1989.

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Labor-HHS Appropriations: House passed H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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D.C. Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 229 yeas to 191 nays, Roll No. 355, House passed H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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A point of order was sustained against the Emerson amendment that sought to prevent the use of any funds for abortions except when the life of the mother is threatened.

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DOD Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments No. 27, 93, 112, 119, 130, 138, 147, 159, and 175.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments No. 1, 4, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 21, 25, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 42, 43, 47, 48, 49, 53, 55, 58, 66, 69, 75, 76, 88, 91, 94, 96, 101, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 117, 118, 120, 121, 134, 161, 172, 179, 184, 186, 187, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 220, 221, 223, 224, 225, 226, 228, 230, 232, 233, 234, 235, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, and 244.

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House insisted on its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate No. 229 and 243—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Points of order were sustained against the original motions to recede and concur with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 27, 94, and 243.

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Agriculture Appropriations: It was made in order that at any time on Thursday, November 16, or any day thereafter, to consider the conference report and any amendments in disagreement on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, provided that copies of the report and accompanying statement have been available to Members for at least two hours before the beginning of such consideration; and that such conference report and amendments in disagreement be considered as having been read when called up for consideration.

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Continuing Appropriations Extension: By a yea-and-nay vote of 296 yeas to 123 nays, Roll No. 356, House passed H.J. Res. 435, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

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State Department Authorization: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Late Report: Committee on Rules received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a certain privileged report.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House and appear on pages 28974, 29005-29006, 29037. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAUTHORIZATION OF THE COMMODITY DONATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition held a hearing on the reauthorization of the commodity donation programs in the 1990 Farm bill. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: G. Scott Dunn, Acting Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service; Dan Hailey, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service; and Bob Sindt, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Commodity Operations, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; John W. Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture Issues, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; James L. Solomon, Commissioner, Department of Social Services, State of South Carolina; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TIMBER HARVESTING SYSTEMS AND NONTIMBER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review timber harvesting systems and nontimber resources management. Testimony was heard from George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

REPROGRAMMING; COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Approved two reprogramming requests.

The Committee also considered other pending Committee business.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN THE U.S.

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization held a hearing on foreign investment in the U.S. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MONEY LAUNDERING

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance continued hearings on money laundering. Testimony was heard from Salvatore R. Martoche, Assistant Secretary, Enforcement, Department of the Treasury; the following officials of the Department of Justice: Larry A. Potts, Section Chief, White-Collar Crimes Section, Criminal Investigative Division, FBI; and Terrence M. Burke, Acting Deputy Administrator, DEA; and public witnesses.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA JUDICIAL REORGANIZATION ACT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Judiciary and Education continued hearings on H.R. 3470, District of Columbia Judicial Reorganization Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Frank Q. Nebeker, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Veterans Appeals; John W. Kern, III, Senior Judge, Court of Appeals, District of Columbia; and a public witness.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued oversight hearings on OSHA's proposed standard to protect health care workers from bloodborne pathogens, including AIDS and hepatitis B viruses. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education held an oversight hearing on the rights of artists and scholars to freedom of expression and the rights of taxpayers to determine

the use of public funds and how to reconcile those rights. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance held an oversight hearing on the globalization of the media and trends towards increasing horizontal and vertical intergration. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS AND THE FUTURE OF ARMS CONTROL

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science and the Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a joint hearing on U.S.-Soviet Relations and the Future of Arms Control. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ELECTIONS IN TAIWAN

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs held a hearing on the Upcoming Elections in Taiwan. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PEACE INITIATIVES REGARDING CYPRUS; STATUS OF U.N. CODE OF CONDUCT ON TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 205, in support of the United Nations Secretary General's peace initiatives regarding Cyprus.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Status of U.N. Code of Conduct on Transnational Corporations. Testimony was heard from Jane Becker, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Organizations Bureau, Department of State; and public witnesses.

DRAFT REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Employment and Housing approved for full Committee action the following draft report entitled: "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Leaving HUD: Trading on Position and Conflict of Interest by Former HUD Assistant Secretary June Koch".

DRAFT REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations approved for full Committee action the following draft reports entitled: "Quicker and Sicker: Substandard Treatment of Medicare Patients"; "Infertility in America: Why is the Federal Government Ignoring a Major Problem?"; and "The Federal Role

in Determining the Medical and Psychological Impact of Abortion on Women".

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy, Department of Defense: Mark Wiener, Counsel and Floyd Groce, Contracting Officer, both with the Automated Data Processing Selection Office; Mike Motley, Associate Director, Research, Development, Acquisition and Procurement, NSIAD, GAO; William Anderson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Employment and Standards Administration, Department of Labor; Frank McDonough, Deputy Commissioner, Information Resources Management Service, GSA; Herman Habermann, Chief, Statistical Policy, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB; and a public witness.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRIVACY RIGHTS OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on the Privacy Rights of Federal Employees. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 2006, amended, to expand the powers of the Indian Arts and Crafts Board; and S.J. Res. 207, approving the location of the Memorial to the women who served in Vietnam.

MULTIPARTY, MULTIFORUM JURISDICTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice held a hearing on H.R. 3406, Multiparty, Multiforum Jurisdiction Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from William W. Schwarzer, Judge, Northern District of California; Steven Bransdorfer, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Torts Branch, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

CIVIL PENALTY ASSESSMENT DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM OF THE FAA

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on the Civil Penalty Assessment Demonstration Program of the FAA. Testimony was heard from Representative Rose; Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administra-

tor, Regulations and Certification, FAA, Department of Transportation; James Kolstad, Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; and public witnesses.

POCKET VETO

Committee on Rules: Subcommittee on the Legislative Process approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 849, to amend title I of the United States Code to define the type of adjournment that prevents the return of a bill by the President, and to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to require the Clerk to make certain notifications to the Speaker.

GOVERNMENT ETHICS REFORM

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for consideration in the House of H.R. 3660, Government Ethics Reform Act of 1989. Debate on the bill shall not exceed 2 hours. The rule waives all points of order against the bill and against its consideration. The rule provides for one motion to recommit with or without instructions if offered by Representative Michel or his designee. Testimony was heard from Speaker Foley and Representatives Fazio, Obey, Bennett, Early, Michel, Livingston, Dannemeyer, and Barton of Texas.

WHO'S MINDING YOUR PENSION

Select Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Retirement Income and Employment held a hearing on "Who's Minding Your Pension?" Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Labor: Raymond Maria, Acting Inspector General; and David Ball, Assistant Secretary, Pension Welfare and Benefit Administration; and public witnesses.

NO PLACE TO CALL HOME: DISCARDED CHILDREN OF AMERICA

Select Committee on Children, Youth and Families: Approved the following draft report: "No Place to Call Home: Discarded Children in America."

GOALS OF THE NATIONAL DRUG STRATEGY

Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control: Held a hearing on the Goals of the National Drug Strategy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AMERICAN ECONOMIC POWER

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed hearings to examine changes in relative U.S. economic power and the impact of those changes on national

security, receiving testimony from Henry S. Rowen, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Rear Adm. Eugene LaRoque (Ret.), Center for Defense Information, and Lawrence Korb, Brookings Institution, both of Washington, D.C.; and Gen. William E. Odom, Hudson Institute, Arlington, Virginia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for rural development, agriculture, and related agencies programs, but did not take final action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29309–29466

Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1886–1896, S. Res. 210, and S.J. Res. 227.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1526, to authorize the State of Oklahoma and the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes to enter into an agreement regarding the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101–208)

S. 580, to require institutions of higher education receiving Federal financial assistance to provide certain information with respect to the graduation rates of student-athletes at such institutions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–209)

S. 993, to implement the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and Their Destruction, by prohibiting certain conduct relating to biological weapons, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101–210)

H.R. 569, for the relief of Maurice G. Hardy.

S. 1086, for the relief of Maurice G. Hardy.

S. 1702, to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, regarding penalties involving firearms.

S.J. Res. 192, to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska.

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Measures Passed:

Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 29322–29343

Adopted:

(1) McClure Amendment No. 1144, to maintain fiscal year 1989 Medicare reimbursement rates for rural referral centers.

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(2) Coats Amendment No. 1145, to prevent Federal funding for the distribution of needles and bleach for the injection of illegal drugs.

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(3) By a unanimous vote of 96 yeas (Vote No. 302), Helms Amendment No. 1146, relating to the restoration and correction of dial-a-porn sanctions.

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(4) Dominici Amendment No. 1147, to make a technical correction regarding the fiscal year 1991 advance appropriation for the health care for the homeless program.

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(5) Hollings (for Graham) Amendment No. 1148, to restore funding for State legalization impact assistance grants.

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(6) Hollings Amendment No. 1149, to permit the expenditure for the independent living component of the Foster Care Program, and to permit spending for State administration and State program improvement.

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Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Harkin, Byrd, Hollings, Burdick, Inouye, Bumpers, Reid, Adams, Specter, Hatfield, Stevens, Rudman, McClure, Cochran, and Gramm.

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Education of the Handicapped Act: Senate passed S. 1824, to reauthorize the Education of the Handicapped Act, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 29439–29448

International Securities Enforcement: Senate passed H.R. 1396, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to facilitate cooperation between the United States and foreign countries in securities law enforcement, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1712, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 29449–29457

(1) Ford (for Dodd) Amendment No. 1151, to revise section 411.

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(2) Ford (for McConnell) Amendment No. 1152, to define the purposes of holding companies.

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(3) Ford (for Leahy) Amendment No. 1153, to add a provision on a public utility holding company exemption.

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(4) Ford (for Glenn) Amendment No. 1154, to provide the Director of the Office of Management and Budget with critical position pay authority for a government-wide total of 200 positions.

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S. 1712 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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National Commission on Children: Senate passed S. 1895, to extend the termination date for members of the National Commission on Children.

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Support for the People of Colombia: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 73, to express the support of the Congress for the courageous people of Colombia.

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U.S. Commission on Civil Rights: Senate passed H.R. 3532, to extend the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1891, Senate companion measure.

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S. 1891 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Indian Emergency Shelters: Senate passed S. 1813, to ensure that funds provided under section 4213 of the Indian Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act of 1986 may be used to acquire land for emergency shelters, after agreeing to a committee amendment.

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Indian Mental Health: Senate passed S. 1270, to provide an Indian mental health demonstration grant program, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation: Senate passed S. 1877, to improve the operational efficiency of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

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Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Program: Senate passed H.R. 2666, to establish a Mildred and Claude Pepper Scholarship Program, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Ford (for Pell/Kassebaum) Amendment No. 1155, in the nature of a substitute.

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National American Indian Heritage Week: The Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 218, to designate the week of December 3, 1989, through December 9, 1989, as "National American Indian Heritage Week", and the measure was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Ford (for Inouye) Amendment No. 1156, to amend the preamble.

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National Family Caregivers Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 282, designating November 19-25, 1989, as "National Family Caregivers Week".

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Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 140, Senate companion measure, and the resolution was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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State Department of Authorizations, 1990/1991—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

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Agriculture Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

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Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendments numbered 9, 14, 21, 28, 39, 46, 57, 61, 62, 74, 76, 94, and 96.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland and Hungary: Senate disagreed to the House amendment to the text of the Senate amendment to H.R. 3402, to promote political democracy and economic pluralism in Poland and Hungary by assisting those nations during a critical period of transition and abetting the development in those nations of private business sectors, labor market reforms, and democratic institutions.

Pages 29382, 29392, 29393, 29398

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: From the Committee on Foreign Relations, Senators Pell, Simon, and Mack; and from the Committee on Finance, Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, and Packwood.

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During consideration of this measure today, the following amendment was submitted and subsequently withdrawn:

Armstrong Amendment No. 1150, to terminate American aid to Poland and Hungary unless the President certifies that arms transfers and security assistance by Poland and Hungary to Cuba and Nicaragua have ceased.

Pages 29394, 29398

Mouse Research Laboratory Authorization: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1390, to authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory.

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Messages From the House:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—302)

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Recess: Senate convened at 9:45 a.m., and recessed at 10:46 p.m., until 10:30 a.m., on Friday, November 17, 1989. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on pages 29371, 29398.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Victor Stello, Jr., of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Defense Programs, receiving testimony from Representative Kostmayer; Lando W. Zech, Jr., former Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission; Robert Backus, Seacoast Anti-Pollution League, Manchester, New Hampshire; Robert Pollard, Union of Concerned Scientists, Eric M. Fersht, Greenpeace, and Marcus A. Rowden, Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver and Jackson, all of Washington, DC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

USS IOWA INCIDENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held hearings to review the Department of the Navy's investigation into the gun turret explosion aboard the USS Iowa, receiving testimony from Adm. Carlyle Trost, USN, Chief of Naval Operations; Rear Adm. Richard D. Milligan, USN, Investigating Officer, Capt. Joseph D. Miceli, USN, Director, Technical Support Team, and Robert J. Powers, Director, Criminal In-

vestigations, Naval Investigative Service, all of the Department of the Navy.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SECURITIES MARKET REFORM/ NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 648, to grant additional authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission to take certain actions in a market emergency, large trader reporting of program or block trades, and to facilitate coordinated clearing mechanisms and practices in the securities markets, with amendments; and

The nomination of Mary L. Schapiro, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Ms. Schapiro, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Sanford, testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

EXCHANGE RATE REPORT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Finance and Monetary Policy concluded hearings to review the Department of the Treasury's report on international economic and exchange rate policy and the outlook for the dollar's impact on the United States' balance of trade, after receiving testimony from David C. Mulford, Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs; and Manuel H. Johnson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Jennifer J. Wilson, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere, Deborah Wince-Smith, of Ohio, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Technology Policy, James B. Wyngaarden, of North Carolina, and J. Thomas Ratchford, of Virginia, each to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, Jerry R. Curry, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Edward M. Emmett, of Texas, to be a Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Jacqueline Jones-Smith, of Maryland, to be Commissioner and Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, and a routine list of nominations in the Coast Guard.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Mr. Emmett and Ms. Jones-Smith after the nominees testified and an-

swered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Emmett was introduced by Senator Gramm and Ms. Jones-Smith was introduced by Representatives Bentley and Gray.

CABLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications held oversight hearings on the implementation of the Cable Telecommunications Act of 1984 (P.L. 98-549), focusing on the deregulation of the cable industry and rate regulation and franchise enforcement; receiving testimony from Mayor Sharpe James, Newark, New Jersey, on behalf of the U.S. Conference of Mayors/National League of Cities; Mayor Charles Edward Patterson, Henderson, Tennessee; Mayor Pro Tem Saul N. Ramirez, Jr., Laredo, Texas; Dorothy E. Harrington, Bayonne City Council, Bayonne, New Jersey; Robert A. Alm, Hawaii State Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs; Honolulu; James P. Mooney, National Cable Television Association, Gene Kimmelman, Consumer Federation of America, and Sharon Ingraham, National Federation of Local Cable Programmers, all of Washington, DC; John Malone, Tele-Communications, Inc., Denver, Colorado; and James O. Robbins, Cox Cable Communications, Atlanta, Georgia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WHOLESALE ELECTRIC COMPETITION

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee resumed hearings on S. 406, the Competitive Wholesale Electric Generation Act, receiving testimony from William McCollam, Jr., Edison Electric Institute, Charles D. Gray, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, and Scott Hempling, Environmental Action Foundation, all of Washington, DC; Sherwood H. Smith, Jr., Carolina Power and Light Co., Raleigh, North Carolina, on behalf of Electric Reliability Coalition; Joseph P. Kearney, PG&E-Bechtel Generating Co., Bethesda, Maryland, on behalf of Cogeneration & Independent Power Coalition of America; and William W. Berry, Dominion Resources, Inc., Richmond, Virginia, on behalf of the Utility Working Group.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CLEAN AIR

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 1630, to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Philip L. Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of

the Agency for International Development, Bradley P. Holmes, of Virginia, to be U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador, Edward S. Walker, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates, Frances D. Cook, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon, Edmund DeJarnette, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania, Daniel H. Simpson, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic, Ruth V. Washington, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of The Gambia, Cynthia S. Perry, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi, and Harriet W. Isom, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Benin, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Zinora M. Mitchell, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of John M. Walker, Jr., of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Vaughn R. Walker, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Edwin L. Nelson, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama, G. Thomas Van Bebber, to be United States District Judge for the District of Kansas, Susan Webber Wright, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas, Edward W. Nottingham, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, Arthur D. Spatt, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York, Edward J. Lodge, to be United States District Judge for the District of Idaho, Joyce J. George, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Ohio, Jean P. Bradshaw, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, Timothy D. Leonard, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma, Gene W. Shepard, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of Iowa, and Cindy S. Daub, of Nebraska, to be a Commissioner of the Copyright Royalty Tribunal;

S. 1086, H.R. 569, S. 1229, S. 1467, and S. 1493, all private relief bills;

S. 993, to implement the convention on the prohibition of the development, production, and stockpiling of bacteriological and toxin weapons and their

destruction, by prohibiting certain conduct relating to biological weapons, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 3259, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a five year period, of nurses as temporary workers, with amendments;

S.J. Res. 192, to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska; and

S. 1702, to strengthen existing Federal penalties for drug traffickers and other violent criminals.

Also, committee began consideration of S. 438, to restore the usefulness and effectiveness of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) statute, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee held hearings on S. 930, to establish in the Occupational Safety and Health Administration an Office of Construction, Safety, Health, and Education to ensure safe and healthy working conditions in the performance of construction work, receiving testimony from Representative Shays; Gerald F. Scannell, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health; Elihu Leifer and Jim Lapping, both of the Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL-CIO, James Cole and Steve Cooper, both of the International Association of Bridge, Structural, and Ornamental Iron Workers, Ken Paradis, National Constructors Association, Kirk Fordice, Associated General Contractors, Ed Travis, Associated Specialty Contractors, Inc., John A. Focht, Jr., American Society of Civil Engineers, and Thomas J. Hickey, American Consulting Engineers Council, all of Washington, DC; Neil Norman, National Society of Professional Engineers, Alexandria, Virginia; Daniel Paine and Barry Cole, both of Sinco Products, Inc., East Hampton, Connecticut; and Matthew J. Burkart, Aegis Corporation, Southampton, Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: On Wednesday, November 15, Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of David E. Lewis, of Florida, to be Assistant Secretary of Acquisition and Facilities, Edward G. Lewis, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Information Resources Management, and Ronald E. Ray, of Florida, to be Assistant Secretary of Human Resources and Administration, each for the Department of Veterans Affairs.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG PRICES

Special Committee on Aging: Committee resumed hearings to examine prescription drug manufacturer pricing policies and practices and their impact on Medicaid programs, receiving testimony from Derek Hodel, The People with AIDS Health Group, New York, New York; R. Michael Berryman, Board of Medical Assistance Services, South Hill, Virginia; Tery Baskin, PACE Alliance, Little Rock, Arkansas; Norrie Wilkins and Donna Schmidt, both on behalf of the PARTNERS National Health Plans, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Guido Adriaenssens and Guido Sermeus, Belgian Consumers' Association, Brussels, Belgium; Jake Green, Winchester, Kentucky; and Leona Bivens, Los Angeles, California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 3670-3694; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 437-440, and H. Res. 291-293 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Government Operations entitled, "Foreign Trade Zones [FTZ] Program Needs Restructuring" (H. Rept. 101-363);

H. Res. 291, waiving all points of order against the conference report on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-364);

H. Res. 292, waiving all points of order against the conference report on H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 (H. Rept. 101-365);

H. Res. 293, providing for the recommittal to conference of the conference report on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" non-immigrants, and waiving certain points of order against consideration of any subsequent conference report on the bill; and

Conference report on H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, for the Intelligence Community Staff, and for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System (H. Rept. 101-367).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Murtha as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Government Ethics Reform: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 252 yeas to 174 nays, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 358, the House passed H.R. 3660, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for government-wide ethics reform.

H. Res. 290, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 29469-29509

Agriculture Appropriations: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2883, making appropriations for Rural Development, Agriculture, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

House receded in its disagreement and concurred in Senate amendments 59, 89, 91, and 95.

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House receded in its disagreement and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendments Nos. 9, 14, 21, 28, 39, 46, 57, 61, 62, 74, 76, 94, and 96—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Aid to Poland and Hungary: By a ye-a-and-nay vote of 372 yeas to 47 nays, Roll No. 359, the House agreed, with amendment, to the Senate amendment to the text of H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform; and agreed to the Senate amendment to the title—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission Authorization: House agreed to H. Res. 198, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1549, to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 was agreed to by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 405 yeas to 10 nays, Roll No. 360.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file the conference report on H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for the fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, for the Intelligence Community Staff, and for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.

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Foreign Operations Appropriations: On a division of the question, the House agreed to recede from its amendment to Senate amendment No. 17 (agreed by a ye-a-and-nay vote of 207 yeas to 200

nays, Roll No. 361); and concurred, with amendment, in Senate amendment No. 17.

Pages 29565, 29570

House disagreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment No. 278—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Legislative Program: The Majority Leader discussed the legislative program for the remainder of the session.

Committee to Sit: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit on Friday, November 17, during proceedings of the House under the five-minute rule.

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Nevada Wilderness Lands: House completed all general debate and began reading for amendment on S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness; but came to no resolution thereon.

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Pending when the Committee of the Whole rose was the Vucanovich amendment that seeks to designate and name specific national forests as wilderness areas.

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Agreed to the committee amendment.

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H. Res. 289, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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Defense Authorization: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H. Con. Res. 225, directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make technical corrections in the enrollment of H.R. 2461, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces—clearing the measure.

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Recess Authority: The Speaker was authorized to declare recesses at any time during the legislative day of Friday, November 17, subject to the call of the Chair.

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Earth Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 159, to designate April 22, 1990, as Earth Day, and to set aside the day for public activities promoting presentation of the global environment.

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Family Caregivers Week: House passed H.J. Res. 282, designating November 19–25, 1989, as "National Family Caregivers Week".

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Interstitial Cystitis Awareness Day: House passed H.J. Res. 291, designating November 16, 1989, as "Interstitial Cystitis Awareness Day".

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Home Care Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 184, to designate the periods commencing on November 26, 1989, and ending on December 2, 1989, and commencing on November 25, 1990, and ending on December 1, 1990, as "National Home Care Week".

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Community Foundation Week: Read a letter from the Secretary of the Senate wherein he returns S.J. Res. 216, designating November 12 through 18, 1989 as "Community Foundation Week", as requested by the Clerk of the House. It was ordered that S. J. Res. 216 be indefinitely postponed.

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One quorum call and four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 29508, 29512, 29552, 29563, 29570.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RECENT AUDITS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee on Tobacco and Peanuts and the Subcommittee on Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains, joint hearing to review the Office of Inspector General's recent audits of the Export Enhancement Programs, the Targeted Export Assistance Program and GSM 102/103 Guaranteed Credit Programs. Testimony was heard from James R. Ebbitt, Assistant Inspector General, Audit, Office of Inspector General, USDA; and Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director, Trade, Energy and Finance, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO.

RECYCLABLE MATERIALS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture held a hearing on H.R. 500, Recyclable Materials Science and Technology Development Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Hochbrueckner; Rufus Chaney, Research Agronomist,

Agricultural Research Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

REAUTHORIZATION OF THE COMMODITY DONATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition concluded hearings on the reauthorization of the commodity donation programs in the 1990 Farm bill. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OMNIBUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITY PROMOTION AND RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 3664, The Omnibus Agricultural Commodity Promotion and Research Act of 1989.

WELFARE AND RECREATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness, Morale, Welfare and Recreation Panel held a hearing on mismanagement, manipulation and dissipation of funds for clubs and other morale, welfare and recreation programs at Ramstein Air Base, Germany, and on the improper use of appropriated and nonappropriated funds for construction and base operations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Derek J. Vander Schaaf, Deputy Inspector General: SMSgt. William M. Minotti, USAF, former Manager, Non-commissioned Officers Open Mess, Ramstein Air Base, Germany; R.A. Grimaldi, Chief, Morale, Welfare and Recreation Division, Ramstein Air Base, Germany; Maj. Gen. Richard Pascoe, USAF, Commander, USAF Air Defense Weapons Center; Maj. Gen. Michael A. Nelson, USAF, Commander, Shepard Technical Training Center, both former chiefs of staff, U.S. Air Force Europe; Lt. Gen. Bradley C. Hosmer, Inspector General; Karen R. Keesling, Assistant Secretary, Manpower and Reserve Affairs; James F. Boatright, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Installations; and Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Hickey, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, all with the Department of the Air Force.

STATEHOOD CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVE COIN ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1553, Statehood Centennial Commemorative Coin Act of 1989.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FHA AND THE GNMA

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Develop-

ment held a hearing on issues affecting the financial condition of the FHA and the GNMA. Testimony was heard from John M. Ols, Director, Housing and Community Development Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; and Robert P. Kalish, Acting Executive Vice President, Government National Mortgage Association, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE RATES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy held a hearing on international exchange rates. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AGREEMENTS FOR SCHOOL RESTRUCTURING ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education held a hearing on H.R. 3347, Educational Performance Agreements for School Restructuring Act. Testimony was heard from Thomas Kean, Governor, State of New Jersey; and public witnesses.

EMPLOYEE HEALTH AND SAFETY WHISTLEBLOWERS PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations held a hearing on H.R. 3368, Employee Health and Safety Whistleblowers Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Robert Davis, Solicitor, Department of Labor; Gary Edles, General Counsel, Administrative Conference of the United States; William Gainer, GAO; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S CREDIT ASSISTANCE AND INSURANCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Federal Government's credit assistance and insurance programs. Testimony was heard from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, GAO.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held an oversight hearing on current tobacco advertising which may conflict with the Federal Cigarette Labeling and Advertising Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Durbin and Atkins; Claudine J. Weiher, Deputy Archivist, National Archives and Records Administration; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; DRAFT REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Ordered reported the following measures: H. Con. Res. 220, expressing the sense of the Congress that all railroad retirement benefits are exempt from sequestration under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and that any such benefits sequestered under the presidential order of October 16, 1989 should be restored; and H.R. 1129, amended, to exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income and resources under Federal means-tested programs.

The Committee also approved the following draft reports: "DOD Automated Information Systems Experience Runaway Costs and Years of Schedule Delays While Providing Little Capability"; "The Challenge of Cultural Diversity and Cultural Equity at the Smithsonian Institution"; "Quicker and Sicker: Substandard Treatment of Medicare Patients"; "Infertility in America: Why is the Federal Government Ignoring a Major Problem?"; "The Federal Role in Determining the Medical and Psychological Impact of Abortion on Women"; "Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Program Needs Restructuring"; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Leaving HUD: Trading on Position and Conflict of Interest by Former HUD Assistant Secretary June Koch".

U.S. FOREST SERVICE TIMBER ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources held a hearing on U.S. Forest Service Timber Accounting Practices. Testimony was heard from Brian P. Crowley, Director, Planning and Reporting, Accounting and Financial Management Division, GAO; George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; and a public witness.

DRAFT REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation approved for full committee action the following draft report entitled: "The Challenge of Cultural Diversity and Cultural Equity at the Smithsonian Institution".

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GSA: Edward Hefferon, Assistant Inspector General, Au-

ding; and C. Allen Olson, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Information Resources Procurement; the following officials of the SBA: Thomas F. O'Neill and Michael A. Radetic, both Special Agents, Office of the Inspector general; and Seymour Efros, Senior Associate General Counsel, GAO.

Hearings continue November 20.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Procurement and Printing met to consider pending business.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Insular and International Affairs held an oversight hearing on Rongelap pursuant to P.L. 99-239. Testimony was heard from John L. Meinhardt, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Defense Programs, Department of Energy; Stella Guerra, Assistant Secretary, Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior; the following officials of the Marshall Islands: Senator Jeton Anjain; and Oscar de Brum, Chief Secretary; and Henry I. Kohn, author, 1988 Independent Assessment of U.S. Department of Energy's 1982 report on Rongelap.

INDIANA DUNES NATIONAL LAKESHORE LEGISLATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3209, Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore Access and Enhancement Act; and H.R. 3600, Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore Expansion Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Jontz; F. Eugene Hester, Associate Director, Natural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

BOUNDARY CHANGE COMPACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations approved for full Committee action H.J. Res. 393, to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on H.J. Res. 393. Testimony was heard from Representative Johnson of North Dakota.

The Subcommittee also acted on private claims bills.

OVERSIGHT OF BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment held an oversight hearing on Biological Diversity. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior: John Turner, Director; and Michael Scott, Leader, Idaho Cooperative

Fish and Wildlife Unit; Hal Salwasser, Deputy Director, Wildlife and Fisheries, Forest Service, USDA; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Civil Service and the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary continued joint oversight hearings to examine the Federal personnel security clearance system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CONTRACTING OUT AND ITS IMPACT ON FEDERAL PERSONNEL AND OPERATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Human Resources held a hearing on contracting out and its impact on Federal personnel and operations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Whether International Air Transportation Services should be included in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. Testimony was heard from Richard B. Self, Deputy Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Service, Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; and public witnesses.

CONFERENCE REPORT—BUDGET RECONCILIATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 3299, Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as having been read when called up for consideration if copies of the conference report have been available to Members for at least two hours. Testimony was heard from Chairman Panetta.

CONFERENCE REPORT—MEDICARE CATASTROPHIC COVERAGE REPEAL ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 3607, Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Repeal Act of 1989, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as having been read when called up for consideration if copies of the conference report have been available to Members for at least two hours. Testimony was heard from Chairman Rostenkowski.

CONFERENCE REPORT—EMERGENCY CHINESE ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing that at upon adoption of the rule, the conference report on H.R. 2712, Emergency Chinese Adjustment of Status

Facilitation Act of 1989, shall be considered as having been recommitted to conference. Clause 2 of Rule XXVIII is waived against consideration on any subsequent conference report on the bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Morrison of Connecticut, Kastenmeier, Pelosi, Smith of Texas, and McCollum.

RESULTS OF THE FLIGHT OF STS-34

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Held a hearing on the Results of the Flight of STS-34. Testimony was heard from the following crew members of Flight STS-34, NASA: Capt. Donald E. Williams, USN, Commander; Cdr. Michael J. McCulley, USN, Pilot; Shannon W. Lucid, Franklin Chang-Diaz, and Dr. Ellen S. Baker, all mission specialists.

GLOBAL CHANGE RESEARCH ACT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on International Scientific Cooperation approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 2984, Global Change Research Act of 1989.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; AIR POLLUTION RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT NEEDS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment approved for full Committee action amended the following bills: H.R. 37, Geological Survey Water Resources Organic Act; H.R. 2734, National Ground Water Research Act of 1989; H.R. 2984, Global Change Research Act of 1989; and H.R. 333, Global Environment Research and Policy Act of 1989.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Air Pollution Research and Development Needs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: James Fouts, Senior Scientific Advisor, National Institute of Environmental Health Services; and Barry Johnson, Assistant Administrator, Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry; John Skinner, Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Research and Development, EPA; James Mahoney, Director, National Acid Precipitation Assessment Program; and public witnesses.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CAPITAL OWNERSHIP DEVELOPMENT REFORM ACT

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the implementation of Public Law 100-656. Testimony was heard from Mitchell F. Crusto, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Finance, Investment and Procurement, SBA; and public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

AMERICAN ECONOMIC POWER

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued hearings to examine changes in relative U.S. economic power and the impact of those changes on national security, receiving testimony from Jerry J. Jasinski, National Association of Manufacturers, Washington, D.C.; Pat Choate, TRW, Inc., Arlington, Virginia; and Lester Thurow, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATIONS—INTELLIGENCE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2748, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees on Wednesday, November 15, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2883, making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for rural development, agriculture, and related agencies programs.

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Friday, November 17, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Twenty-six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1897-1922, S. Res. 211, S.J. Res. 228, and S. Con. Res. 82.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: S. 1606, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve the health of individuals who are members of minority groups and who are from disadvantaged backgrounds, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-211)

H.R. 2749, to authorize the conveyance of a parcel of land in Whitney Lake, Texas.

H.R. 3259, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers, with amendments.

S. Res. 204, to express the Senate's concern over bid rigging activities at U.S. military bases in Japan, and to encourage the Departments of Defense, State and Justice to continue their efforts to end these pursuits.

S.J. Res. 178, to express U.S. support for the aspiration of the people of Soviet Armenia for a peaceful and fair settlement to the dispute over Nagorno-Karabagh, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Measures Passed:

Ethics in Government Act: Senate passed H.R. 3660, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for government-wide ethics reform, after taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 29661-29678, 29681-29711

Adopted:

(1) By 56 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. 308), Mitchell Modified Amendment No. 1163, in the nature of a substitute.

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Rejected:

(1) Helms Amendment No. 1160 (to Amendment No. 1158), to repeal the grandfather clause. (By 60 yeas to 39 nays (Vote No. 305), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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(2) Helms Amendment No. 1162 (to Amendment No. 1158), to repeal the pay raise provisions. (By 65 yeas to 34 nays (Vote No. 306), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Withdrawn:

(1) Mitchell/Dole Modified Amendment No. 1158, in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 29678-29679, 29701-29702

(2) Humphrey Amendment No. 1159 (to Amendment No. 1158), to require a roll call vote of both the House of Representatives and Senate on the disposition of a bill or resolution relating to pay increased for Members of Congress. The amendment fell when Amendment No. 1158 was withdrawn. (Subsequently, the text of this amendment was incorporated in the modification of Amendment No. 1163.)

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During consideration of this bill today, the Senate also took the following action:

By 11 yeas to 88 nays (Vote No. 303), Senate failed to agree to Helms motion to postpone further consideration of H.R. 3660, until February 1, 1990.

Pages 29673-29678

A motion was entered to close further debate on Amendment No. 1158, listed above, and by unanimous-consent, the vote occurred immediately.

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By 90 yeas to 9 nays (Vote No. 304), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on Mitchell/Dole Modified Amendment No. 1158, in the nature of a substitute.

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By 68 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 307), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to waive the relevant sections of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of the bill.

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Indian Law Enforcement Reform Act: Senate passed H.R. 498, to clarify and strengthen the authority for certain Department of the Interior law enforcement services, activities, and officers in Indian country, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Ford (for Inouye) Amendment No. 1166, to clarify line authority of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Criminal Investigation Division.

Pages 29840-29842

Ford (for Inouye) Amendment No. 1167, to establish a Joint Federal-State Commission on Policies and Programs Affecting Alaska Natives.

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Ford (for Inouye) Amendment No. 1168, to allow participation of the Hoopa Valley Tribe and the Yurok Transition Team in the preparation of the Settlement Roll.

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Ford (for Inouye) Amendment No. 1169, to allow continuation of certain tribal gaming operations.

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Symms (for Helms) Amendment No. 1170, to provide the consent of the Congress to the sale of certain lands by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians.

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Granting Consent of Congress: Senate passed H.J. Res. 393, to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska.

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S.J. Res. 192, Senate companion measure, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Private Relief: Senate passed H.R. 569, for the relief of Maurice G. Hardy.

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S. 1086, Senate companion measure, was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Penalties Involving Firearms: Senate passed S. 1702, to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, regarding penalties involving firearms.

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ACDA Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 29843-29844

Ford (for Pell) Amendment No. 1171, in the nature of a substitute.

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NOAA Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 29851-29858

(1) Ford (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1172, to approve the governing international fishery agreement between Japan and the United States.

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(2) Ford (for Mitchell) Amendment No. 1173, to prohibit certain acts relating to lobster conservation measures.

Pages 29853-29858

Indian Child Protection: Senate passed S. 1783, to regulate Indian child protection and prevent child abuse on Indian reservations, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 29858-29865

(1) Ford (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 1174, to preserve rights of privacy of individuals consistent with the Privacy Act and the Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

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(2) Symms (for McCain) Amendment No. 1175, to eliminate provisions relating to child neglect.

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Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 82, to correct the enrollment of H.R. 1396, to amend the Federal securities laws in order to facilitate cooperation between the United States and foreign countries in securities law enforcement.

Pages 29866-29867

National Cities Fight Back Against Drugs Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 205, designating December 3 through 9, 1989, as "National Cities Fight Back Against Drugs Week", and the resolution was then passed.

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Interstitial Cystitis Awareness Day: Senate passed H.J. Res. 291, designation November 16, 1989, as "Interstotoa; Cystitis Awareness Day".

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Reimbursement of Relocation Expenses: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 1020, to permit reimbursement of relocation expenses of William D. Morger, and the bill was then passed.

Pages 29866-29867

Coast Guard Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 1512, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

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(1) Ford (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1177, to strike title II and make conforming amendments.

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(2) Symms (for Stevens) Amendment No. 1178, to require masters of vessels to report complaints regarding sexual offenses.

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(3) Symms (for Chafee) Amendment No. 1179, to provide for certain contingencies with respect to the conveyance of the Block Island Southeast Lighthouse.

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(4) Ford (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 1180, to provide for the manned operation of the Boston Light Station, Little Brewster Island, in Massachusetts.

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(5) Symms (for Stevens) Amendment No. 1181, to change a year date of Public Law 98-364.

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S. 1512 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Pages 29711-29720

Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendment numbers 1, 4, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 21, 25, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 42, 43, 47, 48, 49, 53, 55, 58, 66, 69, 75, 76, 88, 91, 94, 96, 101, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 117, 118, 120, 121, 134, 161, 172, 179, 184, 186, 187, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 220, 221, 223, 224, 225, 226, 228, 230, 232, 233, 234, 235, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, and 244.

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By a unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 309), Senate concurred with the House amendment to Senate amendment number 240, with a Byrd Amendment No. 1164, to remove the appropriation floors from the Foreign Relations Authorizations Act (H.R. 1487).

Pages 29725-29726

Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment number 241, after rejecting, by 29 yeas to 68 nays (Vote No. 310), Cranston Amendment No. 1165 (to House amendment to Senate amendment number 241), to delete all production funding for the B2 aircraft.

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Senate receded from its amendments numbered 229 and 243.

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Foreign Assistance Appropriations, 1990—Conference Report: Senate receded from its disagreement to House amendments to Senate amendments numbered 17 and 278 to H.R. 2939, making appropriations for Foreign Assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and concurred therein.

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Intelligence Authorizations—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.

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Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Technology Competitiveness Act: Senate concurred in the House amendment to S. 488, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies.

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Council Bluffs Trails Interpretation Center: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 338, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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Television Violence Act: Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate amendments to S. 593, to exempt certain activities from provisions of the antitrust laws, with a Ford Amendment No. 1176, in the nature of a substitute.

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Freedom and Democracy in Poland/Hungary—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3402, to promote political democracy and economic pluralism in Poland and Hungary by assisting those nations during a critical

period of transition and abetting the development in those nations of private business sectors, labor market reforms, and democratic institutions.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the Twenty-fourth Annual Report on the status of the National Wilderness Preservation System, which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-76)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Antonio Lopez, of Tennessee, to be an Associate Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Edward Martin Emmett, of Texas, to be a Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission for a term expiring December 31, 1992.

Deborah Wince-Smith, of Ohio, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Technology Policy.

Robert Clifton Duncan, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of Operational Test and Evaluation, Department of Defense.

Christopher Jehn, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Craig S. King, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Navy.

Jerry Ralph Curry, of Virginia, to be administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Duane Perry Andrews, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Jennifer Joy Wilson, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

Catalina Vasquez Villalpando, of Texas, to be Treasurer of the United States.

Ann Christine Petersen, of Illinois, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force.

J. Thomas Ratchford, of Virginia, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

James B. Wyngaarden, of North Carolina, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy.

Michael Bruce Donley, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Jacqueline Jones-Smith, of Maryland, to be a Commissioner of the Consumer Product Safety Commission for a term of seven years from October 27, 1989.

Jacqueline Jones-Smith, of Maryland, to Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

Susan Morrissey Livingstone, of Montana, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

G. Kim Wincup, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

Mary L. Schapiro, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission for the term of five years expiring June 5, 1994.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert William Farrand, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Papua New Guinea, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Solomon Islands, and to the Republic of Vanuatu.

J. Steven Rhodes, of California, to be Ambassador to Zimbabwe.

John J. Maresca, of Connecticut, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Head of the United States Delegation to the Conference on Confidence and Security Building Measures (CSBM).

Carol Mayer Marshall, of California, to be Superintendent of the Mint of the United States at San Francisco, California.

Jerome G. Cooper, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, vice Karen R. Keesling, resigned.

Rhesa H. Barksdale, of Mississippi, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit.

Jacques L. Wiener, Jr., of Louisiana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit.

Ronald L. Buckwalter, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Robert F. Gilbert, of New Hampshire, to be United States Marshal for the District of New Hampshire.

John W. Lyons, of Maryland, to be Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Gail Roggin Wilensky, of the District of Columbia, to be Administrator of the Health Care Financing Administration.

James B. Edwards, of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1992.

Routine lists in the Air Force and Navy.

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Messages From the President:

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Messages From the House:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Authority for Committees:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—310)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10:30 a.m., and recessed on Saturday, November 18, at 1:27 a.m., until 1 p.m., on Sunday, November 19, 1989.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Robert C. McCormack, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Financial Management, Robert R. McMillan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of the Panama Canal Commission, and 1,385 routine nominations in the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee held hearings on S. 1379, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1990 through 1993 for certain programs of the Defense Production Act, receiving testimony from Representative Kasich, Gen. John R. Guthrie, U.S. Army (Ret.), Annandale, Virginia, former Commander, U.S. Army Materiel Command; Lawrence J. Korb, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, former Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; Robert B. Costello, Hudson Institute, Indianapolis, Indiana, former Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition; Albert W. Moore, National Machine Tools Builders Association, McLean, Virginia; Jefferson Z. Amacker, Leach Corporation, Buena Park, California, representing the American Electronics Association; and Paul J. Gross, Proprietary Industries Association, Glendale, California.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, November 21.

CABLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications continued oversight hearings on the implementation of the Cable Telecommunications Act of 1984 (P.L. 98-549), focusing on the deregulation of the cable industry and rate regulation and franchise enforcement, receiving testimony from Alfred C. Sikes, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; Edward O. Fritts, National Association of Broadcasters, Preston Padden, Association of Independent Television Stations, Robert Phillips, National Rural Telecommunications

Cooperative, Robert Schmidt, Wireless Cable Association, and Dean C. Swanson, United States Telephone Association, all of Washington, DC; Charles Dawson, C-SAT, Corrales, New Mexico; and Kent B. Foster, GTE Telephone Operations, Irving, Texas.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The 1988 Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports Serving International Civil Aviation (Treaty Doc. 100-19);

The Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Maritime Navigation and the Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf (Treaty Doc. 101-1);

S.J. Res. 178, expressing U.S. support for the aspirations of the people of Soviet Armenia for a peaceful and fair settlement to the dispute over Nagorno-Karabagh, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. Res. 204, expressing the Senate's concern over bid rigging activities at U.S. military bases in Japan, and to encourage the Departments of Defense, State, and Justice to continue their efforts to end these practices;

S. Res. 210, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding democratic reforms and human rights on Taiwan; and

The nominations of Bernard W. Aronson, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation, Philip L. Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, Bradley P. Holmes, of Virginia, to be U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador, Edward S. Walker, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates, Frances D. Cook, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon, Edmund DeJarnette, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania, Daniel H. Simpson, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic, Ruth V. Washington, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of The Gambia, Cynthia S. Perry, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi, Harriet W. Isom, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Benin, Anthony C.E. Quainton, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru, Stephen J. Ledogar, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his service as U.S. Representative to the Conference on Disarmament, Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey, to be U.S. Representative to the 44th Session of U.N. General

Assembly, Alexander F. Watson, of Massachusetts, to be U.S. Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, Jonathan Moore, of Massachusetts, to be U.S. Alternate Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, Milton J. Wilkinson, of New Hampshire, to be U.S. Alternate Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, Pearl Bailey, of Arizona, to be U.S. Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, Gary E. MacDougal, of Illinois, to be U.S. Alternate Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, and Barbara H. Franklin, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. Alternate Representative to the 44th Session of the U.N. General Assembly.

SAUDI ARABIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the proposed sale of M1A2 tanks and other equipment to Saudi Arabia, receiving testimony from Richard A. Clarke, Assistant Secretary of State for Politico-Military Affairs; Edward W. Gnehm, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Near East and South Asian Affairs; and Arthur Hughes Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Near East and South Asian Affairs, International Security Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EL SALVADOR

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs held hearings to review an assessment of the political and human rights situation in El Salvador, receiving testimony from Bernard Aronson, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; Robert Henne-meyer, U.S. Catholic Conference, and Col. Samuel Dickens, American Security Council, both of Washington, DC; and Morris Blachman, University of South Carolina, Columbia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 535, to require the President to make reports to the Congress on civil monetary penalty inflation adjustment and civil monetary penalties;

S. 29, to establish a two-year Federal budgeting and appropriations cycle and timetable; and

The nominations of Kathleen Day Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, Jean McKee, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, Tony Armendariz, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, Pamela Talkin, of California, to be a Member of the

Federal Labor Relations Authority, Bill R. Phillips, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management, Zinora M. Mitchell, to be Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, David C. Williams, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and Donald E. Kirkendall, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury.

CONSULTANT REGISTRATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Services, Post Office, and Civil Service held hearings on S. 166, to establish procedures for Federal Agency contracting of advisory and assistance services, receiving testimony from Francis A. Keating II, General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Allan V. Burman, Acting Director, Office of Federal Procurement Policy, and Richard Ong, Deputy Associate Administrator, both of the Office of Management and Budget; Philip A. Odeen, Coopers and Lybrand, Washington, DC, and William A. Morrill, Mathtech, Inc., Fairfax, Virginia, both on behalf of the Professional Services Council; and Whitney North Seymour, Jr., Brown and Seymour, New York, New York.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 3695-3726; 2 private bills, H.R. 3727-3728; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 441-443, H. Con. Res. 229-235, and H. Res. 294 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1347, to amend the Panama Canal Act of 1979 with respect to compensation for certain members of the Panama Canal Commission, to extend retirement eligibility, amended, (H. Rept. 101-368);

H.R. 3133, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel Jamal, amended (H. Rept. 101-369);

Conference report on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrant (H. Rept. 101-370);

H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program (H. Rept. 101-371);

Report entitled "Trading on Position and Conflict of Interest By Former HUD Assistant Secretary June Koch" (H. Rept. 101-372);

H.R. 1129, to exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income in resources under Federal means-tested programs, amended (H. Rept. 101-373);

H.R. 435, to amend the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 to include Columbiana County, Ohio, as part of the Appalachian region (H. Rept. 101-374);

H.R. 3311, to redesignate the United States Post Office/Court House located in Salt Lake City, Utah, as the "Frank E. Moss Federal Building", amended (H. Rept. 101-375);

H.R. 3593, to provide emergency assistance to areas that sustained damages as a result of Hurricane Hugo, amended (H. Rept. 101-376); and

Conference report on H.R. 3402, to promote political democracy and economic pluralism in Poland and Hungary by assisting those nations during a critical period of transition and abetting the development in those nations during a critical period of transition and abetting the development in those nations of private business sectors, labor market reforms, and democratic institutions; to establish, through these steps, the framework for a composite program of support for East European Democracy (SEED) (H. Rept. 101-377).

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the twenty-fourth annual report on the state of the National Wilderness Preservation System for the calendar year 1987—referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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Drug-Free Schools: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary school; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Hawkins, Ford of Michigan, Kildee, Williams, Owen of New York, Goodling, Henry, and Bartlett.

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International Narcotics Control: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Fascell, Smith of Florida, Feighan, Ackerman, Johnston, McCloskey, Broomfield, Gilman, Meyers of Kansas, and Goss.

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Nevada Wilderness: By a recorded vote of 323 ayes to 75 noes, Roll No. 367, House passed S. 974,

to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness.

Pages 29887-29910

Agreed to the committee amendment to section 11.

Page 29921

Rejected:

The Vucanovich amendment that sought to reduce the size of the wilderness from 733,000 acres to 412,000 acres (rejected by a recorded vote of 126 ayes to 283 noes, Roll No. 362);

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The Vucanovich amendment that sought to strike provisions establishing a Federal reserved water right for the Nevada wilderness area (rejected by a recorded vote of 118 ayes to 285 noes, Roll No. 365); and

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The Rhodes amendment that sought to require that stream adjudication claims filed by the Secretary be pursuant to the laws of the State of Nevada (rejected by a recorded vote of 139 ayes to 261 noes, Roll No. 366.

Page 29918

Substance Abuse Prevention: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3630, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, including establishing separate block grants with respect to substance abuse and mental health; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Dingell, Waxman, Scheuer, Lent and Madigan.

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Special Forfeiture Fund: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3550, to amend section 524 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund, to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substance Act to make technical clarifying, and administrative changes; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on the Judiciary: Representatives Hughes, Mazzoli, Feighan, McCollum, and Gekas.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce: Representatives Dingell, Waxman, and Lent.

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Aid to Poland and Hungary: House insisted on its amendment to the Senate amendment to the text of H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform; and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees:

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs: Representatives Fascell, Hamilton, Yatron, Gejdenson, Lantos, Broomfield, Gilman, and Bereuter.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, as exclusive conferees for consideration of section 301 of the House amendment to the Senate amendment, and sections 301 and 704, and title X of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Rostenkowski, Gibbons, and Archer.

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Representatives Gonzalez, Fauntroy, and Wylie.

From the Committee on Agriculture: Representatives de la Garza, Glickman, and Coleman of Missouri.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce: Representatives Dingell, Swift, and Lent.

From the Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Representatives Anderson, Nowak, and Hammerschmidt.

From the Committee on Education and Labor: Representatives Hawkins, Ford of Michigan, and Goodling.

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Chinese Immigration Status: House agreed to H. Res. 293, providing for the recommittal to conference of the conference report on the H.R. 2717, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants, and waiving certain points of order against consideration of any subsequent conference report on the bill.

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Trails Interpretation Center: House passed S. 338, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Page 29898

Agreed to the Vento amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 29900

Rocky Mountain Land Acquisition: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment to S. 737, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 29900

Labor-HHS Appropriations: House agreed to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 7 (No. 7 agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote 402 yeas, Roll No. 364); agreed to Senate amendment No. 6 with an amendment; and disagreed to Senate amendment No. 5, to H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal

year ending September 30, 1990—returning the measure to the Senate.

Page 29901

The first Natcher motion to disagree to Senate amendment No. 7 was rejected by a yea-and-nay vote of 98 yeas to 306 nays, Roll No. 363 (Dial-A-Porn).

Page 29904

Clinton P. Anderson Commemorative: House passed S. 818, to commemorate the contributions of Senator Clinton P. Anderson to the establishment of the National Wilderness Preservation System—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 29923

Intelligence Authorization: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2748, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Page 29923

D.C. Superior Court: House passed H.R. 3670, to authorize the appropriations of sums necessary for the expansion of the membership of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia from 50 associate judges to 58 associate judges.

Page 29929

Agreed to the Dellums amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 29929

Agreed to amend the title.

Page 29930

Law Enforcement Claims: House agreed, with an amendment, to the Senate amendment to H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice—returning the measure to the Senate.

Page 29930

South Dakota-Nebraska Boundary Change: House passed H.J. Res. 393, to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska.

Page 29931

Federal Aviation Act: House passed H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program.

Page 29933

Wetland Conservation: House passed S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and the other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats.

Page 29939

Agreed to the Studds amendment that strikes language which disallows refugee revenue sharing and makes other technical changes.

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Smithsonian Board of Regents: House passed S.J. Res. 202, providing for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr. of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Page 29943

Agreed to the Frost amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to amend the title.

Page 29944

Smithsonian Board of Regents: House passed S.J. Res. 203, providing for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal of Michigan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Page 29944

Agreed to the Frost amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 29944

Agreed to amend the title.

Page 29944

Civil Rights Commission: By a yea-and-nay vote of 389 yeas, Roll No. 368, House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3532, to extend the United States Commission on Civil Rights—clearing the measure for the President.

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Suspensions: House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Page 29944

Agent orange settlements: H.R. 1129, amended, to exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income and resources under Federal means-tested programs. Subsequently this passage was vacated and S. 892, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed. Agreed to amend the title of the Senate bill;

Page 29944

Aviation research program: H.R. 2581, to authorize the Federal Aviation Administration to establish an aviation research grant program;

Page 29946

Hotel and motel fire safety: H.R. 94, amended, to amend the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974 to allow for the development and issuance of guidelines concerning the use and installation of automatic sprinkler systems and smoke detectors in places of public accommodation affecting commerce;

Page 29948

Renewable energy technology: H.R. 1216, amended, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration

of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies. Subsequently this passage was vacated and S. 488, a similar Senate-passed bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed;

Page 29965

Railroad retirement: H. Con. Res. 220, expressing the sense of the Congress that all railroad retirement benefits are exempt from sequestration under the Balance Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 and that any such benefits sequestered under the presidential order of October 16, 1989, should be restored;

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Local rail service: H.R. 422, amended, to amend the Department of Transportation Act to reauthorize local rail service assistance;

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NOAA fleet expansion: H.R. 897, amended, authorizing the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to modernize and expand its fleet of ocean research vessels;

Page 29991

Driftnet fishing: H. Con. Res. 214, in support of regional efforts to end driftnet fishing in the South Pacific;

Page 29996

Military exchange privilege: H.R. 2612, to provide temporary authority to certain employees of the Panama Canal Commission to purchase food and other goods at any commissary or exchange store located in Panama which is operated by any military department of the United States;

Page 30003

Vietnam women's memorial: S.J. Res. 207, approving the location of the Memorial to the Women who served in Vietnam;

Page 30006

Minidoka project: H.R. 3694, to authorize reimbursement by the Secretary of the Interior of certain expenditures at the Minidoka Project, Idaho and Wyoming;

Page 30008

Capitol Police: House agreed to H. Res. 294, providing for five additional positions on the Capitol Police for duty with respect to the House of Representatives.

Page 29965

Aid to Poland and Hungary: House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3402, to promote political and economic democracy in Poland and Hungary as those countries develop and implement programs of comprehensive economic reform—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Chinese Immigrant Status: The House completed all debate on the conference H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese na-

tionals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants. The vote on the measure was postponed until Sunday, November 19.

Pages 29934, 29986

Hurricane Damage Assistance: House Passed H.R. 3593, to provide emergency assistance to areas that sustained damages as a result of Hurricane Hugo.

Page 29993

Agreed to the Nowak amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Appalachian Region: House passed H.R. 435, to amend the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 to include Columbiana County, Ohio, as part of the Appalachian region.

Page 30010

Frank E. Moss Building: House passed H.R. 3311, to redesignate the United States Post Office/Court House located in Salt Lake City, Utah, as the "Frank E. Moss Federal Building".

Page 30010

Agreed to the Applegate amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to amend the title.

Page 30011

Joint Referral: H.R. 3092, Oil Pipeline Regulatory Reform Act, originally referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Page 30011

Late Report: Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to have until midnight, December 1, to file reports on H.R. 3386, to prohibit the use of refrigerated motor vehicles for the transportation of solid waste, to prohibit the use of cargo tanks in providing motor vehicle transportation of food and hazardous materials; and H.R. 2015, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965.

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Recess: House recessed at 9:45 p.m. and reconvened at 1:23 a.m., November 18.

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Government Ethics Reform: House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 3660, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for government-wide ethics reform—clearing the measure for the President. Earlier, it was made in order to consider the bill.

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Referrals. Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four recorded and three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 29855, 29908, 29909, 29917, 29921, 29922, 29938. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 1:30 a.m., November 18.

Committee Meetings

GENERIC DRUG APPROVAL PROCESS AT THE FDA

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the generic drug approval process at the FDA. Testimony was heard from Frank E. Young, Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services.

COMPLIANCE WITH ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on the need to ensure that Department of Energy contractors are accountable for compliance with environmental laws and to examine H.R. 2597, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to improve compliance with hazardous waste laws at Federal facilities. Testimony was heard from Representative Wyden; Richard L. Hembra, Director, Environmental Protection Issues, Resources, Community and Economic Development Division, GAO; Stephen A. Wakefield, General Counsel, Department of Energy; Christopher R. Holmes, Acting Assistant Administrator, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, EPA; and public witnesses.

U.S. RELATIONS WITH VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a joint hearing on Issues Affecting the Question of United States Relations with Vietnam. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: David Lambertson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Robert Funseth, Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Refugee Programs; and Michael Young, Deputy Legal Advisor; R. Richard Newcomb, Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury; and a public witness.

FOREIGN AVAILABILITY UNDER THE EXPORT ADMINISTRATION ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on Foreign Availability Under The Export Administration Act. Testimony was heard from Dennis Kloske, Under Secretary, Bureau of Export Administration, Department of Commerce; Stephen Hadley, Assistant Secretary, International Security Policy, Department of Defense; and Christopher Hankins, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Trade Controls, Department of State.

INTERNATIONAL HUNGER ALLEVIATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved for full Committee action amended H. Con. Res. 91, expressing the sense of the Congress with regard to supporting increased donations of commodities for international hunger alleviation purposes through purchases of agricultural commodities from the United States and developing countries financed by the Government of Japan.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES AND RESOLUTIONS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program; H.R. 2015, amended, Public Works and Economic Development Act Amendments of 1989; H.R. 435, to amend the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 to include Columbiana County, OH, as part of the Appalachian region; H.R. 3386, amended, Safe Transportation of Food Act; and H.R. 3311, amended, to redesignate the United States Post Office/Court House located in Salt Lake City, UT, as the "Frank E. Moss Federal Building; and H.R. 3593, amended, Hurricane Hugo Emergency Relief Act.

The Committee also approved the following: 3 11(b) resolutions; 1 construction resolution; 1 repair resolution; 6 lease prospectus resolutions; and 2 lease alteration resolutions.

METAL CASTING COMPETITIVENESS RESEARCH

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy, Research and Development approved for full Committee action amended, H.R. 1243, to require the Secretary of Energy to establish three Centers for Metal Casting Competitiveness Research.

EARTHQUAKE THREAT

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight and the Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology held a joint hearing on The Earthquake Threat in the Central United States: Are We Prepared? Testimony was heard from Dallas L. Peck, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; James Hayes, Director, Division of Earth Sciences, NSF; Richard N. Wright, Director, Center for Building Technology, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; the following officials of FEMA: Dennis Kwiatkowski, Assistant Associate Director, Natural and Technological Hazards; and Gregg Chappell, Assistant Associate Director, Disaster Assistance; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

Joint Meetings**FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY IN POLAND AND HUNGARY**

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3402, to promote political democracy and economic pluralism in Poland and Hungary by assisting those nations during a critical period of transition and abetting the development in those nations of private business sectors, labor market reforms, and democratic institutions.

PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Conferees met to resolve the differences on H.R. 3630, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, including establishing separate block grants with respect to substance abuse and mental health, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to the call.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION

Conferees met to resolve the differences on H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

SPECIAL FORFEITURE FUND

Conferees met to resolve the differences on H.R. 3550, to amend section 524 of title 28, United States Code, with respect to the Special Forfeiture Fund,

and to amend section 511 of the Controlled Substances Act to make technical, clarifying, and administrative changes, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to the call.

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL

Conferees met to resolve the differences on H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

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Sunday, November 19, 1989

Senate**Chamber Action**

Routine Proceedings, pages 30118-30209

Measures Introduced: Six bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1923-1928, S. Res. 212 and 213, and S. Con. Res. 83 and 84.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1096, to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded the Seminole Indians in dockets 73, 151, and 73-A of the Indians Claims Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-212)

S. Res. 210, expressing the support of the Senate regarding democratic reforms and human rights on Taiwan. (S. Rept. No. 101-213)

H.R. 2783, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-214)

S. 1022, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide authorization of appropriations for the Federal Communications Commission, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-215)

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Measures Passed:

Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 83, to correct the enrollment of H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies.

Pages 30136-30137

Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 84, to provide for the correction of technical errors in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 3660, Ethics in Government Act.

Pages 30137-30139

Job Training Partnership Act: Senate passed S. 975, to amend the Job Training Partnership Act to encourage a broader range of training and job placement for women, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 30139-30143

Dole (for Helms) Amendment No. 1182, to clarify the intent of Congress on the issue of comparable worth.

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U.S. Support for People of Armenia: Senate passed S.J. Res. 178, to express United States support for the aspirations of the people of Soviet Armenia for a peaceful and fair settlement to the dispute over Nagorno-Karabagh, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 30143-30144

Senate Official Mail Costs: Senate agreed to S. Res. 212, managing the expenditure of funds for Senate official mail, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 30144-30149

Humphrey Amendment No. 1183, to provide for detailed statements to and publication of summary statistics in the Congressional Record concerning the use of the franking privilege by Senate offices and require that mass mailings clearly state that they are mailed at taxpayer expense.

Pages 30146-30147

Directing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 213, to direct the Senate Legal Counsel to appear as amicus curiae in *United States v. Shawn D. Eichman*, and related cases.

Pages 30149-30151

Oil Pollution Limitations: Senate passed H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability and damages resulting from oil pollution, and to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages, after striking all after the enacting clauses and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 686, Senate companion measure, as passed by the Senate on August 4.

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Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate.

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Local Rail Service Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 422, to reauthorize local rail service assistance.

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Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations, 1990: Senate further insisted on its amendment number 5, and concurred in the amendment of the House to Senate amendment number 6 to H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor,

Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies.

Pages 30132-30136

North American Wetland Ecosystems: Senate concurred in the House amendments to S. 804, to conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats.

Pages 30151-30152

Drug Legislation—Consent Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for Senate consideration of a bill dealing with the death penalty, habeas corpus reform, exclusionary rule, Justice Department reorganization, international money laundering, and the availability of firearms for purchase.

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Education Excellence Act—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 695, to promote excellence in American education by recognizing and rewarding schools, teachers, and students for their outstanding achievements, enhancing parental choice, and encouraging the study of science, mathematics, and engineering.

Page 30137

Catastrophic Insurance Reform—Conference Report: By unanimous consent, Senate rejected the conference report on H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

Pages 30156-30159, 30203-30204

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a further conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed conferees as follows: Senators Bentsen, Matsunaga, Moynihan, Baucus, Mitchell, Riegle, Rockefeller, Bradley, Packwood, Dole, Roth, Chafee, Heinz, Durenberger, and McCain.

Pages 30203-30204

Smithsonian Board of Regents: Senate concurred in the House amendments to S.J. Res. 202, providing for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr., of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Pages 30208-30209

Smithsonian Board of Regents: Senate concurred in the House amendments to S.J. Res. 203, providing for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal, of Michigan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Domestic Volunteer Service Act Amendments—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1312, to amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal

year 1992 certain authorities contained in such Act relating to national volunteer antipoverty programs.

Pages 30208-30209

Measures Indefinitely Postponed:

Trails Interception Centers: H.R. 952, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interception center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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Executive Reports of a Committee: The Senate received the following executive reports of a committee:

Report to accompany the Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports Serving International Civil Aviation, done at Montreal on February 24, 1988 (Treaty Doc. No. 101-19). (Exec. Rept. No. 101-17)

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Report to accompany the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Maritime Navigation, and the Accompanying Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Fixed Platforms Located on the Continental Shelf, both signed at Rome on March 10, 1988. (Treaty Doc. No. 101-1). (Exec. Rept. No. 101-18)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Jean McKee, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 1994.

Kathleen Day Koch, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years.

David C. Williams, of Illinois, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Pamela Talkin, of California, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of five years expiring July 1, 1990.

William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for the term expiring April 13, 1993.

Ronald E. Ray, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Human Resources and Administration).

Tony Armendariz, of Texas, to be a Member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for the remainder of the term expiring July 29, 1992.

Bill R. Phillips, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management.

Edward G. Lewis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Information Resources Management).

Pearl Bailey, of Arizona, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-fourth

Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Zinora M. Mitchell, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

The following-named person to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Barbara Hackman Franklin, of Pennsylvania.

The following-named person to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Gary Edward MacDougal, of Illinois.

Robert R. McMillan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of the Panama Canal Commission.

Ruth V. Washington, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of The Gambia.

Robert C. McCormack, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

David E. Lewis, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Acquisition and Facilities).

Daniel Howard Simpson, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Central African Republic.

The following-named Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period:

Morton I. Abramowitz, of the District of Columbia.

Bernard William Aronson, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for the remainder of the term expiring September 20, 1990.

Edward S. Walker, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the United Arab Emirates.

Donald E. Kirkendall, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury.

Frances D. Cook, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon.

Edmund Dejarnette, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania.

Anthony Cecil Eden Quainton, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru.

Bradley P. Holmes, of Virginia, to be United States Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, with the rank of Ambassador.

Cynthia Shepard Perry, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi.

Stephen J. Ledogar, of Connecticut, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as

United States Representative to the Conference on Disarmament.

Harriet Winsar Isom, of Oregon, to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of Benin.

The following-named person to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Thomas R. Pickering, of New Jersey.

The following-named person to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Alexander Fletcher Watson, of Massachusetts.

The following-named person to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Jonathan Moore, of Massachusetts.

The following-named person to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Forty-Fourth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Milton James Wilkinson, of New Hampshire.

2 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

9 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

4 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Captain.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Commander.

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 1 p.m., and recessed at 10:45 p.m., until noon, on Monday, November 20, 1989.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 3729-3742; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 236, and H. Res. 295 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 (H. Rept. 101-378);

H.R. 3730, to amend title II, IV, XVI, XVIII, and XIX of the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, to make miscellaneous improvements in the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program, the supplemental security income program, the program of aid to families with dependent children, the railroad retirement program, the medicare program, and the medicaid program (H. Rept. 101-379); and

H. Res. 295, providing for the consideration of a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990 (H. Rept. 101-380).

Pages 30115, 30116

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Gray as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 287 yeas to 112 nays, Roll No. 369, the House approved the Journal of Friday, November 17.

Pages 30090, 30099

Defense Appropriations: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment No. 240 to H.R. 3072, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30091

Recess: House recessed at 1:44 p.m. and reconvened at 6:52 p.m.

Page 30098

Government Ethics Reform: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 84, providing for the correction of technical errors in the enrollment of H.R. 3660, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1938 to provide for Government-wide ethics reform.

Page 30098

Foreign Operations Authorization: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request that it be in order at any time to consider in the House, any Rule of the House to the contrary notwithstanding, a bill to be introduced by Representative Obey

making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Page 30100

Late Reports: Committee on Government Operations received permission to have until 5 p.m. on Friday, November 24th, to file certain sundry investigative reports.

Page 30101

Chinese Immigrant Status: By a yea-and-nay vote of 403 yeas, Roll No. 370, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants—closing the measure for Senate action.

Page 30101

Arms Control Agency Authorization: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1495, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30102

Catastrophic Health Coverage: By a yea-and-nay vote of 349 yeas to 57 nays, Roll No. 371, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3607, to repeal Medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Page 30113

Presidential Veto Message—Foreign Operations Appropriations: Received and read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 2939, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, related programs for the fiscal ending September 30, 1990, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-113).

Page 30113

Subsequently, the message and bill were referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Page 30114

Motion to Adjourn: By a yea-and-nay vote of 55 yeas to 268 nays, Roll No. 372, the House rejected the Burton of Indiana motion to adjourn.

Page 30114

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

Page 30115

Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 30099, 30101, 30113, 30115.

Adjournment: Met at 1 p.m. and adjourned at 9:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works and Transportation: Met and approved pending Committee business.

MISCELLANEOUS AND TECHNICAL SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Ordered reported H.R. 3730, The Miscellaneous and Technical Social Security Act Amendments of 1989.

Joint Meetings

EMERGENCY CHINESE IMMIGRATION RELIEF ACT

Conferees, on Friday, November 17, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 2712, Emergency Chinese Adjustment of Status Act of 1989.

MEDICARE CATASTROPHIC

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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Monday, November 20, 1989

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30449-30647

Measures Introduced: Twenty one bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1929-1949, S. Res. 214-216, and S.J. Res. 229-231.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special Report of the Special Committee on Investigations of the Select Committee on Indian Affairs. (S. Rept. No. 101-216)

S. 768, to amend the Public Health Service Act and the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide basic health benefits for all Americans, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-217)

S. 321, to revise provisions of law that provide a preference to Indians, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-218)

Special Report entitled "Report on Activities of the Select Committee on Intelligence During the 100th Congress". (S. Rept. No. 101-219)

S. 1210, to conduct a comprehensive national assessment of the nature and extent of aquatic sediment contamination.

S. 1539, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act so as to include Lake Champlain in the Clean Lakes Demonstration Program.

S. 903, to provide for accountability with regard to environmental compliance and to provide notice and an opportunity to comment on designations of special use airspace.

Page 30531

Measures Passed:

D.C. Superior Court Membership Expansion: Senate passed H.R. 3670, to authorize the appropriation of sums necessary for the expansion of the membership of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia from 50 associate judges to 58 associate judges.

Page 30447

Disadvantaged Minority Health Improvement Act: Senate passed S. 1606, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve the health of individuals who are members of minority groups and who are from disadvantaged backgrounds, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Page 30449

Burns (for Hatch) Amendment No. 1184, to provide for the coordination of prenatal care programs.

Page 30456

Senate Appreciation to Jean-Pierre Hocke: Senate agreed to S. Res. 215, expressing the appreciation of the Senate for the distinguished humanitarian service of Jean-Pierre Hocke as United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees and with the International Committee of the Red Cross.

Page 30466

Federal Meat Inspection Distribution: The Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from the further consideration of H.R. 2134, to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act to authorize the distribution of wholesome meat for human consumption that has been condemned under that Act to charity and public agencies, and the bill was then passed.

Page 30466

Animal Research Protection: The Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from the further consideration of S. 727, to amend the Animal Welfare Act to provide protection to animal research facilities from illegal acts, and the

bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Page 30467

Kerrey (for Heflin) Amendment No. 1185, in the nature of a substitute.

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Impacts of Climate on Agriculture: The Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from the further consideration of S. 1610, to develop a program to determine potential impacts of climate on agriculture and forestry, to provide for the development of policies designed to address issues of potential climate change, with respect both to developing a capacity for agriculture and forestry to adapt to climate change, and to developing innovative ways to ameliorate climate change, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Page 30470

Kerrey (for Daschle) Amendment No. 1186, to make certain technical changes.

Page 30471

Taft Institute Authorization: Senate passed S. 1939, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Taft Institute.

Page 30479

Food Security Act Clarification: Senate passed H.R. 3620, to clarify the Food Security Act of 1985, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Page 30482

Kerrey (for Leahy) Amendment No. 1187, to make certain technical corrections.

Page 30482

Oklahoma/Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes Agreement: Senate passed S. 1526, to authorize the State of Oklahoma and the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes to enter into an agreement regarding the exercise of State jurisdiction over a portion of Indian country located in Comanche County, Oklahoma, after agreeing to committee amendments.

Page 30483

Foreign Assistance Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 3743, making appropriations for foreign assistance and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, after taking action amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Pages 30492, 30523

Rejected:

Leahy Amendment No. 1188, to restrict the amount available for military assistance for El Salvador until Salvadoran authorities have concluded investigative actions and apprehended and brought to trial those responsible for ordering and carrying out the November 16, 1989, murders of certain individ-

uals in that country. (By 58 yeas to 39 nays (Vote No. 311), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Page 30500

Withdrawn:

Kasten Amendment No. 1190, to provide that none of the funds appropriated for assistance by this Act may be provided to any foreign government, foreign person, or United States person pursuant to an agreement under which, as an express condition for receipt of such assistance, the recipient is required to carry out a military or foreign policy activity which is expressly prohibited by a provision of United States law.

Page 30523

District of Columbia Appropriations, 1990: Senate passed H.R. 3746, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenue of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Page 30525

Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir: Senate passed S. 1121, to authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyoming.

Page 30599

Interstate Hazardous Waste Management Agreements: Senate agreed to S. Res. 216, to express the sense of the Senate concerning the formation by the States of interstate agreements to govern the management of hazardous waste.

Page 30601

Immigration Nursing Relief Act: Senate passed H.R. 3259, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitation, for certain H-1 non-immigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

Page 30601

(1) Humphrey (for Simpson) Amendment No. 1192, to provide the need for public education regarding anti-discrimination provisions and the need to apply for permanent residence under the amnesty program.

Page 30605

(2) Humphrey (for Simpson) Amendment No. 1193, relating to additional uses of State legalization impact assistant grant funds.

Page 30606

Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 202, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Governmen-

tal Affairs hearing entitled "Organized Crime: 25 Years After Valachi", and the resolution was then agreed to.

Page 30642

Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 167, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Women in Congress", and the resolution was then agreed to.

Page 30642

Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 168, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "The U.S. Capitol: A Brief Architectural History", and the resolution was then agreed to.

Page 30642

Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 169, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Origins of the House of Representatives: A Documentary Record", and the resolution was then agreed to.

Page 30642

Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 170, authorizing the printing of the book entitled "Black Americans in Congress", and the resolution was then agreed to.

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Printing Resolution: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of H. Con. Res. 193, authorizing printing of the brochure entitled "How Our Laws Are Made" as a House document, and the resolution was then agreed to.

Page 30642

Minnesota Land Management: Senate passed H.R. 2783, to improve the management of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Page 30642

Pemigewasset River, New Hampshire: Senate passed S. 1524, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 by designating segments of the Pemigewasset River in the State of New Hampshire for study as a National Wild and Scenic River, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Page 30645

Reid (for Johnston) Amendment No. 1194, relating to backwater of the Ayers Island Dam.

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Commending the Government of Hong Kong: Senate agreed to S. Res. 211, commending the Gov-

ernment of Hong Kong on its commitment to halting software piracy.

Page 30646

Emergency Chinese Immigration Relief Act—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2712, to facilitate the adjustment or change of status of Chinese nationals in the United States by waiving the 2-year foreign residence requirement for "J" nonimmigrants and by treating nonimmigrants, whose departure has been deferred by the Attorney General, as remaining in legal nonimmigrant status for purposes of adjustment or change of status.

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District of Columbia Police Authorization: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to Senate amendments to H.R. 1502, to authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system

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Agent Orange Settlement Payments: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 892, to exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income and resources under Federal means-tested programs.

Page 30481

Nevada Wilderness: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness, with a Humphrey (for McClure) Amendment No. 1191, relating to reserved Federal water rights.

Page 30599

Veterans' Health-Care Programs Amendments: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to Senate amendments to H.R. 901, to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rates of disability compensation and dependency and indemnity compensation for veterans and survivors, to increase the allowances paid to disabled veterans pursuing rehabilitation programs and to the dependents and survivors of certain disabled veterans programs of education, and to improve various programs of benefits and healthcare services for veterans.

Page 30606

Department of Justice Claims Settlements: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 972, to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.

Page 30642

International Year of Bible Reading: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S.J. Res. 164, designating 1990 as the "International Year of Bible Reading".

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Appointments:

Commission on Interstate Child Support: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority and the Republican Leader, after consultation with the Chairman and Ranking Minority Member of the Finance Committee, pursuant to provisions of Public Law 100-485, appointed the following individuals to the Commission on Interstate Child Support: Senator Bradley, J.B. McReynolds, of Texas, Judge Battle Robinson, of Delaware, and Beth Mason, of Oregon.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Forrest J. Remick, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Barbara Spyridon Pope, of Mississippi, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

Cindy Shinga Daub, of Nebraska, to be a Commissioner of the Copyright Royalty Tribunal.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Captain.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of Commander.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

David C. Fields, of California, to be Director of the Office of Foreign Missions, with the rank of Ambassador.

Henrietta Hugentobler Holsman, of California, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

James B. Edwards, of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1990.

Peter K. Nunez, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

William D. Hathaway, of Maine, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

James B. Edwards, of South Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation, which was sent to the Senate on November 17, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Amendments Submitted:	Page 30570
Authority for Committees:	Page 30573
Additional Statements:	Page 30574
Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Today—311)	Page 30519

Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed on Tuesday, November 21, at 12:47 a.m., to reconvene at 12 noon the same day. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Mitchell in today's Record on pages 30447 and 30646-47.)

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Adis Maria Vila, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

On Friday, November 17, the committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of William P. Albrecht, of Iowa, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Susan J. Crawford, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense, and Jerome G. Cooper, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Crawford was introduced by Representatives Bentley and Byron, and Mr. Cooper was introduced by Senator Shelby.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Gordon H. Mansfield, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Prior to this action, the committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Mr. Mansfield after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf. Mr. Mansfield was introduced by Senator Riegle.

CORPORATE TAKEOVERS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities held hearings on proposals to revise corporate takeover procedures, including S. 1658, S. 1794, and S. 1244, receiving testimony from Senators Metzenbaum, Sanford, Shelby, and Specter.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FASTENER STANDARDS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on H.R. 3000, to strengthen current requirements for testing and certifying bolts, screws, and other fasteners used in critical applications such as aerospace, defense equipment, and nuclear power plants, after receiving testimony from Representative Dingell; Raymond G. Kammer, Acting Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce; Bill D. Colvin, Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; James E. Schiele, St. Louis Screw and Bolt Company, St. Louis, Missouri, and Charles Wilson, Cleveland, Ohio, both representing the Industrial Fastener Institute; Steven R. Schonholtz, Gardenbolt International Corporation, Sayreville, New Jersey, representing the American Association of Fastener Importers; John F. Sullivan, Accurate Fasteners Incorporated, South Boston, Massachusetts, representing the National Fastener Distributors Association; and Donald Keil, Caterpillar Incorporated, Peoria, Illinois.

SOCIAL SECURITY MASS MAILINGS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held hearings on the issue of mass mailings that deceive or mislead senior citizens about matters related to Social Security, receiving testimony from Senators Pryor and Heinz; Representative Stark; Kenneth M. Hearst, Assistant Chief Inspector for Criminal Investigations, Postal Inspection Service, U.S. Postal Service; Martha A. McSteen, National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare, Washington, DC; Ralph Galiano, Congressional Majority Committee, Arlington, Virginia; and Dennison Hatch, Stamford, Connecticut.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GLOBAL WARMING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on global warming issues, focusing on related proposals being considered by the Netherlands Environmental Ministerial and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, receiving testimony from William K. Reilly, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; Frederick M. Bernthal, Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs; and Robert W. Corell, Assistant Director of Geosciences, National Science Foundation, on behalf of the Working Group on Global Change Committee on Earth Sciences.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 47 public bills, H.R. 3743–3789; 2 private bills, H.R. 3790–3791; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 444–447, H. Con. Res. 237–238, and H. Res. 296–297 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 1312, to review and extend the programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973 (H. Rept. 101–381);

Report entitled "DOD Automated Information Systems Experience Runaway Costs and Years of Schedule Delays While Providing Little Capability" (H. Rept. 101–382);

Conference report on H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking (H. Rept. 101–383); and

Conference report on H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools (H. Rept. 101–384).

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Foreign Operations Appropriations: By a yeand-nay vote of 194 yeas to 215 nays, Roll No. 373, House failed to agree to H. Res. 295 providing for the consideration of a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.

Page 30222

Foreign Operations Appropriations: By a yeand-nay vote of 310 yeas to 107 nays, Roll No. 374, House passed H.R. 3743, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. Earlier, it was made in order by unanimous consent to consider the bill.

Pages 30232, 30243

Department of Veterans Affairs: House agreed, with amendments, to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 901, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve programs for the recruitment and retention of health-care personnel of the Department of Veterans Affairs, to extend certain expiring programs of that Department—returning the measure to the Senate.

Page 30273

NASA Authorization: House passed H.R. 3729, to authorize to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construc-

tion of facilities, and research and program management.

Page 30306

Renewable Energy Technologies: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 237, correcting the enrollment of S. 488, to provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development, and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies.

Page 30315

Year of Bible Reading: House passed S.J. Res. 164, designating 1990 as the "International Year of Bible Reading".

Page 30315

Agreed to the Sawyer amendment making technical changes.

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Agreed to amend the preamble.

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Deaf Awareness Week: House passed H.J. Res. 140, designating March 7 through March 13, 1989, as "Deaf Awareness Week".

Page 30315

Agreed to the Sawyer amendment that changed the year of designation to 1990.

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Agreed to amend the title.

Page 30316

American Heritage Week: House passed S.J. Res. 218, to designate the week of December 3, 1989, through December 9, 1989, as "National American Heritage Week"—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30316

World AIDS Day: House passed H.J. Res. 430, to designate December 1, 1989, as "World AIDS Day".

Page 30316

ILGWU Health Center: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 72, to recognize the historic significance of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union (ILGWU) Health Center, on the 75th anniversary of the Center, and to commend the ILGWU for establishing and maintaining the Center—clearing the measure.

Page 30317

Peninsula Airport Commission: House agreed, with an amendment, to the Senate amendment to H.R. 838, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to release restrictions on the use of certain property conveyed to the Peninsula Airport Commission for airport purposes—returning the bill to the Senate.

Page 30318

Consumer Cooperative Bank: House passed H.R. 3720, to amend provisions of the National Consumer

Cooperative Bank Act relating to the payment of interest on and the redemption of class A notes issued by the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.

Page 30320

Volunteers In Service To America: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 228, to express the sense of the Congress regarding the 25th anniversary of Volunteers In Service To America.

Page 30340

Late Reports: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries received permission to have until 12:00 p.m., December 15, to file reports on H.R. 2061, to provide for a marketing loan program for the 1991 through 1995 crops of wheat, feed grains, soybeans, and sunflowers; and H.R. 3332, to provide for development of an National Global Change Research Plan to coordinate oceanographic, atmospheric, terrestrial, and polar research programs; to direct the Council on Environment Quality to advise the President on policies relating to global change.

Page 30340

Suspensions: House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Idaho statehood anniversary: H.R. 1553, amended, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint and issue coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the statehood of Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming;

Page 30332

Assistance to Central American victims: H.R. 3696, to provide survival assistance to victims of civil strife in Central America;

Page 30341

Coast Guard authorization: H. Res. 296, to provide for consideration of the Senate amendment to H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990;

Page 30347

Violence in El Salvador: H. Con. Res. 236, deplors the escalating violence in El Salvador; condemns the killings of innocent civilians, including six Jesuit priests; and calls for an immediate cessation of hostilities (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 409 yeas to 3 nays, Roll No. 375); and

Page 30360

ITC-Customs-USTR authorization: S. 1164, amended, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the United States International Trade Commission, and the United States Customs Service.

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Domestic Volunteer Service: House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the conference report on H.R. 1312, to review and extend the programs of the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 30233, 30336

NOAA Authorization: House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1668, to authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30343

Labor-HHS Appropriations: House receded in its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 5 to H.R. 3566, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30373

Labor-HHS Appropriations: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 83, directing the Clerk of the House to make corrections in the enrollment of H.R. 3566, Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations, for fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure.

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Recess: Recessed at 4:43 and reconvened at 9:00 p.m.

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Presidential Message—D.C. Appropriations: Read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-114).

Page 30375

Subsequently, the message and bill were referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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D.C. Appropriations: House passed H.R. 3746, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990. Earlier, it was made in order by unanimous consent to consider the bill.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 30232, 30272, and 30370.

There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 10:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RECENT COUP ATTEMPT IN PANAMA

Committee on Armed Services: Defense Policy Panel met in executive session to hold a hearing to review U.S. action and decision-making for the recent coup attempt in Panama. Testimony was heard from Gen. Maxwell R. Thurman, USA, Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command, Department of Defense.

RECENT NAVY ACCIDENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation and the Subcommittee on Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials held a joint hearing to review recent Navy accidents. Testimony was heard from Adm. Leon A. Edney, USN, Vice Chief of Naval Operations, Department of Defense.

SUBPOENA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations approved the issuance of a subpoena to the National Archives and Records Administration for Agent Orange documents.

NAVY'S ACQUISITION OF ADP EQUIPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security continued hearings on Questionable Practices Concerning the Navy's Acquisition of ADP Equipment. Testimony was heard from H. Lawrence Garrett III, Secretary of the Navy, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Meetings

INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking.

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 31466-31740

Measures Introduced: Fifty-one bills and seventeen resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1950-2000, S. Res. 217-227, S.J. Res. 232-234, and S. Con. Res. 85-87.

Pages 31451-31452

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 875, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 101-220)

S. 1109, to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act to extend the authorities contained in such Act through the fiscal year 1995, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-221)

S. 1963, to amend the Public Health Service Act to facilitate the revitalization of the Commissioned Corps of the Public Health Service. (S. Rept. No. 101-222)

S. 640, to regulate interstate commerce by providing for uniform standards of liability for harm arising out of general aviation accidents. (S. Rept. No. 101-223)

S. 1005, relating to the sale, purchase, or other acquisition of certain railroads, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-224)

S. 1009, to amend section 315 of the Communication Act of 1934 with respect to the purchase of broadcasting time by candidates for public office. (S. Rept. No. 101-225)

S. 1846, to make miscellaneous amendments to Indian laws, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 101-226)

H.R. 2178, to designate lock and dam numbered 4 on the Arkansas River, Arkansas, as the "Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam".

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Measures Passed:

Deploring Violence in El Salvador: By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 312), Senate agreed to S. Res. 217, deploring the escalating violence in El Salvador; condemning the killing of innocent civilians, including six Jesuit priests; and calling for an immediate cessation of hostilities.

Pages 31255-31258

Quarterly Financial Report: Senate passed H.R. 3629, extending the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to conduct the quarterly financial report program under section 91 of title 13, United States

Code, through September 30, 1983, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31265-31266

Kohl (for Glenn) Amendment No. 1196, to provide for a partial deferred payment of lump-sum credit for certain individuals electing alternative forms of annuities under the Federal retirement systems and to increase the limitations on the borrowing authority of the United States Postal Service.

Pages 31265-31266

Walter Grady Post Office: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 481, to designate the building located at 2566 Hylan Boulevard, Staten Island, New York, as the "Walter Edward Grady United States Post Office", and the bill was then passed.

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Biological Weapons Anti-Terrorism Act: Senate passed S. 993, to implement the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and Their Destruction, by prohibiting certain conduct relating to biological weapons, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 31266-31268

Minnesota Family Investment Plan: Senate passed S. 1960, to authorize the food stamp portion of the Minnesota Family Investment Plan.

Pages 31267-31270

Enrollment Correction: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 237, correcting the enrollment of S. 488, to provide Federal Assistance and leadership to a program of research, development and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies.

Pages 31270-31271

Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act: Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of S. 1894, to amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to require borrowers to act in good faith with respect to restructuring loans made or guaranteed under such Act, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31271-31276

Kohl (for Conrad) Amendment No. 1197, in the nature of a substitute.

Page 31271

National Consumer Cooperative Bank Act: Senate passed H.R. 3720, to amend provisions of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank Act relating to the payment of interest on and the redemption of class A notes issued by the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.

Pages 31276-31277

Catastrophic Insurance Reform: Senate, having receded from its amendment, once again passed H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare

Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31290-31304

Mitchell Modified Amendment No. 1198, in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 31295-31304

Federal Water Pollution Control: Senate passed S. 1539, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act so as to include Lake Champlain in the Clean Lakes Demonstration Program.

Pages 31333-31334

Providing Survival Assistance to Central America Victims: Senate passed H.R. 3696, to provide survival assistance to victims of civil strife in Central America.

Page 31334

U.S.-Palau Compact of Free Association: Senate passed H.J. Res. 175, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31334-31338

Mitchell (for Johnston) Amendment No. 1199, to provide that funding in P.L. 101-121 under the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands appropriation account shall remain available until expended.

Page 31336

National Railroad Passenger Corporation Authorizations: Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2364, to amend the Rail Passenger Service Act to authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, and the bill was then passed after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 462, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to the committee amendment, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 31338-31345

(1) Mitchell (for Robb) Amendment No. 1200, to limit the liability of certain operations by Virginia public funded commuter transportation authorities.

Pages 31338-31340

(2) Mitchell (for Adams) Amendment No. 1201, to amend title 49, U.S. Code, with respect to the State tax liability of certain railroad and motor carrier employees.

Pages 31339-31341

(3) Mitchell (for Harkin) Amendment No. 1202, to provide for a routing feasibility study.

Pages 31339-31341

(4) Dole (for Pressler) Amendment No. 1203, to require the Secretary of Transportation to conduct a study to determine the demand among certain railroads for Federal guarantees of obligations.

Pages 31340-31341

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate.

Page 31344

S. 462 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

Page 31344

Anti-Terrorism and Arms Exports Amendments: Senate passed H.R. 91, to prohibit exports of military equipment to countries supporting international terrorism, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto:

Page 31345

(1) Mitchell (for Riegle) Amendment No. 1204, to make clear that the total ban on munitions sales imposed by the bill does not ban the export of non-military items that might be licensed under the Export Administration Act.

Pages 31345-31347

(2) Mitchell (for Garn) Amendment No. 1205, relating to interagency disputes.

Pages 31345-31347

National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week: Senate passed H.J. Res. 429, to designate the week of December 10, 1989, through December 16, 1989, as "National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week".

Page 31349

Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park: Senate passed H.R. 875, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia, after agreeing to committee amendments.

Pages 31350-31351

Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam: Senate passed H.R. 2178, to designate lock and dam numbered 4 on the Arkansas River, Arkansas, as the "Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam".

Page 31352

Protection of Everglades Parklands: Senate passed H.R. 1727, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural resources within the park, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 724, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to committee amendments, and the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 31352-31354

(1) Mitchell (for Graham) Amendment No. 1206, regarding adverse affects on the Park.

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(2) Mitchell (for Graham) Amendment No. 1207, regarding adverse affects on the Park.

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S. 724 was subsequently indefinitely postponed.

Page 31355

Seminole Indian Funds: Senate passed S. 1096, to provide for the use and distribution of funds awarded the Seminole Indian in dockets 73, 151, and 73-A of the Indian Claims Commission, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 31355-31357

NASA Authorizations: Senate passed H.R. 3729, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31357-31358

Mitchell (for Hollings) Amendment No. 1208, in the nature of a substitute.

Page 31358

Commemorative Coins: Senate passed H.R. 1553, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint and issue coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the statehood of Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31358-31360

Mitchell (for Baucus) Amendment No. 1209, to provide for the minting and issuing of palladium coins.

Pages 31358-31360

National Housing Trust: Senate passed H.R. 1, to amend Federal laws to reform housing, community and neighborhood development, and related programs, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31359-31378

Mitchell (for Cranston) Amendment No. 1210, in the nature of a substitute.

Pages 31359-31378

Technical Corrections: Senate agreed to S. Res. 219, to amend Senate Resolution 66, agreed to on February 28, 1989, to make certain technical corrections.

Page 31379

Federal Aviation/Civil Penalties: Senate passed H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31379-31382

Mitchell (for Ford) Amendment No. 1211, to establish a program for the operational evaluation of the collision avoidance system.

Pages 31379-31381

FHA Farm Sales: Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2469, to limit a previous

owner's right of first refusal in the case of fraud or resale for sales of farm property by the Farmers Home Administration and the Farm Credit System, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31396-31397

Mitchell (for Leahy) Amendment No. 1214, in the nature of a substitute.

Page 31396

U.S./U.N. Drug Convention Cooperation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 220, expressing the sense of the Senate that the United States should not be bound under the United Nations Drug Convention to cooperate with any State party with which the United States does not maintain diplomatic relations or with any regime not recognized by the United States.

Pages 31402-31403

Adjournment Resolution: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 239, providing for the sine die adjournment of the first session of the One Hundred and First Congress.

Pages 31712, 31739

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed H.J. Res. 448, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.

Pages 31433-31434

Tied Aid Credit: Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2494, to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank tied aid credit fund and pilot interest subsidy program, to provide for the participation of the United States in a replenishment of the Inter-American Development Bank and in the Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility of the International Monetary Fund, to improve the safety and soundness of the United States banking system and encourage the reduction of the debt burdens of the highly indebted countries, to encourage the multilateral development banks to engage in environmentally sustainable lending practices and give greater priority to poverty alleviation, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31434-31442

Mitchell (for Pell) Amendment No. 1216, to make certain changes regarding export-import programs to the People's Republic of China, certification of access to bank records requirements, and impact of debt reduction policy in indebted countries.

Pages 31434-31442

Distribution of USIA Film: Senate passed H.R. 3294, to authorize the distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland."

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Medicaid Long Term Care/Waiver: Senate passed S. 998, Medicaid Long Term Care Demonstration Project Waiver Act of 1989.

Pages 31442-31443

Higher Education Act/Administrative Procedures: Senate passed S. 999, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to clarify the administrative procedures of the National Commission on Responsibilities for Financing Postsecondary Education.

Pages 31443-31444

Financial Assistance for Employee Housing: Committee on Labor and Human Resources was discharged from further consideration of S. 949, to amend the Labor Management Relations Act of 1947 to permit parties engaged in collective bargaining to bargain over the establishment and administration of trust funds to provide financial assistance for employee housing, and the bill was then passed after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31444-31445

Mitchell (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 1217, in the nature of a substitute.

Page 31444

Tendering Thanks to the Vice President: Senate agreed to S. Res. 221, tendering the thanks of the Senate to the Vice President for the courteous, dignified, and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the Senate.

Pages 31600, 31716

Tendering Thanks to the President pro tempore: Senate agreed to S. Res. 222, tendering the thanks of the Senate to the President pro tempore for the courteous, dignified, and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the Senate.

Pages 31600, 31715-31716

Commending the Minority Leader: Senate agreed to S. Res. 223, to commend the exemplary leadership of the Minority Leader.

Pages 31600, 31716

Commending the Majority Leader: Senate agreed to S. Res. 224, to commend the exemplary leadership of the Majority Leader.

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Tendering Thanks to the Senate Staff: Senate agreed to S. Res. 225, tendering the thanks of the Senate to the Senate Staff for the courteous, dignified, and impartial manner in which they have assisted the deliberations of the Senate.

Pages 31600, 31716

Authority to Make Appointments: Senate agreed to S. Res. 226, to authorize the President of the Senate, the President pro tempore, and the Majority and Minority Leaders to make certain appointments after the sine die adjournment of the present session.

Pages 31600, 31716

Committee to Notify the President: Senate agreed to S. Res. 227 to appoint a committee to notify the President concerning the proposed adjournment of the session.

Pages 31600, 31716-31717

Subsequently, the Chair appointed the Majority and Minority Leaders.

Steel Trade Liberalization Program Implementation Act: Senate passed H.R. 3275, to implement the steel trade liberalization program, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Pages 31717-31722

Bentsen Amendment No. 1218, to provide for duty-free importation of certain types of ethanol from beneficiary countries of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act.

Page 31718

Enrollment Corrections: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 241, to correct technical corrections in the enrollment of H.R. 3607, Catastrophic Insurance Reform.

Pages 31723-31724

Convening of the 2nd Session of the 101st Congress: Senate passed H.J. Res. 449, to provide for the convening of the second session of the 101st Congress, on Tuesday, January 23, 1990, at 12 o'clock meridian.

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Coast Guard Authorizations: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990, with a Kohl Amendment No. 1195, relating to stevedore rights.

Pages 31259-31264

James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 1877, to improve the operational efficiency of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Pages 31332-31333

U.S. Trade Representative, ITC, and Customs Service Authorizations: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 1164, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the United States International Trade Commission, and the United States Customs Service.

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Oil Pollution Limitations—Conferees: The Chair, pursuant to the order of Sunday, November 19, appointed conferees on the part of the Senate on H.R. 1465, to establish limitations on liability and damages resulting from oil pollution, and to establish a fund for the payment of compensation for such damages, as follows: from the Committee on Environment and Public Works—Senators Burdick, Moynihan, Mitchell, Baucus, Lautenberg, Breaux, Chafee, Durenberger, Warner, Jeffords, and Humphrey; and from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and

Transportation—Senators Hollings, Inouye, Kerry, Breaux, Danforth, Packwood, and Stevens.

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International Narcotics Control—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking.

Pages 31347-31348

Catastrophic Insurance Reform: Senate receded from its amendment to H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

Pages 31398-31401

National Alzheimer's Disease Month: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S.J. Res. 16, designating the month of November 1989 as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month".

Pages 31349-31350

Technical Corrections in Agriculture Programs: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 1793, to make technical and correcting changes in agriculture programs, with the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages 31391-31395

(1) Mitchell (for Leahy) Amendment No. 1212, to make a technical change in section 4 and section 7.

Pages 31394-31395

(2) Mitchell (for Conrad) Amendment No. 1213, relating to repayment of advance deficiency payments.

Pages 31394-31395

Drug Abuse Education—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools.

Pages 31389-31391

Budget Reconciliation—Conference Report: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990.

Pages 31403-31431

Federal Aviation/Civil Penalties: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program.

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Measures Indefinitely Postponed:

Documentation for Karlissa: S. 1382, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employ-

ment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel the *Karlissa*.

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Documentation for Lazy Jack: S. 1576, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Lazy Jack*.

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Documentation for Da Warrior: S. 1615, to authorize a certificate of documentation for the vessel *Da Warrior*.

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Documentation for Crili: S. 1616, to permit issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the vessel *Crili*.

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Documentation for PC-1501: S. 1665, to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States for the submersible vessel *PC-1501*.

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Authority for Committees: All committees were authorized to file reports and Executive Calendar business on Wednesday, December 20, 1989, and Wednesday, January 10, 1990, from 12 noon to 3 p.m., during the adjournment of the Senate, with the exception of the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

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Treaties Approved: The following treaties having passed through their various parliamentary stages up to and including presentation of resolutions of ratification, upon a division vote, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative, the resolutions of ratification were agreed to:

Treaty Doc. No. 101-4, United Nations Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, with understandings.

Pages 31383-31388

Treaty Doc. No. 100-19, Protocol for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Violence at Airports serving International Civil Aviation.

Pages 31383, 31389

Treaty Doc. No. 101-1, Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation, with related Protocol.

Pages 31383, 31389

Nominations Pending: By unanimous consent, all nominations received by the Senate will remain in status quo, notwithstanding the provisions of Rule 31, paragraph 4.

Pages 31445-31447

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Jerry M. Hunter, of Missouri, to be General Counsel of the National Labor Relations Board for a term of four years.

Vaughn R. Walker, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

G. Thomas Van Bebber, of Kansas, to be United States District Judge for the District of Kansas.

Adis Maria Vila, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Dennis M. Devaney, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 16, 1989.

John M. Walker, Jr., of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit.

Gordon H. Mansfield, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Jean Paul Bradshaw, of Missouri, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri for the term of four years.

Joyce J. George, of Ohio, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Ohio for the term of four years.

Philip Lawrence Christenson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Edward W. Nottingham, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado.

Arthur D. Spatt, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York.

Timothy D. Leonard, of Oklahoma, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma for the term of four years.

Edward J. Lodge, of Idaho, to be United States District Judge for the District of Idaho.

Gene W. Shepard, of Iowa, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of Iowa for the term of four years.

Susan J. Crawford, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense.

Jerome G. Cooper, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Pages 31325, 31740

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Tony E. Gallegos, of California, to be a Member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for the term expiring July 1, 1994.

Arthur J. Hill, of Florida, to be President, Government National Mortgage Association.

Donald G. Wiseman, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for the remainder of the term expiring April 27, 1993.

William James Haynes, II, of North Carolina, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Army.

Stephen Kay Conver, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Linda Lugenia Arey, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, which was sent to the Senate on January 3, 1989.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Amendments Submitted:

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Notices of Hearings:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total-312)

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Adjournment Sine Die: Senate met at 12 noon, and, in accordance with H. Con. Res. 239, adjourned *sine die* at 4:06 a.m., on Wednesday, November 22, 1989.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: On Monday, November 20, committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Susan J. Crawford, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Defense, and Jerome G. Cooper, of Alabama, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, and two routine nominations in the Navy.

HANDGUN WAITING PERIOD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held hearings on S. 1236, to provide for a waiting period before the sale, delivery, or transfer of a handgun, receiving testimony from Representative Feighan; Edward S.G. Dennis Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; James Brady, Press Secretary to former President Reagan, Sarah Brady, Handgun Control, and James Baker, National Rifle Association, all of Washington, D. C.; John M. Deineen, Fraternal Order of Police (Lodge 7), Chicago, Illinois; Chief Ralph Porter, Florence Police Department, Florence, South Carolina; Lawrence D. Pratt, Gun

Owners of America, Springfield, Virginia; and Steve Halbrook, Fairfax, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 52 public bills, H.R. 3792-3843; 3 private bills, H.R. 3844-3846; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 448-454, H. Con. Res. 239-241, and H. Res. 298-301 were introduced.

Pages 31242-31245

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1677, to require the Federal Communications Commission to reinstate restrictions on advertising during children's television, and to enforce the obligation of broadcasters to meet the educational and informational needs of the child audience (H. Rept. 101-385);

Conference report on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1990 (H. Rept. 101-386);

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Report entitled: "Quicker and Sicker: Substandard Treatment of Medicare Patients" (H. Rept. 101-387, filed on November 30, 1989);

H.R. 2015, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 and the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, amended (H. Rept. 101-388, filed December 1, 1989);

Report entitled "Infertility in America: Why is the Federal Government Ignoring a Major Health Problem?" (H. Rept. 101-389, filed December 1, 1989);

H.R. 3386, to prohibit the use of refrigerated motor vehicles for the transportation of solid waste, to prohibit the use of cargo tanks in providing motor vehicle transportation of food and hazardous materials, amended (H. Rept. 101-390, filed December 1, 1989);

Report entitled "The Challenge of Cultural Diversity and Cultural Equity at the Smithsonian Institution" (H. Rept. 101-391, filed December 6, 1989);

Report entitled "The Federal Role in Determining the Medical and Psychological Impact of Abortion on Women" (H. Rept. 101-392, filed December 11, 1989);

H.R. 2061, to authorize appropriations to carry out the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act through fiscal year 1992, amended (H. Rept. 101-393, filed December 15, 1989); and

H.R. 3332, to provide for development of a National Global Change Research Plan to coordinate

oceanographic, atmospheric, terrestrial, and polar research programs; to direct the Council on Environmental Quality to advise the President on policies relating to global change, amended (H. Rept. 101-394, filed December 15, 1989).

Private Calendar: On the call of the Private Calendar, the House passed over without prejudice, H.R. 3133.

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Recess: House recessed at 9:16 a.m. and reconvened at 12:05 p.m.

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Catastrophic Health Coverage: By a yea-and-nay vote of 352 yeas to 63 nays, Roll No. 376, the House further insisted on its disagreement to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988—returning the measure to the Senate.

Page 30720

International Narcotics Control: House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the conference report on H.R. 3611, to combat international narcotics production and trafficking—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Drug Abuse Education: House voted to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3614, to amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Page 30734

Nevada Wilderness: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendments to S. 974, to designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30736

Food Security Act Clarification: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3620, to clarify the Food Security Act of 1985—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30737

Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness: House passed H.J. Res. 429, to designate the week of December 10, 1989, through December 16, 1989, as "National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week".

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Recess: House recessed at 2:12 p.m. and reconvened at 8:31 p.m.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 299, electing Representative Campbell of California to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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State Department Authorization: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3792, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State.

Page 30759

Minnesota Family Investment Plan: House passed S. 1960, to authorize the food stamp portion of the Minnesota Family Investment Plan—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30784

Quarterly Financial Report: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3629, extending the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to conduct the quarterly financial report program under section 91 of title 13, United States Code, through September 30, 1993—clearing the measure for the President.

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Supplemental Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 354 yeas to 46 nays, Roll No. 377, the House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.J. Res. 448, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 30789, 30807

Immigration Law Relief for Nurses: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3259, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admissions, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30790

Coast Guard Authorization: House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2459, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure for the President.

Page 30792

James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation: House passed S. 1877, to improve efficiency of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

Page 30803

Agreed to the Williams amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Fight Back Against Drugs: House passed and cleared for the President, S.J. Res. 205, designating December 3 through December 9, 1989, as "National Cities Fight Back Against Drugs Week".

Page 30805

Catastrophic Health Coverage: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3607, to repeal the medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988—returning the measure to the Senate.

Pages 30809, 31096, 31192

Earlier, the House failed to agree to the Senate amendment by a yea-and-nay vote of 55 yeas to 346 nays, Roll No. 378.

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Canada—U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Speaker appointed as members of the United States delegation to attend the meeting of the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives Gejdenson, Chairman, Fascell, Vice Chairman, Hamilton, Gibbons, Oberstar, Feighan, Slaughter of New York, Broomfield, Horton, Miller of Washington, Walsh, and Upton.

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Thanks to Speaker Foley: House agreed to H. Res. 300, presenting the thanks of the House to Speaker Thomas S. Foley.

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Budget Reconciliation: By a recorded vote of 272 ayes to 128 noes, Roll No. 379, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1990—clearing the measure for Senate action.

Pages 30823, 31097

Presidential Veto Message—Foreign Operations: Read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 1487, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 and 1991 for the Department of State and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-115).

Page 31128

Subsequently, the message and the bill were referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Page 31128

Presidential Veto Message—Eastern Airlines Dispute: Read a message from the President wherein he announces his veto of H.R. 1231, to establish a commission to investigate and report respecting the dispute between Eastern Airlines and its collective bargaining units, and explains his reasons therefor—ordered printed (H. Doc. 101-116).

Page 31128

Subsequently, the message and the bill were referred to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

Page 31129

Recess: House recessed at 12:40 a.m., Wednesday, November 22, and reconvened at 2:25 a.m.

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Military Export Financing: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 91, to prohibit exports of military equipment to countries supporting international terrorism—clearing the measure for the President.

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Palau Compact: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 175, to authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau—clearing the measure for the President.

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Committee to Notify the President: House agreed to H. Res. 301, providing for the Committee to notify the President of completion of business. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representatives Gephardt and Michel as members of the Committee on the part of the House.

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Adjournment Resolution: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 239, providing for the sine die adjournment for the first session of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Convening of the Second Session: House passed H.J. Res. 449, providing for the convening of the second session of the One Hundred First Congress.

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Resignations—Appointments: Notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of the first session of the One Hundred First Congress, the Speaker was authorized to accept resignations, and to appoint commissions, boards, and committees authorized by law or by the Congress.

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Extensions of Remarks: It was made in order that Members shall have the privilege, until the last edition is published, to extend and revise their own remarks in the Congressional Record on more than one subject and include therein such short quotations as may be necessary to explain or complete such extensions.

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Extensions by Chairman and Ranking Minority Members: It was made in order that the Chairman and ranking minority members of each standing committee and subcommittee thereof be permitted to extend their remarks in the Record, up to and including the last publication thereof, and to include therewith a summary of the work of that committee or subcommittee.

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Everglades National Park Protection: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1727, to modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park to provide for the protection of lands, waters,

and national resources within the park—clearing the measure for the President.

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Fredericksburg—Spotsylvania Battlefields: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 875, to expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg—Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia—clearing the measure for the President.

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Housing Community and Neighborhood Development Amendments: House agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 1, to establish a National Housing Trust to assist first-time homebuyers—clearing the measure for the President.

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Catastrophic Health Coverage: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 241, to correct technical errors in the enrollment of H.R. 3607, to repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.

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Federal Aviation Act: House agreed to the Senate amendment, with amendment, to H.R. 3671, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Agriculture Programs Technical Corrections: House agreed to the Senate amendment to S. 1793, to make technical corrections and correcting changes in agriculture programs—clearing the measure for the President.

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International Development and Finance: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2494, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriations of not to exceed \$100,000 to the Tied Aid Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year—clearing the measure for the President.

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Recess: House recessed at 3:40 a.m. and reconvened at 4:27 a.m.

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Steel Trade Liberalization: House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3275, to implement the steel trade liberalization program—clearing the measure for the President.

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Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today

and appear on pages 30729, 30807, 30823, and 31127. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned sine die at 4:31 a.m., Wednesday, November 22.

Committee Meetings

TIMBER SALE ECONOMICS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests, Family Farms and Energy held a hearing to review timber sale economics and the timber sale information reporting system. Testimony was heard from George M. Leonard, Associate Chief, Forest Service, USDA; Brian P. Crowley, Director, Planning and Reporting, Accounting and Financial Management Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

LINCOLN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Continued hearings on issues related to the supervision and eventual closing of Lincoln Savings and Loan Association of California. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury: M. Danny Wall, Director; Rosemary Stewart, Acting Director, Office of Enforcement; and Darrel Dochow, Senior Deputy Director, Supervisory Operations.

In failing to respond to Committee questions, Charles Keating, Chairman, American Continental Corporation invoked constitutional privileges.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN EAST GERMANY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East held a hearing on Recent Developments in East Germany. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DOD MEMORANDA OF UNDERSTANDING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held a hearing on the Operations of the Department of Defense Memoranda of Understanding and related issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Derrick Vander Schaaf, Acting Inspector General; and Alfred Volkman, Director, Foreign Contracting.

CAMP W.G. WILLIAMS LAND EXCHANGE ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hear-

ing on H.R. 988, Camp W.G. Williams Land Exchange Act of 1989. Testimony was heard from Representative Nielson of Utah; Billy R. Templeton, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; Mike Bain, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; and Maj. Robert K. Nelson, Utah National Guard.

Joint Meeting

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990.

House Community and Neighborhood Development Subcommittee held a hearing on the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990.

House Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 3299, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of H. Con. Res. 106, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal year 1990.

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Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through November 22, 1989

	Senate	House	Total
Days in session	136	147	..
Time in session	1,003 hrs., 19	748 hrs., 54	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	16,944	9,715	26,659
Extension of Remarks .....	..	..	4,124
Public bills enacted into law	67	93	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	..	5	..
Measures passed, total	605	598	1,203
Senate bills	121	26	..
House bills	128	246	..
Senate joint resolutions	106	64	..
House joint resolutions	50	55	..
Senate concurrent resolutions ..	39	28	..
House concurrent resolutions ..	22	32	..
Simple resolutions	139	147	..
Measures reported, total	*	*333	..
Senate bills .....	..	4	..
House bills .....	..	247	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	1	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	5	..
Senate concurrent resolutions ..	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions ..	..	1	..
Simple resolutions .....	..	75	..
Special reports	21	22	..
Conference reports .....	..	31	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	..	35	..
Measures introduced, total	2,548	4,842	7,390
Bills	2,000	3,846	..
Joint resolutions	234	454	..
Concurrent resolutions	87	241	..
Simple resolutions	227	301	..
Quorum calls	11	11	..
Yea-and-nay votes	312	226	..
Recorded votes .....	..	142	..
Bills vetoed	1	8	..
Veto overrides .....	..	..	..

* These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 235 reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 394 have been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

(January 3, 1989, through November 22, 1989)

Civilian nominations, totalling 586, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	422
Unconfirmed	79
Withdrawn	34
Rejected	1
Failed at Aug.-Sept. adjournment	3
Failed at sine die adjournment	47
Civilian nominations (lists), totalling 2,978, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,977
Failed at sine die adjournment	1
Air Force nominations, totalling 11,421, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	11,394
Unconfirmed	27
Army nominations, totalling 17,754, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	15,312
Unconfirmed	2,441
Failed at sine die adjournment	1
Navy nominations, totalling 12,908, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	12,704
Unconfirmed	204
Marine Corps nominations, totalling 2,787, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,776
Unconfirmed	11

SUMMARY

Total nominations received this session	48,434
Total confirmed	45,585
Total unconfirmed	2,762
Total withdrawn	34
Total rejected	1
Total failed of confirmation at Aug.-Sept. adjournment	3
Total failed of confirmation at sine die adjournment	49

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Disapproving the increases in executive, legislative, and judicial salaries recommended by the President under section 225 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967.	H.J. Res. 129 (S.J. Res. 7)	Feb. 7							1708	1751	Feb. 7	Feb. 7	Feb. 7	1
To designate the week beginning March 6, 1989, as "Federal Employees Recognition Week".	H.J. Res. 22	Jan. 3	POCS	Jud					3087	3347	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Mar. 15	2
To designate March 25, 1989, as "Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy".	S.J. Res. 64	Feb. 22	POCS	Jud					4082	3346	Mar. 14	Mar. 2	Mar. 21	3
To proclaim March 20, 1989, as "National Agriculture Day".	H.J. Res. 117	Feb. 2	POCS						4085	4694	Mar. 14	Mar. 16	Mar. 23	4
To designate March 16, 1989, as "Freedom of Information Day".	H.J. Res. 167	Mar. 1	POCS	Jud					4086	4691	Mar. 14	Mar. 16	Mar. 23	5
Designating March 1989 as "Women's History Month".	H.J. Res. 148	Feb. 22	POCS						3564	4437	Mar. 7	Mar. 15	Mar. 24	6
To provide more balance in the stocks of dairy products purchased by the Commodity Credit Corporation.	S. 553	Mar. 9	Ag						4186	3991	Mar. 15	Mar. 9	Mar. 29	7
To commend the Governments of Israel and Egypt on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the Treaty of Peace between Israel and Egypt.	S.J. Res. 87 (H.J. Res. 187)	Mar. 16							5258	4694	Mar. 23	Mar. 16	Mar. 29	8
To authorize the Agency for International Development to pay the expenses of an election observer mission for the 1989 presidential elections in Panama.	H.R. 1373	Mar. 13	FA						4075	4962	Mar. 14	Mar. 17	Mar. 31	9
To designate the week beginning April 2, 1989, as "National Child Care Awareness Week".	S.J. Res. 50	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23			5258	2951	Mar. 23	Feb. 28	Mar. 31	10
To make permanent the authority provided under the Temporary Emergency Wildfire Suppression Act.	H.R. 829	Feb. 2	Ag FA IIA		Mar. 14		5		4067	4962	Mar. 14	Mar. 17	Apr. 7	11
To strengthen the protections available to Federal employees against prohibited personnel practices.	S. 20	Jan. 25							5026	4535	Mar. 21	Mar. 16	Apr. 10	12
Designating April 9, 1989, as "National Former Prisoners of War Recognition Day".	S.J. Res. 43	Jan. 31	POCS	Jud					5499	3804	Apr. 5	Mar. 8	Apr. 13	13
To implement the Bipartisan Accord on Central America of March 24, 1989.	H.R. 1750 (S. 760)	Apr. 10	App FA		Apr. 12 Apr. 11		23		6376	6563	Apr. 13	Apr. 13	Apr. 18	14
To designate April 16, 1989, as "Education Day, U.S.A.".	H.J. Res. 173	Mar. 7	POCS						5501	5845	Apr. 5	Apr. 7	Apr. 18	15
Designating April 1989 as "National Recycling Month".	H.J. Res. 102 (S.J. Res. 61)	Jan. 27	POCS	Jud					5259	5778	Mar. 23	Apr. 6	Apr. 19	16
To allow an obsolete Navy drydock to be transferred to the city of Jacksonville, Florida, before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day Congressional review period.	H.R. 666	Jan. 27	AS						5040	5622	Mar. 21	Apr. 5	Apr. 20	17
Designating April 23-30, 1989, as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week".	H.J. Res. 112 (S.J. Res. 56)	Jan. 31	POCS						5500	5845	Apr. 5	Apr. 7	Apr. 20	18
Designating May 1989 as "Older Americans Month".	S.J. Res. 45	Jan. 31	POCS	Jud					6795	2951	Apr. 17	Feb. 28	May 1	19

Inviting the houses of worship of this Nation to celebrate the bicentennial of the inauguration of George Washington, the first President of the United States, by ringing bells at 12 noon on Sunday, April 30, 1989.	S.J. Res.	92	Apr. 4	POCS							7412	5622	Apr. 25	Apr. 5	May 1	20
Designating the period of May 1-7, 1989, as "National Drinking Water Week".	S.J. Res.	60	Feb. 9	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23				7413	2952	Apr. 25	Feb. 28	May 2	21
Designating April 30, 1989, as "National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution Centennial Day".	S.J. Res.	84	Mar. 16	POCS	Jud						7414	7376	Apr. 25	Apr. 19	May 2	22
To express gratitude for law enforcement personnel.	S.J. Res.	52	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23				7413	2952	Apr. 25	Feb. 28	May 2	23
To recognize the 75th anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act of May 8, 1914, and its role in establishing our Nation's system of State Cooperative Extension Services.	H.J. Res.	124	Feb. 2	Agr	Jud	Mar. 14		4			4062	7377	Mar. 14	Apr. 19	May 3	24
Designating the week of May 7-14, 1989, as "Jewish Heritage Week".	S.J. Res.	25	Jan. 25	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23				7412	2949	Apr. 25	Feb. 28	May 5	25
To make a correction in the Education and Training for a Competitive America Act of 1988.	H.R.	678	Jan. 27	EdL		Feb. 28		2			3563	7364	Mar. 7	Apr. 19	May 11	26
Designating May 1989 as "National Stroke Awareness Month".	S.J. Res.	62	Feb. 22	POCS	Jud						7741	5624	May 2	Apr. 5	May 11	27
To delay the effective date of section 27 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act.	S.	968	May 11								9122	9104	May 15	May 12	May 15	28
Designating the week beginning May 14, 1989, as "National Osteoporosis Prevention Week of 1989".	S.J. Res.	37	Jan. 31	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23				8686	2950	May 9	Feb. 28	May 17	29
To make permanent the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission.	H.R. (S. 431)	1385	Mar. 14	POCS		Apr. 13		26			6780	7769	Apr. 17	May 2	May 17	30
To designate the week beginning May 7, 1989, as "National Correctional Officers Week".	H.J. Res.	135	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud						7742	8596	May 2	May 9	May 22	31
To designate May 17, 1989, as "High School Reserve Officer Training Corps Recognition Day".	S.J. Res.	58	Feb. 8	POCS	Jud		Feb. 23				9356	2952	May 16	Feb. 28	May 22	32
To designate the month of May 1989, as "Trauma Awareness Month".	S.J. Res.	68	Feb. 28	POCS	Jud						8687	4694	May 9	Mar. 16	May 23	33
Designating May 1989 as "National Digestive Disease Awareness Month".	H.J. Res.	170	Mar. 1	POCS	Jud						8684	9319	May 9	May 16	May 25	34
Designating May 29, 1989, as the "National Day of Remembrance for the Victims of the USS IOWA".	H.J. Res.	247	Apr. 25	POCS							8686	9007	May 9	May 11	May 25	35
Authorizing a first strike ceremony at the United States Capitol for the Bicentennial of the Congress Commemorative Coin.	S.J. Res.	128	May 10								10020	8805	May 23	May 10	June 9	36
To make technical corrections to the Business Opportunity Development Reform Act of 1988.	S. (H.R. 1764)	767	Apr. 12	SB SB	SB	Apr. 12	June 1	74			10817	7371	June 6	Apr. 19	June 15	37
To designate the week beginning June 11, 1989, as "National Scleroderma Awareness Week".	H.J. Res.	274	May 18	POCS							11581	11699	June 13	June 14	June 19	38
To designate June 14, 1989, as "Baltic Freedom Day".	S.J. Res.	63	Feb. 22	POCS FA	Jud		Feb. 23				11580	2953	June 13	Feb. 28	June 19	39
To correct an error in Private Law 100-29 (relating to certain lands in Lamar County, Alabama).	H.R.	964	Feb. 9	IIA	ENR	Apr. 10	May 25	20	35		5927	10783	Apr. 11	June 2	June 20	40
To provide for the settlement of land claims of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians in the State of Washington.	H.R.	932	Feb. 9	IIA		May 18		57			10021	10312	May 23	May 31	June 21	41
To provide for restoration of the Federal Coquille Tribe of Indians and the individual members consisting of the Coquille Tribe of Indians.	H.R.	881	Feb. 7	IIA	IA	May 23		61			10032	11698	May 23	June 14	June 28	42
Designating June 23, 1989, as "United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Day".	H.J. Res.	111	Jan. 31	POCS							12930	13032	June 22	June 22	June 28	43

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To authorize the transfer to the Republic of the Philippines of two excess naval vessels.	H.R. 2344	May 16	FA	AS					10034	11951	May 23	June 15	June 30	44
Making supplementary appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989.	H.R. 2402	May 18							9638	9799	May 18	May 18	June 30	45
To amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to extend the authority for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.	S. 694	Apr. 4		ENR		May 25		33	12426	10314	June 20	May 31	June 30	46
To authorize the President to appoint Admiral James B. Busey to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.	S. 1077 (H.R. 2444)	May 18		CST		June 20		56	12928	12729	June 22	June 21	June 30	47
To authorize the President to appoint Rear Admiral Richard Harrison Truly to the Office of Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.	S. 1180	June 14		Com		June 20		57	12927	12730	June 22	June 21	June 30	48
To allow the obsolete destroyer U.S.S. Edson (DD 946) to be transferred to the Intrepid Sea-Air Museum in New York before the expiration of the otherwise applicable 60-day congressional review period.	S. 1184	June 14	AS						13666	11698	June 28	June 14	June 30	49
Designating July 2, 1989, as "National Literacy Day".	S.J. Res. 96	Apr. 5	Jud	POCS		June 8			13944	11439	June 29	June 9	June 30	50
To redesignate the Federal hydropower generating facilities located at Dam B on the Neches River at Town Bluff, Texas, as the "Robert Douglas Willis Hydropower Project".	H.R. 923	Feb. 7	PWT	EPW					8903	13481	May 11	June 23	July 6	51
To designate the second Sunday in October of 1989 as "National Children's Day".	H.J. Res. 132 (S.J. Res. 15)	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud		June 22			8685	13028	May 9	June 22	July 6	52
Authorizing the exchange of certain Federal public land in Madison County, Illinois.	H.R. 2119	Apr. 26	PWT	EPW					8902	13481	May 11	June 23	July 6	53
Designating September 14, 1989, as "National D.A.R.E. Day".	H.J. Res. 276 (S.J. Res. 121)	May 18	POCS	Jud		June 22			10840	13029	June 6	June 22	July 7	54
Designating July 14, 1989, as "National Day to Commemorate the Bastille Day Bicentennial".	H.J. Res. 298	June 19	POCS						12446	13030	June 20	June 22	July 7	55
To amend the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988 to delay the effective date of the Act for existing agency matching programs.	H.R. 2848	July 10	GO						14062	14616	July 11	July 13	July 19	56
Designating the week of September 10-16, 1989, as "National Check-Up Week".	S.J. Res. 95	Apr. 4	POCS	Jud		June 8			13942	11439	June 29	June 9	July 21	57
Designating the decade beginning January 1, 1990, as the "Decade of the Brain".	H.J. Res. 174 (S.J. Res. 173)	Mar. 8	POCS	Jud					13945	14617	June 29	July 13	July 25	58
Designating January 7-13, 1990, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week".	S.J. Res. 137	May 18	POCS	Jud		June 8			13949	11443	June 29	June 9	July 25	59
To amend the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 to eliminate the wellhead price controls on the first sale of natural gas, and to make technical and conforming amendments to such Act.	H.R. 1722 (S. 783)	Apr. 6	EC	ENR ENR	Apr. 17	May 31 May 31	29	39 38	6787	11638	Apr. 17	June 14	July 26	60
To designate the week of July 24-30, 1989, as the "National Week of Recognition and Remembrance for Those Who Served in the Korean War".	S.J. Res. 85	Mar. 16	POCS	Jud		June 8			15755	11439	July 21	June 9	July 26	61

To ratify certain agreements relating to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations. Designating October 5, 1989, as "Raoul Wallenberg Day".	H.R.	2214	May 3	FA	.....	June 27	.....	111	.....	13584	14618	June 27	July 13	July 26	62
Designating October 1989 as "Polish American Heritage Month".	S.J. Res.	110	Apr. 19	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	14890	11440	July 17	June 9	July 27	63
Designating September 15, 1989, as "National POW/MIA Recognition Day".	S.J. Res.	93	Apr. 4	POCS	Jud	.....	June 22	.....	.....	14895	13029	July 17	June 22	July 27	64
Designating the week beginning July 23, 1989, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week".	S.J. Res.	129	May 10	POCS	Jud	.....	.....	.....	.....	14887	14617	July 17	July 13	July 28	65
To provide for the sale of certain Federal lands to Clark County, Nevada, for national defense.	S.J. Res.	142	May 31	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	15757	11444	July 21	June 9	July 31	66
To remove a restriction from a parcel of land in Roanoke, Virginia, in order for that land to be conveyed to the State of Virginia for use as a veterans nursing home.	H.R.	1485	Mar. 16	IIA MMF	ENR	June 8	July 6	79	65	12428	14771	June 20	July 14	July 31	67
To designate August 1, 1989, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day".	H.R.	310	Jan. 3	IIA	ENR	Apr. 10	July 6	18	64	5923	14770	Apr. 11	July 14	Aug. 1	68
To amend the Act of October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 915), as amended, establishing a program for the preservation of additional historic property throughout the Nation.	S.J. Res.	150	June 7	POCS FA IIA	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	16973	11445	July 31	June 9	Aug. 2	69
To provide for the Federal reimbursement of local noise abatement funds.	H.R.	999	Feb. 9	IIA	ENR	Apr. 10	May 25	21	36	5928	10783	Apr. 11	June 2	Aug. 3	70
To increase the statutory limit on the public debt.	H.R.	968	Feb. 9	PWT	CST	May 16	July 11	51	72	9331	15957	May 16	July 24	Aug. 4	71
To reform, recapitalize, and consolidate the Federal deposit insurance system, and to enhance the regulatory and enforcement powers of Federal financial institutions regulatory agencies.	H.R.	3024	July 27	WM	.....	July 27	.....	188	.....	17167	18874	Aug. 1	Aug. 4	Aug. 9	72
To approve the designation of the Cordell Bank National Sanctuary, to disapprove a term of that designation, and to prohibit the exploration for, or development or production of, oil, gas, or minerals in any area of that Sanctuary.	H.R.	1278	Mar. 6	BFUA WM GO Jud R	BHUA	May 16	Apr. 13	54	19	11957	18841	June 15	Aug. 4	Aug. 9	73
Designating August 8, 1989, as "National Neighborhood Crime Watch Day".	H.J. Res.	281	May 23	MMF IIA	.....	June 23	.....	110	.....	13554	15957	June 27	July 24	Aug. 9	74
Relating to the method by which Government contributions to the Federal employees health benefits program shall be computed for 1990 and 1991 if not Government-wide indemnity benefit plan participates in that year.	S.J. Res.	136	May 17	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	19118	11443	Aug. 4	June 9	Aug. 10	75
To designate 1989 as "United States Customs Service 200th Anniversary Year".	H.R.	2705	June 21	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13551	16952	June 27	July 31	Aug. 11	76
To designate the month of November 1989 and 1990 as "National Hospice Month".	H.J. Res.	363	July 13	POCS WM	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15147	16749	July 19	July 27	Aug. 11	77
Commemorating the bicentennial of the United States Coast Guard.	S.J. Res.	78	Mar. 15	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	19123	11438	Aug. 4	June 9	Aug. 11	78
Designating Labor Day Weekend, September 2-4, 1989, as "National Drive for Life Weekend".	S.J. Res.	126	May 10	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	18644	11442	Aug. 3	June 9	Aug. 11	79
To amend the Agricultural Act of 1949 to allow the planting of alternate crops on permitted acreage for the 1990 crop year.	S.J. Res.	127	May 10	POCS	Jud	.....	June 22	.....	.....	19123	13029	Aug. 4	June 22	Aug. 11	80
The 1988 Disaster Assistance Extension Act.....	H.R.	2799	June 29	Agr	.....	July 17	.....	147	.....	14883	18034	July 17	Aug. 2	Aug. 14	81
To designate the week beginning September 1, 1989, as "World War II Remembrance Week".	H.R.	2467	May 24	Agr	ANF ANF	June 17	July 27	91	93	13526	18052	June 27	Aug. 2	Aug. 14	82
To designate the week of October 1-7, 1989, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week".	H.J. Res.	221	Mar. 23	POCS	Jud	14894	18034	July 17	Aug. 2	Aug. 14	83
	S.J. Res.	55	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud	June 9	19121	11437	Aug. 4	June 9	Aug. 14	84

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To commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Wilderness Act of 1964 which established the National Wilderness Preservation System.	S.J. Res. 67	Feb. 28	POCS	Jud	June 8	19122	11437	Aug. 4	June 9	Aug. 14	85
To provide that a Federal annuitant or former member of a uniformed service who returns to Government service, under a temporary appointment, to assist in carrying out the 1990 decennial census of population shall be exempt from certain provisions of title 5, United States Code, relating to offsets from pay and other benefits.	H.R. 1860	Apr. 12	POCS	.....	July 13	.....	142	.....	14841	19063	July 17	Aug. 4	Aug. 16	86
To extend by 1 year a program under which the Government is allowed to accept the voluntary services of private-sector executives.	H.R. 2847	June 10	POCS	.....	July 26	.....	180	.....	17004	18500	July 31	Aug. 3	Aug. 16	87
To authorize and request the President to issue annually a proclamation designating the third Sunday of August as "National Senior Citizens Day".	H.J. Res. 225	Mar. 23	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18643	18529	Aug. 3	Aug. 3	Aug. 16	88
Designating September 1989 as "National Library Card Sign-Up Month".	H.J. Res. 231 (S.J. Res. 102)	Apr. 5	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18646	19064	Aug. 3	Aug. 4	Aug. 16	89
Designating September 8, 1989, as "National Pledge of Allegiance Day".	H.J. Res. 253	May 2	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19117	19064	Aug. 4	Aug. 4	Aug. 16	90
Commending the citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, tri-State area for their heroism and spirit of volunteerism in selflessly providing assistance and life-saving services to the passengers and crew of United Flight 232.	H.J. Res. 379	July 27	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19119	19064	Aug. 4	Aug. 4	Aug. 16	91
To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Federal Maritime Commission.	H.R. 840	Feb. 6	MMF	CST	Apr. 25	July 11	31	71	7404	18826	Apr. 25	Aug. 4	Aug. 16	92
Drug Abuse Treatment Technical Corrections Act of 1989.	H.R. 1426	Mar. 15	EC	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5021	7368	Mar. 21	Apr. 19	Aug. 16	93
To amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a retirement and survivor benefit program for judges of the new United States Court of Veterans Appeals.	H.R. 2727	June 22	VA	.....	July 27	.....	189	.....	16965	18470	July 31	Aug. 3	Aug. 16	94
To designate the week of September 11-15, 1989, as "National Historically Black Colleges Week".	S.J. Res. 109	Apr. 19	POCS	Jud	.....	June 8	.....	.....	20101	11440	Sept. 12	June 9	Sept. 13	95
To designate the month of September 1989, as "National Alcohol and Drug Treatment Month".	S.J. Res. 132	May 16	POCS	Jud	.....	.....	.....	.....	19707	14617	Sept. 7	July 13	Sept. 15	96
To amend the District of Columbia Code to limit the length of time for which an individual may be incarcerated for civil contempt in a child custody case in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia and to provide for expedited appeal procedures to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals for individuals found in civil contempt in such a case.	H.R. 2136	Apr. 26	DC	GA	June 21	.....	98	.....	13662	19909	June 28	Sept. 7	Sept. 23	97
To designate the week beginning September 17, 1989, as "Emergency Medical Services Week".	H.J. Res. 133 (S.J. Res. 175)	Feb. 7	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20437	20702	Sept. 14	Sept. 18	Sept. 26	98

To authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.	S.	1075 (H.R. 2346)	May 18	HA HA	RAAdm	July 12	May 18	134	30	20119	10783	Sept. 12	June 2	Sept. 26	99
Making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.	H.J. Res.	407	Sept. 25	App		Sept. 25		249		21525	22310	Sept. 26	Sept. 28	Sept. 29	100
Making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.	H.R.	2696	June 20	App	App	Jun. 20	July 25	96	83	13669	16593	June 28	July 27	Sept. 29	101
To designate October 1989, as "National Quality Month".	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 124)	204	Mar. 15	POCS						20756	21101	Sept. 19	Sept. 20	Sept. 29	102
To amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize the continuation of the performance management and recognition system through March 31, 1991.	H.R.	3282	Sept. 18	POCS						20751	22177	Sept. 19	Sept. 27	Sept. 30	103
Designating the week of September 24, 1989, as "Religious Freedom Week".	S.J. Res.	146	May 31	POCS	Jud		June 8			20759	11444	Sept. 19	June 9	Oct. 2	104
To provide for the addition of certain parcels to the Harry S Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.	H.R.	419	Jan. 3	IIA	ENR	Apr. 10	Aug. 30	19	114	5924	20091	Apr. 11	Sept. 12	Oct. 2	105
To provide for the establishment of the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site in the State of Missouri.	H.R.	1529	Mar. 21	IIA	ENR	June 13	Aug. 30	83	115	12433	20091	June 20	Sept. 12	Oct. 2	106
Designating October 6, 1989, as "German-American Day".	S.J. Res.	118	May 3	POCS	Jud		June 8			20758	11441	Sept. 19	June 9	Oct. 3	107
To provide for the relocation of certain facilities at the Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, New Jersey.	H.R.	2835	June 29	IIA		Sept. 12		239		20753	21742	Sept. 19	Sept. 26	Oct. 6	108
To authorize the acceptance of certain lands for addition to Harpers Ferry National Historical Park, West Virginia.	S.	85	Jan. 25	IIA	ENR	Sept. 25	May 25	250	32	21461	14767	Sept. 25	July 14	Oct. 6	109
To provide interim extensions of Department of Veterans Affairs programs of respite care for certain veterans, community-based residential care for homeless chronically mentally ill veterans, State Home construction grants, and leave transfers for certain health-care professionals, and of Department of Veterans Affairs home-loan fees.	S.	1709	Sept. 29							22656	22589	Oct. 2	Sept. 29	Oct. 6	110
To designate the week of November 19, 1989 through November 25, 1989 and the week of November 18, 1990 through November 24, 1990, as "National Family Week".	S.J. Res.	117	May 3	POCS	Jud		June 8			22279	11440	Sept. 28	June 9	Oct. 6	111
Designating October 1989 as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month".	S.J. Res.	133	May 16	POCS	Jud		June 8			22275	11442	Sept. 28	June 9	Oct. 6	112
Designating October 16, 1989, and October 16, 1990, as "World Food Day".	S.J. Res.	138	May 18	POCS	Jud					22273	11443	Sept. 28	June 9	Oct. 6	113
To designate the week of October 8, 1989, through October 14, 1989, as "National Job Skills Week".	S.J. Res.	148	June 2	POCS	Jud		June 8			22278	11445	Sept. 28	June 9	Oct. 6	114
To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Maritime Administration.	H.R.	1486	Mar. 20	MMF	CST	Apr. 25	Aug. 30	39	119	7735	21348	May 2	Sept. 21	Oct. 13	115
To designate the week of October 1 through 7, 1989, as "National Health Care Food Service Week".	S.J. Res.	81	Mar. 16	POCS	Jud		June 22			22280	13028	Sept. 28	June 22	Oct. 13	116
To designate October 1989 and 1990 as "National Down Syndrome Month".	S.J. Res.	122	May 9	POCS	Jud		June 8			22868	11441	Oct. 3	June 9	Oct. 13	117
To authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for the Civic Achievement Award Program in Honor of the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.	H.R.	2358	May 16	HA	RAAdm	July 12	Sept. 28	135	150	20118	22651	Sept. 12	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	118
To provide assistance for free and fair elections in Nicaragua.	H.R.	3385	Oct. 2	App FA EdL	App	Oct. 3	Oct. 12	265		23262	24837	Oct. 4	Oct. 17	Oct. 21	119
To amend the Head Start Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1990.	H.R.	1300	Mar. 8			Mar. 20		12		5017	23623	Mar. 21	Oct. 5	Oct. 23	120

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Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.	H.R. 2788	June 29	App	App	June 29	July 25	120	85	14382	16231	July 12	July 26	Oct. 23	121
Designating October 27, 1989, as "National Hostage Awareness Day".	H.J. Res. 400	Sept. 12	POCS	FA					22276	23624	Sept. 28	Oct. 5	Oct. 23	122
To amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide increased penalties for certain major frauds against the United States.	S. 248	Jan. 25	Jud	Jud	Oct. 6	Mar. 13	273	7	23961	5557	Oct. 10	Apr. 5	Oct. 23	123
To designate October 22 through October 29, 1989, as "National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America".	S.J. Res. 213	Oct. 2	POCS	Jud					24115	23873	Oct. 11	Oct. 6	Oct. 24	124
To name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Leavenworth, Kansas, as the "Dwight D. Eisenhower Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center".	H.R. 2987	July 24	VA	VA	Sept. 26		259		22667	24524	Oct. 2	Oct. 12	Oct. 24	125
To transfer a certain program with respect to child abuse from title IV of Public Law 98-473 to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.	H.R. 2087 (S. 1455)	Apr. 25	EdL	LHR	June 27	Sept. 15	113		14055	21099	July 11	Sept. 20	Oct. 25	126
To revise and extend the programs established in the Temporary Child Care for Handicapped Children and Crisis Nurseries Act of 1986.	H.R. 2088 (S. 1454)	Apr. 25	EdL	LHR	June 27	Sept. 15	114		14058	21742	July 11	Sept. 26	Oct. 25	127
Designating October 1989 as "Italian-American Heritage and Culture Month".	H.J. Res. 392	Aug. 4	POCS						22869	23624	Oct. 3	Oct. 5	Oct. 25	128
To designate the month of October 1989 as "Country Music Month".	H.J. Res. 401 (S.J. Res. 196)	Sept. 12	POCS	Jud					22869	23872	Oct. 3	Oct. 6	Oct. 25	129
Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.	H.J. Res. 423	Oct. 20	App		Oct. 23		301		25541	25954	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 26	130
To amend section 700 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the physical integrity of the flag.	H.R. 2978 (S. 1338) (S. 607)	July 24	Jud	Jud Jud	Sept. 7	Sept. 29	231	152	20102	23420	Sept. 12	Oct. 5	Oct. 28	131
To designate the United States Court of Appeals Building at 56 Forsyth Street in Atlanta, Georgia, as the "Elbert P. Tuttle Court of Appeals Building".	H.R. 801	Feb. 2	PWT	EPW	June 22		102		13665	24910	June 28	Oct. 17	Oct. 30	132
Designating October 4, 1989, as "Patient Account Management Day".	H.J. Res. 380	July 31	POCS	Jud					24734	25030	Oct. 16	Oct. 18	Oct. 30	133
To amend the Disaster Assistance Act of 1989 to avoid penalizing producers who planted a replacement crop on disaster-affected acreage.	S. 1792	Oct. 25							26199	25937	Oct. 26	Oct. 25	Oct. 30	134
Designating October 29, 1989, as "Fire Safety At Home—Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery Day".	S.J. Res. 177	July 15	POCS	Jud		Oct. 18			25560	25379	Oct. 24	Oct. 20	Oct. 30	135
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies.	H.R. 2989	July 25	App	App	July 25	Sept. 14	176	130	16775	18749	July 28	Aug. 4	Nov. 3	136
To extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950.	H.R. 3281 (S. 1672)	Sept. 14	BFUA	BHUA BHUA		Sept. 26		142	20733	22177	Sept. 19	Sept. 27	Nov. 3	137
Designating November 17, 1989, as "National Philanthropy Day".	S.J. Res. 86	Mar. 16	Jud	POCS					25560	21349	Oct. 24	Sept. 21	Nov. 3	138

To designate the period commencing November 12, 1989, and ending November 18, 1989, as "Geography Awareness Week".	S.J. Res.	120	May 4	Jud	POCS		Jun. 8			25559	11441	Oct. 24	June 9	Nov. 3	139
Increasing the statutory limit on the public debt.	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 225)	280	May 17		Fin		July 25			9996	27655	May 22	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	140
To designate November 8, 1989, as "Montana Centennial Day".	S.J. Res.	19	Jan. 25	POCS	Jud		Jun. 22			27767	13028	Nov. 7	Aug. 22	Nov. 8	141
Designating October 25, 1989, as "National Arab-American Day".	H.J. Res.	241	Apr. 13	POCS						25557	26077	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Nov. 8	142
To designate May 25, 1989, as "National Tap Dance Day".	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 53)	131	Feb. 7	POCS	Jud		Oct. 26			10240	26464	May 25	Oct. 27	Nov. 8	143
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for certain independent agencies.	H.R.	2916	July 17	App	App	July 17	Sept. 13	150	128	15353	22316	July 20	Sept. 28	Nov. 9	144
To designate November 1989 as "National Diabetes Month".	S.J. Res.	131	May 16	POCS	Jud		Oct. 26			26563	26461	Oct. 31	Oct. 27	Nov. 9	145
To designate November 11, 1989 as "Washington Centennial Day".	S.J. Res.	209	Sept. 28	POCS	Jud					26572	22587	Oct. 31	Sept. 29	Nov. 9	146
To amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and the National School Lunch Act to extend certain authorities contained in such Acts through the fiscal year 1995.	H.R. (S. 1484)	24	Jan. 3	EdL		July 28		194		17013	18499	July 31	Aug. 3	Nov. 10	147
Making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1990.	H.R.	3012	July 26	App	App	July 26	Sept. 14	176	130	17038	20602	July 31	Sept. 15	Nov. 10	148
To designate the week beginning October 29, 1989, as "Gaucher's Disease Awareness Week".	S. J. Res.	73	Mar. 8	POCS	Jud		June 8			26570	11438	Oct. 31	June 9	Nov. 13	149
Designating November 12-18, 1989, as "National Glaucoma Awareness Week".	S. J. Res.	194	Aug. 4	POCS	Jud		Oct. 18			26574	25380	Oct. 31	Oct. 20	Nov. 13	150
Designating November 1989 as "An End to Hunger Education Month".	S.J. Res.	198	Sept. 14	POCS	Jud		Oct. 26			26571	26462	Oct. 31	Oct. 27	Nov. 14	151
To redesignate the Federal building, known as the Concord Building, located at 1919 Smith Street in Houston, Texas, as the "Mickey Leland Federal Building".	H.R.	3318	Sept. 21	PWT		Oct. 30		319		26490	27152	Oct. 30	Nov. 3	Nov. 15	152
Designating November 5-11, 1989, as "National Women Veterans Recognition Week".	H.J. Res.	35	Jan. 3	POCS						26568	27090	Oct. 31	Nov. 3	Nov. 15	153
Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.	H.J. Res.	435	Nov. 14	App						29036	29176	Nov. 15	Nov. 15	Nov. 15	154
Authorizing the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to extend the time required for specified licensees to commence and complete construction of certain hydroelectric projects.	S. (H.R. 3021)	750	Apr. 11	EC EC	ENR	Oct. 30	May 25	318	34	26483	11343	Oct. 30	June 8	Nov. 15	155
To revise and clarify the authority of the Administrator of General Services relating to the acquisition and management of certain property in the city of New York.	S.	1827	Nov. 1							26957	26785	Nov. 2	Nov. 1	Nov. 16	156
To amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage.	H.R. (S. 1182)	2710	June 21	EdL		Sept. 26		260		26804	27851	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 17	157
To waive the period of congressional review for certain District of Columbia acts authorizing the issuance of District of Columbia revenue bonds.	H.R.	3287	Sept. 19	DC			Aug. 30		117	22704	27169	Oct. 2	Nov. 3	Nov. 17	158
Designating November 12 through 18, 1989, as "Community Foundation Week".	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 216)	425	Oct. 23	POCS						26569	27153	Oct. 31	Nov. 3	Nov. 17	159
Acknowledging the sacrifice that military families have made on behalf of the Nation and designating November 20, 1989, as "National Military Families Recognition Day".	S.J. Res.	215	Oct. 16	POCS	Jud		Oct. 26			27769	26462	Nov. 7	Oct. 27	Nov. 17	160
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for Rural Development, Agriculture, and related agencies programs.	H.R.	2883	July 13	App	App	July 13	July 25	137	84	14931	16567	July 18	July 27	Nov. 21	161

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Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies.	H.R. 2991	July 25	App	App	July 25	Sept. 27	173	144	17128	22477	Aug. 1	Oct. 2	Nov. 21	162
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Legislative Branch.	H.R. 3014	July 26	App	App	July 26	Aug. 3	179	106	17055	19813	July 31	Sept. 7	Nov. 21	163
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Transportation and related agencies.	H.R. 3015	July 26	App	App	July 26	Sept. 7	183	121	18592	22077	Aug. 3	Sept. 27	Nov. 21	164
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Department of Defense.	H.R. 3072	Aug. 1	App	App	Aug. 1	Sept. 14	208	132	19088	22308	Aug. 4	Sept. 28	Nov. 21	165
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies.	H.R. 3566	Nov. 1	App	App	Nov. 14	.....	354	.....	28975	29322	Nov. 15	Nov. 16	Nov. 21	166
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for Foreign Assistance and related programs.	H.R. 3743 (H.R. 2939)	Nov. 20	App	App	July 19	Sept. 14	165	131	30232	30492	Nov. 20	Nov. 20	Nov. 21	167
Making appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the government of the District of Columbia.	H.R. 3746 (H.R. 3026)	Nov. 20	App	App	July 27	Sept. 12	186	124	30375	30525	Nov. 20	Nov. 20	Nov. 21	168
To designate the period commencing on November 20, 1989, and ending on November 26, 1989, as "National Adoption Week".	H.J. Res. 278 (S.J. Res. 187)	May 18	POCS	.....	.....	Oct. 26	.....	.....	25558	28414	Oct. 24	Nov. 13	Nov. 21	169
Designating November 19-25, 1989, as "National Family Caregivers Week".	H.J. Res. 282 (S.J. Res. 140)	May 23	POCS	Jud	.....	.....	.....	.....	29586	29466	Nov. 16	Nov. 16	Nov. 21	170
Granting the consent of the Congress to amendments to the Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Compact.	H.R. 2642 (S. 1563)	June 14	EC IIA	Jud	Sept. 12	Nov. 2	238	.....	26481	28146	Oct. 30	Nov. 9	Nov. 22	171
To authorize the transfer of a specified naval landing ship dock to the Government of Brazil under the leasing authority of chapter 6 of the Arms Export Control Act.	H.R. 3544	Oct. 31	FA	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27183	28416	Nov. 6	Nov. 13	Nov. 22	172
To amend title 5, United States Code, with respect to the method by which premium pay is determined for irregular, unscheduled overtime duty performed by a Federal employee.	H.R. 215	Jan. 3	POCS	.....	Oct. 31	.....	325	.....	28515	28414	Nov. 13	Nov. 13	Nov. 27	173
Designating November 16, 1989 as "Interstitial Cystitis Awareness Day".	H.J. Res. 291	June 8	POCS	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29586	29867	Nov. 16	Nov. 18	Nov. 27	174
To protect a segment of the Genesee River in New York.	S. 931	May 4	IIA	ENR	Nov. 6	Aug. 30	338	111	28474	20089	Nov. 13	Sept. 12	Nov. 27	175
To designate the periods commencing on November 26, 1989, and ending on December 2, 1989, and commencing on November 25, 1990, and ending on December 1, 1990, as "National Home Care Week".	S.J. Res. 184	July 31	POCS	Jud	.....	Oct. 18	.....	.....	29587	25380	Nov. 16	Oct. 20	Nov. 27	176
To redesignate a certain portion of the George Washington Memorial Parkway as the "Clara Barton Parkway".	H.R. 1310	Mar. 8	IIA	ENR	Oct. 16	Nov. 13	285	202	24724	29264	Oct. 16	Nov. 15	Nov. 28	177
To amend the Deep Seabed Hard Mineral Resources Act to authorize appropriations to carry out the provisions of the Act for fiscal years 1990, 1991, and 1992.	H.R. 2120	Apr. 26	FA IIA MMF	ENR	..... July 26 July 30	Nov. 6	175	190	25454	28729	Oct. 23	Nov. 14	Nov. 28	178

To promote political democracy and economic pluralism in Poland and Hungary by assisting those nations during a critical period of transition and abetting the development in those nations of private business sectors, labor market reforms, and democratic institutions; to establish, through these steps, the framework for a composite program of Support for East European Democracy (SEED).	H.R.	3402	Oct. 4	FA BFUA WM Agr. EdL EC PWT	Oct. 16 Oct. 11 Oct. 16	278	25171	28628	Oct. 19	Nov. 14	Nov. 28	179	
To extend the United States Commission on Civil Rights.	H.R. (S. 1891)	3532	Oct. 26	Jud			28974	29460	Nov. 15	Nov. 16	Nov. 28	180	
Providing for the reappointment of Samuel C. Johnson as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 199)	357	July 12	HA	RAdm	Sept. 28	146	28530	29262	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 28	181
Providing for the reappointment of Jeannine Smith Clark as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 200)	358	July 12	HA	RAdm	Sept. 28	147	28531	29262	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 28	182
To grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change compact between South Dakota and Nebraska.	H.J. Res. (S.J. Res. 192)	393	Aug. 4	Jud	Jud	Nov. 16		29931	29842	Nov. 17	Nov. 18	Nov. 28	183
To commemorate the contributions of Senator Clinton P. Anderson to the establishment of the National Wilderness Preservation System.	S.	818	Apr. 18	IIA	ENR	July 27	88	29923	18031	Nov. 17	Aug. 2	Nov. 28	184
To authorize the establishment within the Smithsonian Institution of the National Museum of the American Indian, to establish a memorial to the American Indian.	S. (H.R. 2668)	978	May 11	HA PWT IIA	IA RAdm	Nov. 13 Nov. 9	340 143	28517	22901	Nov. 13	Oct. 3	Nov. 28	185
To designate April 22, 1990 as Earth Day, and to set aside the day for public activities promoting preservation of the global environment.	S.J. Res.	159	June 20	POCS	Jud	Oct. 18		29585	25379	Nov. 16	Oct. 20	Nov. 28	186
Approving the location of the Memorial to the Women who served in Vietnam.	S.J. Res.	207	Sept. 26	HA IIA	ENR	Oct. 24	171	30006	26692	Nov. 17	Oct. 31	Nov. 28	187
To designate the week of December 3, 1989, through December 9, 1989, as "National American Indian Heritage Week".	S.J. Res.	218	Oct. 20	Jud				30316	29465	Nov. 20	Nov. 16	Nov. 28	188
To authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1990 and 1991 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for such Department for fiscal years 1990 and 1991.	H.R. (S. 1352) (S. 1445) (S. 1446)	2461	May 24	AS AS AS AS	July 1 July 19 July 31 July 31	121 81	16462	18928	July 27	Aug. 4	Nov. 29	189	
To authorize funds to be appropriated for the construction of a mouse research laboratory.	S.	1390	July 24	EC	LHR	Aug. 1	101	28549	19059	Nov. 13	Aug. 4	Nov. 29	190
To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide for the development of a trails interpretation center in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.	S. (H.R. 952)	338	Feb. 2	IIA	ENR	July 17	146	29898	14768	Nov. 17	July 14	Nov. 29	191
To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain lands adjacent to the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado.	S. (H.R. 1606)	737	Apr. 10	IIA	ENR	Sept. 25	252	21463	20609	Sept. 25	Sept. 15	Nov. 29	192
To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System.	H.R. (S. 1324)	2748	June 27	Intel AS FA POCS	Intel AS Jud FR	Aug. 3 Sept. 13	215 78 174 151	24190	27602	Oct. 12	Nov. 7	Nov. 30	193
To amend the Rules of the House of Representatives and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for government-wide ethics reform.	H.R.	3660	Nov. 15	Rules HA Jud SOC WM GO				30098	29711	Nov. 19	Nov. 17	Nov. 30	194

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To designate certain lands in the State of Nevada as wilderness.	S. 974	May 11	IIA	ENR	Nov. 9	Aug. 30	339	113	29923	21098	Nov. 17	Sept. 20	Dec. 5	195
Designating the month of November 1989 as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month".	S.J. Res. 16	Jan. 25	POCS	Jud					27768	18528	Nov. 7	Aug. 3	Dec. 5	196
Designating December 3 through 9, 1989, as "National Cities Fight Back Against Drugs Week".	S.J. Res. 205	Sept. 26	POCS	Jud					30805	29866	Nov. 21	Nov. 18	Dec. 5	197
Making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 1990.	H.J. Res. 448	Nov. 21	App						30807	31433	Nov. 21	Nov. 21	Dec. 6	198
To designate the building located at 2566 Hylan Blvd., Staten Island, New York, as the "Walter Edward Grady United States Post Office".	H.R. 481	Jan. 4	POCS	GA					7727	31267	May 2	Nov. 21	Dec. 6	199
To authorize distribution within the United States of the United States Information Agency film entitled "A Tribute to Mickey Leland".	H.R. 3294	Sept. 19	FA	FR		Nov. 2			24716	31442	Oct. 16	Nov. 21	Dec. 6	200
To exclude Agent Orange settlement payments from countable income and resources under Federal means-tested programs.	S. 892 (H.R. 1129)	May 2	GO	Fin	Nov. 17		373		29946	11347	Nov. 17	June 8	Dec. 6	201
To authorize the food stamp portion of the Minnesota Family Investment Plan.	S. 1960	Nov. 21							30784	31724	Nov. 21	Nov. 21	Dec. 6	202
To amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to increase the authority of the Attorney General to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Department of Justice.	H.R. 972 (S. 604)	Feb. 9	Jud	Jud	May 4	Oct. 20	46	163	8606	26461	May 9	Oct. 27	Dec. 7	203
To amend the Domestic Volunteer Service Act to extend through the fiscal year 1992 certain authorities contained in such Act relating to national volunteer antipoverty programs.	H.R. 1312 (S. 1426)	Mar. 8	EdL	LHR	June 28	Sept. 7	116	122	14046	20609	July 11	Sept. 15	Dec. 7	204
To amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act to authorize the distribution of wholesome meat for human consumption that has been condemned under that Act to charity and public agencies.	H.R. 2134	Apr. 26	Agr	ANF	Nov. 13		348		28499	30466	Nov. 13	Nov. 20	Dec. 7	205
To amend provisions of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank Act relating to the payment of interest on and the redemption of class A notes issued by the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.	H.R. 3720	Nov. 17	BFUA						30320	31277	Nov. 20	Nov. 21	Dec. 7	206
To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1990 for the Office of the United States Trade Representative, the United States International Trade Commission, and the United States Customs Service.	S. 1164 (H.R. 2443)	June 13	WM	Fin		June 13		48	30371	18521	Nov. 20	Aug. 3	Dec. 7	207
To improve the operational efficiency of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.	S. 1877	Nov. 14							30803	29463	Nov. 21	Nov. 16	Dec. 7	208
Designating 1990 as the "International Year of Bible Reading".	S.J. Res. 164	June 22	POCS	Jud		Oct. 18			30315	25379	Nov. 20	Oct. 20	Dec. 7	209

Providing for the appointment of Homer Alfred Neal of Michigan as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res.	203	Sept. 21	HA	RAdm	Sept. 28	149	29944	22650	Nov. 17	Oct. 2	Dec. 7	210		
Providing for the appointment of Robert James Woolsey, Jr., of Maryland as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res.	202	Sept. 21	HA	RAdm	Sept. 28	148	29943	22650	Nov. 17	Oct. 2	Dec. 7	211		
To designate the week of December 10, 1989, through December 16, 1989, as "National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week".	H.J. Res.	429	Oct. 31	POCS				30738	31350	Nov. 21	Nov. 22	Dec. 11	212		
To amend the Department of Transportation Act to reauthorize local rail service assistance.	H.R.	422	Jan. 3	EC				29982	30206	Nov. 17	Nov. 19	Dec. 11	213		
To expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg-Spotsylvania National Military Park near Fredericksburg, Virginia.	H.R.	875	Feb. 6	IIA	ENR	July 17	Nov. 21	144	220	14846	31351	July 17	Nov. 22	Dec. 11	214
To provide survival assistance to victims of civil strife in Central America.	H.R.	3696	Nov. 17	FA				30341	31335	Nov. 20	Nov. 22	Dec. 11	215		
To amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to authorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.	H.R. (S. 1868)	1495	Mar. 20	FA AS	FR	May 31 June 30	Nov. 9	72	195	24189	29843	Oct. 12	Nov. 17	Dec. 11	216
To clarify the Food Security Act of 1985.....	H.R.	3620	Nov. 8	Agr		Nov. 14		358		28799	30482	Nov. 14	Nov. 20	Dec. 11	217
To provide Federal assistance and leadership to a program of research, development and demonstration of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies.	S. (H.R. 1216)	488	Mar. 1	SST EC	ENR	Oct. 25 Nov. 14	Aug. 4	308	107	29972	21387	Nov. 17	Sept. 22	Dec. 11	218
To authorize entry into force of the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Government of Palau.	H.J. Res.	175	Mar. 8	IIA FA	ENR		Nov. 3	189		13557	31338	June 27	Nov. 22	Dec. 12	219
To make technical and correcting changes in agriculture programs.	S.	1793	Oct. 25					28273	25939	Nov. 9	Oct. 25	Dec. 12	220		
To implement the steel trade liberalization program.	H.R.	3275	Sept. 14	WM	Fin	Sept. 27	Nov. 15	263	206	22705	31722	Oct. 2	Nov. 21	Dec. 12	221
To prohibit exports for military equipment to countries supporting international terrorism.	H.R. (S. 347)	91	Jan. 3	FA	FR	Oct. 18	Oct. 26	296	173	25466	31345	Oct. 23	Nov. 21	Dec. 12	222
To authorize the appropriation of funds to the District of Columbia for additional officers and members of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, and to provide for the implementation in the District of Columbia of a community-oriented policing system.	H.R.	1502	Mar. 20	DC	GA		Sept. 12	123		11556	20473	June 13	Sept. 14	Dec. 12	223
To authorize appropriations for certain ocean and coastal programs of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.	H.R.	1668	Apr. 4	MMF FA IIA PWT SST MMF	CST	June 29 Aug. 3 Aug. 3 Sept. 6	Nov. 2	119	187	19517	29858	Sept. 6	Nov. 17	Dec. 12	224
To authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1990.	H.R.	2459	May 24	MMF				227		27742	29867	Nov. 7	Nov. 18	Dec. 12	225
To amend the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1986 to revise certain requirements relating to the provision of drug abuse education and prevention programs in elementary and secondary schools.	H.R.	3614	Nov. 8	EdL						28502	29265	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Dec. 12	226
Extending the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to conduct the quarterly financial report program under section 91 of title 13, United States Code, through September 30, 1993.	H.R.	3629	Nov. 9	POCS						28514	31266	Nov. 13	Nov. 21	Dec. 12	227
Providing for the convening of the second session of the One Hundred First Congress.	H.J. Res.	449	Nov. 22							31156	31723	Nov. 21	Nov. 22	Dec. 12	228

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To modify the boundaries of the Everglades National Park and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural resources within the park.	H.R. 1727 (S. 724)	Apr. 6	IIA	ENR	July 26 Oct. 13	Oct. 18	182	168	27732	31355	Nov. 7	Nov. 22	Dec. 13	229
To designate lock and dam numbered 4 on the Arkansas River, Arkansas, as the "Emmett Sanders Lock and Dam".	H.R. 2178	May 2	PWT	EPW	.....	Nov. 21	.....	.....	8901	31451	May 11	Nov. 21	Dec. 13	230
To combat international narcotics production and trafficking.	H.R. 3611	Nov. 8	FA	.....	Nov. 9	.....	342	.....	28483	29265	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Dec. 13	231
To authorize the appropriation of sums necessary for the expansion of the membership of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia from 50 associate judges to 58 associate judges.	H.R. 3670	Nov. 16	BFUA	DC	.....	.....	.....	.....	29929	30447	Nov. 17	Nov. 20	Dec. 13	232
To conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and the other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats.	S. 804	Apr. 17	.....	EPW	.....	Oct. 5	.....	161	29939	29245	Nov. 17	Nov. 15	Dec. 13	233
To repeal medicare provisions in the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988.	H.R. 3607	Nov. 7	WM	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27932	27869	Nov. 8	Nov. 8	Dec. 13	234
To establish a National Housing Trust to assist first-time homebuyers.	H.R. 1	Jan. 3	BFUA	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28807	31378	Nov. 14	Nov. 22	Dec. 15	235
To amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to extend the civil penalty assessment demonstration program.	H.R. 3671	Nov. 16	PWT	.....	Nov. 17	.....	371	.....	29933	31380	Nov. 17	Nov. 22	Dec. 15	236
To amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the rates of disability compensation and dependency and indemnity compensation for veterans and survivors, to increase the allowances paid to disabled veterans pursuing rehabilitation programs and to the dependents and survivors of certain disabled veterans programs of education, and to improve various programs of benefits and health-care services for veterans.	H.R. 901	Feb. 7	VA	VA	June 23	.....	107	.....	13501	23044	June 27	Oct. 3	Dec. 18	237
To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for adjustment of status, without regard to numerical limitations, for certain H-1 nonimmigrant nurses and to establish conditions for the admission, during a 5-year period, of nurses as temporary workers.	H.R. 3259	Sept. 13	Jud	Jud	Oct. 16	Nov. 17	288	.....	24775	30606	Oct. 17	Nov. 20	Dec. 18	238
To provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 5 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1990.	H.R. 3299 (S. 1750)	Sept. 20	Bud	Bud	Sept. 20	.....	247	.....	23393	24553	Oct. 5	Oct. 13	Dec. 19	239
To amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to authorize the appropriation of not to exceed \$100,000,000 to the Tied Aid Credit Fund for fiscal year 1990, and to provide for expenditures from such Fund during such fiscal year.	H.R. 2494	May 25	BFUA	FR	Oct. 16	271	25064	31434	Oct. 18	Nov. 21	Dec. 19	240

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App Appropriations	EC Energy and Commerce	GA Governmental Affairs	LHR Labor and Human Resources	SOC Standards of Official Conduct
AS Armed Services	EdL Education and Labor	GO Government Operations	MMF Merchant Marine and Fisheries	SST Science, Space, and Technology
BFUA Banking, Finance, and Urban Affairs	ENR Energy and Natural Resources	HA House Administration	POCS Post Office and Civil Service	VA Veterans' Affairs
BHUA Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	EPW Environment and Public Works	IA Select Committee on Indian Affairs	PWT Public Works and Transportation	WM Ways and Means
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